

**2009 Art at Work Symposium
Tacoma Arts Commission at University of Puget Sound**

Regional Resources for Public Art

Most of these organizations provide a wealth of information in addition to public art opportunities including grants, educational services, advocacy and more.

Calls for Artists

4Culture

www.4culture.org/publicart/calls/default.asp

Artist Trust

www.artisttrust.org

CaFE (a function of the Western State Arts Federation)

You can upload your information, images, etc.. and then select the ones you want to use to apply for different projects.

www.callforentry.org/index.php

Oregon Arts Commission

www.oregonartscommission.or/public_art/current_opportunities_for_public_artists.php

Pierce County Arts Commission

<http://www.co.pierce.wa.us/pc/services/arts/arts.htm>

Regional Arts and Culture Council (located in Portland but serve other counties and cities in addition to Portland)

www.racc.org/publicart/current.php

Seattle Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs

www.seattle.gov/arts/publicart/calls_for_art.asp

www.seattle.gov/arts/opportunities/calls.asp

Sound Transit Art Program

www.soundtransit.org/x155.xml

Tacoma Arts Commission

www.tacomaculture.org click on arts and resource library

TriMet, Portland OR transit

www.trimet.org/publicart/index.htm

Washington State Arts Commission

www.arts.wa.gov

Local Rosters/Registries

A roster or registry is typically juried once for a period of time. Some rosters/registries are the only source from which an arts organization chooses work so it is important to pay attention to the deadlines. Other rosters are made available to potential users like architects, designers, curators or private development.

4Culture

www.4culture.org/publicart/registry/about.asp

This registry includes 3 categories: Artist Made Building Parts, Site Specific Projects, and Design Team or Plans. This registry is available online for use by the public.

4culture has open calls to artists in addition to the registry.

Bainbridge Island Arts and Humanities Council

www.artshum.org/JAR Juried Art Registry

This registry is open to the public but all art selections are not limited to this registry.

Tacoma Arts Commission

www.tacomaculture.org

This registry is open only to Tacoma artists and is to be used as a marketing tool to connect Tacoma artists to developers, architects, and curators. It does NOT replace the open Calls to Artists that the Tacoma Arts Commission has for most public art projects. *The current call to artists for the registry will be available December 1, 2009.*

Washington State Arts Commission

www.arts.wa.gov

The Washington State Arts Commission uses its roster to select artists for the Art in Public Places Program. Artists are selected every 2 years through a competitive process.

Everyone should know about Americans for the Arts (AFTA)

www.artsusa.org

p.s. their 2009 annual conference will be in Seattle in June and will focus on sustainable practices.