

Call for Works
Riverfront Art Gallery
Riverfront Library
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LOVE IS THE ONLY NORM Call For Works

The goals of this exhibit are to explore the concept of identity which is constructed within external environments. **Your work need not be explicitly LGBTQ+ focused.** We are interested in artistic perspectives on the breadth of human experience. We heartily welcome work that celebrates the complexities of self expression and embodiment (whether it be gender, sexuality, etc.) as well as work that challenges viewers to consider identity beyond binaries and to question the representation of traditional binary roles.

To submit works click on this [Google Link](#)

Calendar:

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| ❖ Submission Deadline: | May 18, 2023 by 5:00 pm |
| ❖ Acceptance notification: | May 22, 2023 |
| ❖ Drop Off Work: | May 26, 2023, Friday, 10:30 am - 4:40 pm
May 27, 2023, Saturday, 10:30 am - 4:00 pm |
| ❖ Opening Reception: | June 1, 2023 (Gallery Hop), 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm |
| ❖ Exhibit Closing: | August 26, 2023 |

Specifications of Accepted Works:

- All work intended to be hung on the walls must be securely wired, eye hooks or U hooks and wire attached. No zig zag hangers.
- Entire piece cannot exceed a weight of 25 lbs.
- Be clearly labeled on the back of each piece of art with name, address, phone number, title, medium and price, if for sale.
- Works created after 2015.

- Dimensions 16" x 20" or larger
- Frames must be gallery appropriate
- No canvases under 1.5" in depth unless framed

Requirements and Restrictions:

Installers will take special care in handling all submissions, but the Riverfront Art Gallery Gallery/City of Yonkers will not be responsible for damage to the work(s) due to poor construction, wiring, or other problems inherent in the work(s). Artists are responsible for providing adequate protection or instructions for fragile artwork that requires special handling.

GALLERY HOURS:

9 am - 8 pm Monday-Thursday

9 am - 5 pm Friday & Saturday

12 pm - 5 pm Sunday

LIABILITY AND INSURANCE:

The Riverfront Gallery provides insurance in case of theft. The space is monitored by closed circuit cameras 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

PHOTOGRAPHING OF WORK:

We reserve the right to photograph and use accepted work for documentation, press, website or catalog purposes.

SALES:

Artwork can be offered for sale during the exhibit. All arrangements will be made between the artist and buyer. Gallery receives 20% of commission.

AGREEMENT:

The receipt of any entry is understood to convey agreement by the entrant to all conditions set forth and inferred in this prospectus.

RIVERFRONT ART GALLERY MISSION:

To stimulate and encourage the study and presentation of high caliber contemporary art and the public's interest and participation therein; To foster and support the arts in the community and to serve as a portal to the arts for residents and community members; To create opportunities for the public to encounter and explore art that they might not otherwise be exposed to and increase access to the arts in the City of Yonkers.

*LGBT+ is an acronym used to refer to the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, questioning, other gender identities and sexually diverse groups, including intersex and asexual individuals.