



CALLING

ALL ARTISTS

HISPANIC HERITAGE

Month committee

IS LOOKING FOR A MURALIST TO
CAPTURE THE PAST AND/OR PRESENT

OF THE GRAND VALLEY FOCUSING ON

OUR HISPANIC HERITAGE.



Dual Immersion Academy/Riverside Education Center
552 A West Main Street, Grand Junction, CO 81501

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project is a celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month. The mural should reflect the historical and/or existing aspects of the Grand Valley. It may include various perspectives of our Hispanic heritage through, food, family, music, art, and community.

The mural may include, 1) many types of migrants including but not limited to Central American, Latin American and South American countries as well as Spain; 2) the agricultural aspect of farming in the valley, including harvesting of crops and the impact of those workers in the community, as well as their heritage celebration through music and dance; 3) other ideas may focus on education or recreational activities.

This property is owned by School District 51 and must meet the following criteria. The context of the work must be socially acceptable. The artwork's appearance and visual relationships with the surrounding environment shall also be considered. Artwork which conflicts with local values or is determined to not be in the public interest will not be considered. The following design features will not be approved by the committee;

- Artwork that is going to be a public nuisance
- Water features
- Lighting or reflective elements
- Company logos/symbols, living logos, commercial signing or advertising
- Artwork that requires electricity

LOCATION: The location will be determined during a walkthrough with the administrative team of DIA/R.E.C. and communicated to the artist upon selection.

COMPOSITION: The design and materials used in all parts of the artwork should be durable, require minimal maintenance, and not create any potential hazards. The artwork should adhere to the highest standards of quality, timelessness, permanence, compatibility with the site and general appeal.

ELIGIBILITY: This project is open to Western Colorado artists. If chosen, you must be able to begin, continue or reveal (timing to be discussed according to the complexity of the project) your mural on September 22, 2018 as part of the "Community Stories" forum, one of the events held during Hispanic Heritage Month.

BUDGET: The total budget for this project is \$1,000. This includes design, fabrication, installation, site visits, liability insurance and all other associated expenses.

DEADLINE: Deadline for receipt of entry is August 28, 2018. Entries after August 31, 2018 will not be considered.

TIMELINE AND SELECTION: In early September the committee, comprised of representatives from the Western Colorado Latino Chamber of Commerce, Hispanic Affairs Project, District 51, Cesar Chavez organization, Hilltop, Grand West Kia, and Red Rock Radio, will review the submissions and select the artist to complete this project.

PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS: Please submit the following to sonia@christireece.com

1. Your contact information including best contact phone number and email address.
2. A finished drawing reflecting color, theme and content.
3. Any photographs showing similar work you have done. Please label each photograph with the title of the work.

DISCLAIMERS: The Committee reserves the right to select or reject any or all proposals, and to determine implementation of the Hispanic Heritage Mural. Every effort will be made to ensure safe handling of submitted materials; however, the Committee is not responsible for any loss or damage.

QUESTIONS: Contact Sonia Gutierrez, WCLCC Board Member, at 970-314-0307 or sonia@christireece.com