



Public Sculpture for SculptureWalk Sioux Falls, SD

You will need to send your application per the **submission instructions** for this call.

Budget: \$1,500

Deadline: 10/01/2021

Call Summary

SculptureWalk is open to professional and amateur sculptors of all backgrounds. Sculptors may submit up to five (5) of their own original (in concept, composition, and execution) sculptures and the entry fee per sculpture is \$25.00. SculptureWalk will not accept sculpture entries that are identical to sculptures already installed or to be installed in other similar public sculpture programs within 200 miles of Sioux Falls. If a sculpture in this circumstance has already been placed in SculptureWalk, it will not be eligible for any SculptureWalk awards. We welcome all sculptures and values; however, those not willing to accept up to a \$20,000.00 purchase price for their sculpture will be excluded from the public voting for the People's Choice Award. SculptureWalk will receive a 25% commission on any sculpture sold and on any commissioned sculptures, except for the People's

Choice and Best of Show sculptures. SculptureWalk will provide liability and Inland Marine (collision & comprehensive) insurance coverage on all sculptures.

Budget Description

All sculptors selected for SculptureWalk Sioux Falls will receive a \$1500.00 honorarium for participation in the exhibit. Each year SculptureWalk also awards best in the show prizes based on artistic merit, this is judged by 8-10 sculptors participating in the exhibit, Best in Show will receive \$2000.00 and nine Best in Show runners up will receive \$1000.00. During the exhibition the public votes on the sculptures, and at the end of the year, the people's choice sculpture will be purchased at a value not to exceed \$20000.00.

Project Description

SELECTION COMMITTEE The SculptureWalk Selection Committee is comprised of visual artists and local business and community leaders. Entries will be critiqued on artistic merit, creativity, public safety, and durability in an outdoors setting. All artists will be notified of the selection committee's decisions upon completion of the selection process. Sculpture Size Qualification Notice– Sculptures may be considered too small if less than 24" in height, but may still be eligible if at least 10" in width. The selection team will make the decision.

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Artwork Goals

The SculptureWalk Guiding Principle - To be the highest quality, most professional, financially strong, artist-friendly, year-round outdoor sculpture program in the United States.

Artwork Location Description

Sioux Falls is an arts and culture hot spot in the heart of America. We have entertainment for people of all ages and families of all kinds, including international and national acts and exhibits. In

addition, Sioux Falls also boasts an incredible number of talented local artists and cultural influencers.

Site History

SculptureWalk is located in heart of Downton Sioux Falls. The Downtown Historic District, added to the National Register of Historic Places on January 3, 1995, is home to 57 historic buildings, representing the great diversity that is typical for a central business district. The historic uses represented include retail stores, banks, hotels, restaurants, office buildings, automobile dealerships, a hospital, a funeral home, a theater, fraternal halls, Sioux Falls City Hall, a federal building, a public library, a fire station and several apartment buildings. Many have been recently restored.

The buildings range from the Romanesque revival and classical revival styles of the 1880s to the Art Deco and W.P.A. era Moderne of the early 1930s. Many of the oldest buildings in the district are constructed of Sioux quartzite. Among these are the Central Fire Station at 9th and Minnesota Avenue, the federal building at 12th and Phillips Avenue and the Carnegie Library at 10th and Dakota Avenue.

Eligibility

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Application Requirements

Biography

Resume: 1 page(s) maximum

Work examples: 1 - 5

Artist Statement : 500 word maximum

Artists are allowed to apply in teams.

Artists applying as a team must split the allotted number of work examples between themselves.

Selection Information

Timeline

October 1, 2021 Entry postmark deadline

November 1, 2021 Notification of selection committee results
April 29, 2022 Delivery of shipped-in sculptures
May 13, 14 2022 Sculpture delivery and installment
May 13, 2022 Sculptor Reception at the Washington Pavilion
May 14, 2022 Sculptor Crawl downtown
October 15, 2022 Awards announcement

Additional Resources

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/>

Contact Information

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