

# Call for Artist Submissions

## Radius 25: What Matters

**OVERVIEW:** The Salem Art Association (SAA) is curating the *RADIUS 25:WHAT MATTERS* exhibition, to be held in May and June, 2024, in the Annex Gallery at the Bush Barn Art Center. This exhibition offers all artists residing within a 25-mile radius of Salem an opportunity to submit their artwork for an onsite exhibition.

The *Radius 25: What Matters* exhibition includes –

- An onsite exhibition of selected artworks in the Annex Gallery at the Bush Barn Art Center, a program of the Salem Art Association
- An opening reception in the Bush Barn Art Center on Friday, May 3, 2024, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

*Radius 25: What Matters* invites traditional, multi-media and all other types of artwork. SAA encourages artists from within a radius of 25 miles of Salem, especially those who identify as immigrants, refugees, disabled, LGBTQIA+, people of color, veterans, rural artists and others to apply.

Artists selected to exhibit their artwork in the Annex Gallery will be contacted via email by April 19, 2024. All artist applicants are welcome to participate in the reception.

**EXHIBITION TIMELINE:** Deadline to complete and submit an application is April 1, 2024. Early Submission is encouraged. Artists selected for the exhibition will be contacted by April 19, 2024. Exhibition delivery and installation in the Annex Gallery April 29, 2024

### **CRITERIA:**

Selections for the exhibition will take into account: How well the theme, *What Matters*, is creatively addressed, quality of work and diversity of medium.

**SUBMISSION FORM:** To submit your work for the *Radius 25: What Matters* exhibition, please complete the online form by clicking this [link](#).

The following information will be collected through the online form:

- Name
- Address (For SAA administrative use only)
- Email (For SAA administrative use only)
- Up to 3 images (please scan or save images at 72 dpi, with the file size less than 5 MB each) Framed or unframed for 2D works.
  - note the size of each work, height x width x depth in inches.
  - include the title of each artwork.
  - note if each artwork is for sale. Please specify the price of artwork. All sales will be processed through Salem Art Association at a 50/50% split.
- Social media links, if any
- Artist Statement (175 word limit)
- Artist's Biography (175 word limit)