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**Request for Qualifications - Traffic Management Center** Deadline - Monday, May 12, 2025, 11:59 p.m. Mountain Standard Time

# **Description**

The Chandler Arts Commission is looking for an Arizona-based artist to create an artwork for the upcoming Traffic Management Center in Chandler Arizona. Stakeholders are interested in an outside artwork that references commonly used traffic signage. Painters, digital artists, photographers and sculptors are encouraged to apply. The project budget will be \$20,000 and will cover all aspects of the project including but not limited to: design, fabrication, project management, transportation, installation, and insurance. All designs are subject to approval by city staff

This is a request for qualifications, not a request for proposals. We are only requiring examples of past work. Selected finalists will be given additional information and be paid a stipend to submit proposals.

Qualification submissions are due by 11:59 p.m. on Monday, May 12, 2025, and can be submitted digitally via the webform found here: https://forms.gle/Zz1W3KDYtWXCLgoo8

### **Submission Criteria - All entries must include:**

- 1. Current contact information, including email and phone number
- 2. Digital Images: Up to 5 images can be submitted per artist or team of past completed projects. All images should be 1500 2000 pixels in the longest direction.

In one document:

- 3. A current resume or curriculum vitae (CV) including artist(s) accomplishments. Resume or CV should not exceed 2 pages per artist team member. If a resume is not available or does not accurately represent your qualifications, please submit a list of your artistic accomplishments. Please note, no previous public art experience is required to participate in this opportunity.
- 4. Optional an introduction not to exceed 500 words explaining your previous completed projects (if applicable) and any inspirations you will draw on for this project.
- 5. A corresponding image list with all pertinent information is also required. Image list should include size, date completed, and materials used.

#### **Selection Process and Schedule**

All artist submissions will be reviewed by the City of Chandler Arts Commission. All entries must be submitted by 11:59 p.m. on Monday, May 12, 2025. The City anticipates selecting one artist or team for this project. The projected timeline for this RFQ is as follows:

May 5 Submission deadline

May 23 All artists notified of standing June 30 Finalist designs submitted

July 18 Finalists notified

August / September Contract finalized / Meet with appropriate stakeholders

October Designs finalized

November - Spring '26 Production/Installation

Summer '26 Celebratory event

## **Submission Delivery Details**

Submissions must be received by 11:59 p.m. on Monday, May 12, 2025. Submissions must be sent digitally via the webform found here: https://forms.gle/Zz1W3KDYtWXCLgoo8

## Any incomplete submissions will be rejected.

Contact: Public Art Staff at 480-782-2695 or vision.gallery@chandleraz.gov

Interested, but need more information? Does this sound daunting? Visual Arts Staff Peter and Hanley are happy to answer any questions you have, go over your submission info with you, and provide feedback. Please do not hesitate to reach out.