

# A R LOCAL

2022 Grant Application

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The Art Local grant program is a business & building improvement program where downtown businesses and/or building owners can apply for matching funds toward interior or exterior public art projects, in partnership with local artists. The 2022 Art Local Grant encourages downtown business and building owners to apply for matching funds of up to \$1,500, or 50% of a project. This program is administered by Marietta Main Street in alignment with our mission to promote, preserve, and enhance downtown Marietta according to the Main Street Approach. All project applications will be reviewed by a diverse jury as appointed by the Marietta Main Street Board of Directors. Funding is not guaranteed for any applicant.

The vision of **Art Local** is a vibrant, revitalized, visually appealing downtown that celebrates local artists and enhances the creative economy in the City of Marietta. This program is intended to pair financial resources with downtown business and/or building owners who seek to partner with local artists to install public art.

## **ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS**

- Commercial business/building owners
- Projects within the C4 District of the City of Marietta, OH
- New projects, not completed, under construction, or underway
- Projects with 50% matching funds from other funding sources

## **ELIGIBLE PROJECTS**

- Interior and exterior public art projects, such as murals, sculptures, memorials, integrated architectural or landscape architectural work, or community art
- Projects that partner with local artists; local is defined as a 90-mile radius
- Projects that increase the value of a building, business, and/or the creative economy downtown
- Projects that can be funded and completed in full no later than November 1, 2022, including final project reporting requirements

Ineligible projects for Art Local are government properties or national franchise properties. Project funding will not be awarded for proposals that do not partner with local artists, for commercial signage or advertisements of a building and/or business, or incomplete applications.

## **Reporting and Records Retention**

The grantee will submit a final status report which will include a narrative and financial expenditure as well as photographic evidence of before and after work. Funded projects will be expected to **maintain supporting financial documentation of grant expenditures for three years** beyond the close of the grant.

#### Financial Reimbursement Procedures

Funded projects will be provided with the necessary paperwork for reimbursement and reporting requirements. Funds are reimbursed by submitting paperwork and reporting requirements to Marietta Main Street.

- Upon 50% of the work being completed, the grantee may request 50% of the funding
- The remaining 50% will be awarded upon completion of the project once proper financial and photographic documentation, has been submitted.



## **APPLICATION MATERIALS**

- Full grant application, with required signatures, and all forms. Incomplete grant applications will not be considered.
- Full project budget, detailing 50% matching funding request, and quotes for proposed work from vendors
- Before photos, renderings, and visual references of project with application

## **APPLICATION TIMELINE**

- All applications must be submitted in full no later than May 20, 2022. Awardees will be announced by June 3, 2022.
- All projects must be completed and final reimbursement materials submitted by November 1, 2022.
- All applications can be submitted via email only to info@mariettamainstreet.org.

## **Applicant Information**

Full Name (First, Middle Initial, Last): Mailing Address:
Phone Number: ( )
Email Address:  Are you a: [ ] Building Owner [ ] Business Owner
If you are not the building owner, please provide the full contact information of the building owner.
Please list the current tenants in the building.

## **Artist Information**

Full Name:

Mailing Address:

**Email Address:** 

Social Media Handles:



# **Project Information**

Please describe the project in as much detail as you are able:
Please describe how, upon completion of this project, the final product will be taken care of and maintained to assure long-standing beautification and preservation:
What additional resources or guidance are you seeking from Marietta Main Street to assist in the successful implementation of your proposed project?
Is this project an interior or exterior public art project? [ ] Interior [ ] Exterior
What type of public art project is this application requesting funds for:
[] Mural [] Sculptures [] Memorials [] Integrated architectural work [] Community art [] Other
If other, please define:
Does this project support Art Local's goals of a vibrant, revitalized, visually appealing downtown that celebrates local artists and enhances the creative economy in the City of Marietta.? [ ] Yes [ ] N



# **Project Information cont.**

intended Project Start Date:	
Intended Project Completion Date:	

(Note: All projects and final project reporting must be completed no later than November 1, 2022.)

If this project is not funded, what plans do you have to complete the project in the timeline provided above?

# **Budget Information**

Source of Matching Funds:

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In addition to this application, please attach invoices for quotes, assessments, etc. to further support your funding request. Please itemize all expenses below, with an estimated cost of each.

Cost

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Total Project Cost: \$		
Total Funding Request: \$		
Total Matching Funds: \$		

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Art Local grant funding is awarded as a reimbursement of up to 50% of the project funding or \$1,500.00. Are you able to fund this project in full, in order to be eligible for the reimbursement funding? [ ] Yes [ ] No



## **Statement on Impact**

Please describe how this project will have a positive impact on downtown Marietta and how it aligns with the values of Marietta Main Street as a downtown revitalization program uplifting local artists and enhancing the creative economy in the City of Marietta.

## **Signatures of Approval**

By signing this application, as a business owner and/or a building owner, you agree that:

- All documents included with this application and all information provided in this application are accurate to the utmost of your ability,
- The proposed project will be started and completed in the timeline provided, barring special circumstances that impede construction or other tasks required of the project. In this case, all updates to the project schedule will be shared immediately with Marietta Main Street.
- A final grant report, including final invoices, project outcomes, and before/after photographs, will be submitted in a timely fashion as requested by Marietta Main Street based on the completion of the project.

Full Name:	Full Name:
Signature:	Signature:
Title:	Title:
Date:	Date:

## **Required Document Checklist**

Before submitting this application, ensure the following items are included:

- Signature of the building owner
- Rendering from artist(s) for proposed work
- Photos of proposed project location
- All quotes, invoices for proposed work