

**Summer 2019 Art in City Hall:
Exhibition Dates: June 19 – December 4, 2019
Call for Artwork**

About the Exhibition

The Art Center Highland Park (TACHP) and The City of Highland Park join together to promote art and culture in our community through an exhibition at City Hall, located at 1707 St. Johns Ave, Highland Park, IL 60035. This opportunity is open to Illinois residents. Submissions must be original 2D works made within the last five years and must not have been previously exhibited at City Hall or TACHP. Submissions must not exceed 48” (unframed) in any direction and must be wired for hanging.

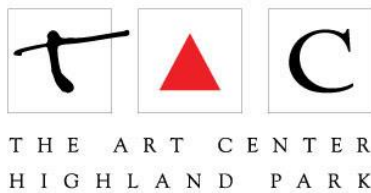
Exhibition Theme

The exhibition, *Microcosmic* invites us to think about the effects of *scale* and *perspective* in our daily lives and as a tool for artmaking. Although not observable to us normally, solar systems, galaxies, and universes operate on a macroscale in which our Earth is intimately connected. On the other side of the scale, the tiniest particles of matter influence our essential biological functions at the cellular level. Technology helps us observe the micro and the macro, but these extreme scales often fall into abstraction.

How do we perceive objects and phenomenon that are drastically different scales than ourselves? How can artists use scale to shift the viewer’s perspective? *Microcosmic* invites you to submit work that takes this proposal as a starting point for your own interpretation.

Images and Submissions

Please submit 1-3 images as well as the entry form to zcarlson@theartcenterhp.org by **Friday, June 7, 2019**. Images must be high resolution JPEG files saved in the following format: Title of Work_Artist Last Name. Submissions must be hand delivered, no shipments will be accepted.



Dates and Deadlines

June 7: Deadline for submissions. Email entries to Zoe Carlson at zcarlson@theartcenterhp.org.

June 11: Artists notified by email regarding submission status.

June 17: Accepted artwork must be brought to City Hall no later than 4pm. Please bring photo ID. **Artwork must be wired for hanging.**

June 18: Installation at City Hall

June 19 – Dec. 4: Exhibition on view

June 24: Artist Reception at City Hall at 4pm

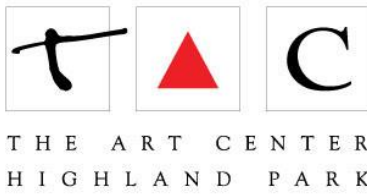
Dec. 6: Pick up and check out artwork at City Hall no later than 4pm. Please bring photo ID.

Sales

Artwork need not be for sale, though if it is TACHP retains a 35% commission fee if it is sold during the show or as a result of the show for up to 90 days. TACHP will handle the sales process and will distribute a check to the artist within 30 days of the end of the show.

Questions?

Please contact Zoe Carlson, TACHP Administrative Assistant and Exhibitions Coordinator, at (847) 432-1888 or email at zcarlson@theartcenterhp.org.



Art in City Hall – Summer 2019 Submission Form

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State/Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Title	Medium	Price	Date
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2.			
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Artists must deliver all artwork accepted into the exhibition, and the work must remain on display during the entire exhibition. Notifications of acceptance will be sent via email. By signing this form, the artist understands and accepts the terms and conditions of this TACHP prospectus. Please make a copy of this form for your records.

Artist's Signature _____ Date _____