# Key Information

## Public Art Expressions of Interest

### **Design Brief**

Port Stephens Council has **two sites available for Port Stephens artists** to temporarily exhibit their artwork. Terrace Reflections & Yacaaba Walk of Art are ongoing place activation initiatives that support artists to display artwork in an outdoor environment for the whole community to enjoy and experience. The program objectives are to:

- Inspire the community's imagination, allowing them to engage with arts and culture beyond the confines of a museum or gallery
- Enhance Raymond Terrace's and Nelson Bay's built environment and create a vibrant gateway to the main streets
- Reinforce the unique identity and history of Raymond Terrace and Nelson Bay
- Provide a highly visible platform for creative expression and development
- Provide an opportunity for emerging and professional artists to exhibit their artworks.

### About Terrace Reflections

- The designated exhibition space has two options to choose from:
  - 7 x square artworks (2m x 2m)
  - 3 x rectangle artworks (2m H x 5m W) + 1 x square (2m x2m)
- A name and brief information about the exhibition, QR code and the artist will be displayed on a wall sticker alongside the artworks (2.3 m x 1.5 m) .
- Located of the corner of William & Sturgeon Street, Raymond Terrace.
- An artists fee of \$3000, excluding GST, will be paid to the successful artist

#### About Yacaaba Walk of Art

- The designated exhibition space is 4 panels in total:
  - 2 x rectangle artworks (1.2m H x 1.7m W)
  - 2 x rectangle artworks (1.2m H x 1.8m W)
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The name of artist and artwork will be displayed on a wall sticker alongside the artworks along with a QR code (300x300mm circles).

- Located on the corner of Donald & Yacaaba Street, Nelson Bay.
- An artists fee of **\$2000**, excluding GST, will be paid to the successful artist

#### **General Information**

The exhibitions will be part of an annual program of works, with each exhibition running for 3 months with the exception of the Christmas exhibition which will run for 2 months.

- December 2024 to January 2025
- February to April 2025
- May to July 2025
- August to October 2025
- December 2025 to January 2026

The space will display original works that have been scanned and printed on to vinyl banners and framed with sail tracks. Works can be submitted as developed digital files

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ready for printing, or delivered to Port Stephens Council as 2D artwork. The scanning, printing and installation will be undertaken by Council contractors.

Artists can submit an expression of interest for both public art sites.

Selected artists will sign an artist agreement with Council outlining the full legal terms and conditions, including copyright and use of artworks.

# As part of our commitment to supporting Aboriginal artists, one exhibition per year will be from an Aboriginal artist.

#### Key Dates

EOI open 15 April 2024

EOI closes 15 May 2024

Successful artists will be notified by the end of May with deadlines for final design to be advised.

#### How to Apply:

Artists are invited to submit their EOI in response to the brief. Your expression of interest will include:

- Contact details including name, mobile, email address and street address
- Current CV relevant to the opportunity (maximum 2 pages)
- Relevant experience and examples of previous work
- A brief concept sketch and statement about the design/purpose and methodology

Please note the concept sketch and statement can be submitted in writing (no more than 500 words), rough sketch or digitally rendered form. This is not a request for a refined artistic design.

The selection panel will consist of members from Port Stephens Council staff and the Strategic Arts Committee.

In selecting a concept, the panel will consider:

- How the proposal meets the projects outlined objectives
- Originality of the artwork
- Relevance to proposed location
- Proposed methodology (materials)
- Artist/s experience
- Demonstrated understanding of the brief, and
- Ability to stimulate audience engagement and participation.

### For further information or to discuss your application and EOI please contact:

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## **Contact Details**

\* indicates a required field

#### Applicant \*

Title First Name Last Name

#### **Applicant ABN**

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register			
ABN			
Entity name			
ABN status			
Entity type			
Goods & Services Tax (GST)			
DGR Endorsed			
ATO Charity Type	More information		
ACNC Registration			
Tax Concessions			
Main business location			

## Applicant Primary Address \*

Address

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, Postcode, and Country are required.

#### **Applicant Primary Phone Number \***

Must be an Australian phone number.

#### Applicant Primary Email \*

Must be an email address.

#### **Applicant Primary Website**

Must be a URL.

#### Would you like to be on our Public Art database? \*

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□ Yes □ No

**Relevant Experience** 

\* indicates a required field

Current CV relevant to the opportunity \*

Attach a file:

Example of previous work \* Attach a file:

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#### Example of previous work (URL)

Must be a URL.

# **Creative Concept**

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Describe your concepts in 500 words or less outlining how it will engage with the audience, represent the unique identity of the community and activate the place.

**Concept Brief \*** 

Must be no more than 500 words.

**Concept Sketch (optional)** 

Attach a file:

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#### Please indicate if you are: \*

- □ Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander
- □ Worimi Local
- $\Box$  None of the above

#### Public Art Site \*

- □ Terrace Reflections, Raymond Terrace
- □ Yacaaba Walk of Art, Nelson Bay

#### Please indicate which exhibition period you are interested in. \*

- December 2024 January 2025
- □ February to April 2025
- □ May to July 2025
- □ August to October 2025
- December 2025 to January 2026

No more than 1 choice may be selected.

## Declaration and Review

#### \* indicates a required field

### **Declaration and Review**

Please keep a saved copy of your application form and any related material for your records.

A PDF of your submitted application form will be emailed to the registered email address of the person submitting this application

Please keep a copy of the PDF and related material that you attached/uploaded to the application.

#### **Declaration of the Applicant**

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, all the information in this application is correct. I agree that if successful, images relating to this project can be reproduced by Port Stephens Council for the purpose of promoting this project.

Please type your name and details below to certify the information. Typing your name will be taken to be as binding as a signature.

Name *			
Date *			