



MURAL ARTIST INFORMATION PACKET + APPLICATION

Coming June 2023, the Floodwall at Sunset Park, Tell City will be getting a newly painted addition. Plans for the "Why We #pickperry" Community Collaboration Mural features nature, activities and

landmarks of Perry County, Indiana. This mural is brought to you by Tell City Regional Arts and Colleen Reed. We are seeking individual artists from Perry and surrounding counties, as well as sponsorship from small businesses and local corporations.

When completed, the mural will resemble a 48 count jigsaw puzzle spotlighting tourism and attractions from Perry County. If you are interested in painting a portion of this mural with us, visit our website for an Artist Application Packet. Businesses wishing to make a monetary donation, or to secure a spot for advertisement on our wall, can download a Sponsorship Packet to review detailed instructions.

Since the mural embraces community activities, Tell City Regional Arts and Perry County Public Library



are partnering to host a Mural and Music Fest in the park. To kick off the first Paint Weekend, we are assembling a fun filled day with music, food trucks, and local refreshments. Save the date, Saturday June 10- we will be advertising specifics about this corresponding celebration as we get closer.



"Why We #pickperry" Community Collaboration Mural

In most community murals, an artist designs a sketch, and the painters can participate matching a color to a predestined space. In this mural, we are

giving over the regions to YOU as an artist. The puzzle mural will contain 48 MINI MURALS, each "painting" approximately 20x24". We are letting painters pick from a list of subjects that reflect our beloved Perry County, Indiana.

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MURAL

June 10, 2023 Sunset Park Flood Wall, Tell City

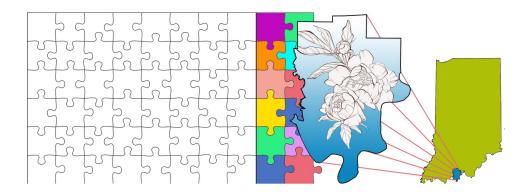
ARTISTS

Do you need to have mural experience? NOPE! Hobbyists and Pros are welcome here, the finished piece is the size of an average canvas.

How do I participate? EASY! Fill out an application to start the process with us. You will pick a puzzle piece, a theme to paint, and receive more information from there!

Do I have to live in Perry County? Nope, but you should! Just kidding, we are welcoming all artists that wish to participate.

Sounds good so far? The next page is all the nitty gritty details we've worked out. If you make it to the end and still have questions unanswered, please contact our Lead Mural Artist for this project, Colleen Reed at (419) 704-1721 / collneuphoto@gmail.com



PUZZLE FLOODWALL MURAL / PUZZLE PIECE BID PROCESS INDIVIDUAL MURAL ARTIST

- 1. Mini murals are approximately 20 x 24" spots The painter pays \$75 to **claim their puzzle piece** and to begin the application / approval process.
- 2. Puzzles will be split into "painting height" categories. WHY? If you are a short human and afraid of heights, you can choose the ground level to be comfortable painting.
 - a. Scaffolding / man lift (top)
 - b. 10 'man ladder (middle)
 - c. Ground level / short stool (bottom)
- 3. The artist must **pick a theme** from our approved list on the application. Themes are reserved on a first come, first serve basis, as we are not allowing duplicate scenes.
- 4. A **Concept painting** must be submitted for final approval to participate by April 30, 2023.
 - a. ½ scale, full rendering and the same shape as the jigsaw selected
 - b. painted on foam core in acrylic paints
 - c. foam core puzzle piece base is provided by TCRA and will be displayed at an indoor installation at Tell City Regional Arts gallery.
- 5. **Sign up for a painting day time slot** at the artwork approval meeting. Our kickoff painting weekend is Saturday, **June 10**, 2023.
- 6. The artist can bring their own exterior paint colors or use ours provided
- 7. We recommend painters to use their own brushes, but we will have some available
- 8. The artist may sign the bottom right corner, approximately 3x6" maximum size
- 9. The painters' names will be included on a recognition plaque next to finished mural

THEME IDEAS for the "Why We #pickperry" Community Collaboration Mural

Painter must **pick one** theme idea from this list, or provide a unique idea for consideration, on the application form. If your theme was already selected- you will be asked to choose another.

1. Nature

Local plants and animals

River scene

Woods scene

Rock cliff

Agriculture and farming 3. Landmarks

Hunting Water tower

Gardening Historical buildings

Tell City Chair High School

City Hall

2. Activities Tell City Museum

Kayaking JFK Pool with mini mural

Schweizer Fest crest Depot train

Schweizer Fest night time / fair rides Depot farmers market

Camping along the Ohio River Covered bridges

Boating Parks

Fishing Celtic Cross

NYE fireworks / apple drop Christ of the Ohio

Car show / Draggin Main

• Some themes may be chosen more than once. For example: If you pick "local plants and animals" **please specify** what subject you'd like to paint within that category on your application.



ONE (1) MINI MURAL / Puzzle Piece - \$75

Payment is required in full to secure a puzzle piece on the community collaboration mural. Checks can be made payable to Tell City Regional Arts - mailed to PO Box 714, Tell City Indiana 47586, or paid in person with cash / card at 125 9th Street, TC (open hours vary, check online).

NAME OF PAINTER
THEME YOU HAVE CHOSEN
BEST CONTACT METHOD Please fill in both, but check your preferred means to be contacted for further correspondence.
□ PHONE
□ EMAIL
PLEASE READ THOROUGHLY AND SIGN BELOW TO AGREE.
I understand that this is an application to be considered. The final approval to participate we be decided at the Concept Painting Artwork Approval Meeting. If TCRA determines your painting technique is not up to the required standard, you will forfeit your investment and will not be able to continue. Please understand that because of the risks involved with painting outdoors, we are only accepting adult painters, age 18+. A waiver of liability will be

signed before painting on the floodwall / at check in on Saturday, June 10. If you have ANY questions about the process, please contact Colleen Reed before signing this application.

YEP, I AGREE + WANT TO PARTICIPATE _____