



## FAQ - RESOURCES FOR PUBLIC ARTISTS

- [Call For Entry \(CAFÉ\)](#): Café is an online application and adjudication system used by public art administrators across the country. Opportunities for commissions, direct purchases of artwork, and juried shows are advertised and can be applied for through this system. The Louisiana Division of the Arts currently uses CAFÉ for Percent for Art program Calls to Artists and other projects.
- [Public Art Archives](#): The archives include images of Public Art and Percent for Art projects from across the country.
- [Americans For The Arts / Public Art Network](#): The Public Art Network (PAN) develops professional services for the broad array of individuals and organizations engaged in the diverse field of public art. PAN is the only professional network in the United States dedicated to advancing public art programs and projects through advocacy, policy, and information resources to further art and design in our built environment.
- [Public Art Handbook for Louisiana Communities](#)
- [National Assembly of State Arts Agencies \(NASAA\) Percent for Art Policy Brief](#)
- [City of New Orleans Percent for Art Collection](#): The City of New Orleans' Percent for Art Collection is managed by the Arts Council of New Orleans, and supported through funding generated by 1% of eligible municipal capital bonds. The Arts Council's role has been to engage local artists in producing public art that has the power to illuminate the daily existence of our citizens and link to the traditions of our communities. Today there are 40 exterior works of art and more than 35 facilities enriched with over 200 interior pieces.
- [Shreveport Regional Arts Council Public Art Projects](#)

*These resources are provided as a service for artists and arts organizations. Pages on the internet and availability of grants sometimes change. If you find a bad or missing link, or know of other opportunities we can include here, please contact the Director of Artist Services [dlafonta@crt.la.gov](mailto:dlafonta@crt.la.gov) and we will make a correction.*

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*The Louisiana Percent for Art Program was established by law in the 1999 legislative session. The law specifies that on projects using more than \$2,000,000 in state funds, one percent (1%) of the expenditure for construction or renovation of a state building shall be for works of art by artists and craftsmen for the building or its grounds.*

*This program is administered by the Office of Cultural Development /Division of the Arts, in the Department of Culture Recreation and Tourism of the State of Louisiana, in collaboration with the Division of Administration and the Office of Facility Planning and Control.*

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