



Dear Friends of the Arts,

A huge THANK YOU to all those who reached out to our County Supervisors to encourage them to continue supporting the arts... they really appreciate hearing what the community wants, and the community really wants the arts! It is inspiring to know that so many understand the value of the arts - whether its art classes for our students to help heal through this stressful time, or public art installations in our county offices or mural beautification projects in our neighborhoods - the arts invigorate our communities. And although we are still receiving a reduction for next year, the Arts Council is prepared to provide even more arts education programs and support for local artists and arts organizations.

Right now, the Arts4MC team is gearing up to celebrate our 40th Anniversary at our Champions of the Arts™ Fundraising Gala on June 18th, and I'm excited to announce that we are almost sold out! If you plan to attend, please make your reservation asap [here](#).

It's going to be a beautiful weekend - come see us at the Artichoke Festival at the Monterey County Fairgrounds!

Warmly,



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Support the Arts in Monterey County



We invite you to join us at our 17th annual Champions of the Arts™ Fundraising Gala on Saturday, June 18th at 5 PM. Enjoy fine dining, live auction, exciting entertainment & dancing at the Monterey Marriott.

We are almost sold out! **Buy your tickets today at arts4mc.org/champions**

40-Day Online Auction

The Arts Council for Monterey County's [40-Day Online Auction](#), in honor of our 40 years promoting the arts in Monterey County, is a **fundraiser to support arts education in our schools**. We encourage you to bid high, and bid often!

Shop our Champions of the Arts™ Silent Auction online from the comfort of your home through June 18, 2022 at 10pm. Browse through one-of-a-kind experiences, baskets, works of art, and more. Take advantage of the "Buy it Now" button and secure your top choices before they are gone.

FEATURED ITEMS



[Exclusive Art Event with Artist Erin Lee Gafill in Big Sur](#)

Starting Bid \$350



[Big Sur Food and Wine Adventure](#)

Starting Bid \$250



[Classical Music Performances for Two](#)

Starting Bid \$50

Join the Fun at the Artichoke Festival!



We will have three booths at the Artichoke Festival - this year located at the Monterey Fairgrounds June 11th and 12th!

Stop by to create some art with staff, pick up some excellent swag or enter our raffle to win a deluxe art kit. **We hope to see you there!**

Call to Artists

SALINAS-ALISAL VIBRANCY NEIGHBORHOOD BEAUTIFICATION



ARTS COUNCIL
for MONTEREY COUNTY

In collaboration with Caltrans and the City of Salinas, the Arts Council for Monterey County (Arts4MC) invites California-based artists or artist teams to submit a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to create and install three (3) large-scale murals on underpasses of Highway 101 at Alisal, Market, and Sanborn Road, in the Alisal neighborhood of Salinas. Special consideration will be applied to Monterey County, specifically Salinas artists.

→ Learn more at bit.ly/salinasmurals

Download the [RFQ here](#)

Deadline: June 15th at 10:59pm

This project is part of a State Highway Beautification Project, sponsored by the California Department of Transportation and the Clean California Program.

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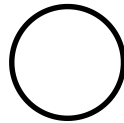
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COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR MONTEREY COUNTY
2354 GARDEN ROAD, MONTEREY, CA 93940

**FREE EVENT! RESERVE YOUR
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Congratulations to the Local Emerging Artists Awardees!



The Arts Council for Monterey County (Arts4MC) is proud to announce they have awarded \$12,500 in Local Emerging Artists Program (LEAP) grants to five (5) local artists, thanks to the support of the David and Lucile Packard Foundation.

Congratulations to our 2022 LEAP grant recipients: Visual Artists Vanessa Cowdrey (District 5), Esmeralda Orozco (District 2), Victoria Donahue (District 4); and Performing Artists Alejandro Gomez (District 4), and Justin Robinson (District 5).

Current Job Openings

WE ARE

HIRING

JOIN OUR TEAM

open positions:

- ✓ **Development Manager**
- ✓ **Arts Education
Coordinator**



arts4mc.org/jobs

Have you ever wanted to join our team? Are you passionate about what we do? Join the fantastic team in our beautiful office in Seaside!

We are hiring for the following positions:

- Development Manager
- Arts Education Coordinator

Interested in one of the positions? For more information, visit arts4mc.org/jobs

Opportunities for Teaching Artists



[#Arts4MC](#) has immediate opening for Dance Teaching Artist for Salinas middle school summer residency - apply today!

Please submit a cover letter, resume, lesson plan sample and examples of student projects to Karyn Lee-Garcia, Programs Director, to karyn@arts4mc.org with subject line "Dance Teaching Artist". The position is open until filled.

Events/Happenings

June 15th: [Call to Artists for Salinas-Alisal Vibrancy Neighborhood Beautification](#)

June 17th: [Southern Monterey County 2nd Annual Painting & Photography Competition](#)

June 17th: [Meet the Artist at Sol Treasures](#)

June 18th: [Champions of the Arts™ Fundraising Gala](#)

June 18th: [Champions of the Arts™ 40-day Online Auction Ends](#)

June 23rd: [Round Two of the California Arts Council Arts Grant Season](#)

June 27th: [Call to Artists for Carmel Plaza Mural](#)

Grants & Scholarships

Deadline: June 30th: [Monterey County Small Business Revolving Loan Fund](#)

Ongoing: [Free Video Tutorial Grant Writing for Succe\\$\\$](#)

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Join a community of people who believe art has the power to change lives for the better.

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Thank you to the County of Monterey and the Board of Supervisors for the ongoing support of the Arts Council for Monterey County's efforts to strengthen and broaden the County's economic base.

Support the arts in Monterey County!

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