



Pawsing for Art Artist Prospectus

Project: Pawsing for Art will feature fiberglass cat sculptures to be painted by artists, designers, graphic designers, architects, and interested public from Jackson County. Sculptures will be displayed in businesses located in Medford, Ashland and Jacksonville accessible for public viewing from late July through October 2010. After the exhibition, the cats will be auctioned at Wine and Whiskers in October 2010 with proceeds going to Committed Alliance To Strays (C.A.T.S.), a 501(c)3 organization.

Project Description: Artists will be provided with a “small” cat made of hollow fiberglass. The Cat is made of durable mold, ¼-inch thick fiberglass and comes with rough factory priming suitable for artistic design.

The Cat form measurements are as follows and are approximate:

Fancy Cat	15”H x 12”W x 10”D
Walking Cat	14”H x 19”L x 5”D
Sleeping Cat	10”H x 19”L x 6”D
Standing Cat	15”H x 12”L x 6”D

The forms may be painted or sculpturally altered as the artist sees fit and in accordance with the purposes of the event. All completed designs will have an auto body clear coat provided by Pawsing for Art. Materials used by the artist must be compatible with the clear coating. All designs will be reviewed and approved by Pawsing for Art.

Designs:

Designs must be submitted using the attached form. Designs are subject to approval by Pawsing for Art and subsequently placed in a portfolio of artists. Once the design is selected, a legal agreement will be signed between the Artist and Pawsing for Art.

Submit cat designs on the accompanying form to Pawsing for Art. A colored sketch and conceptual rendering in color are all that is required. Mail or e-mail your design with sufficient information so that Pawsing for Art can get a good idea of what the final project will look like. Submit a sample of materials if it will help communicate your intent.

Direct label advertising of a product or company name, commercial image, incorporated trademark, or copyright protected material are not acceptable in the design. Designs are for public display and must be appropriate for all audiences. All must be able to withstand touching by curious hands and fingers or paws.

If you know of an individual or business that would like to be a sponsor of your cat, please contact Pawsing for Art to forward a sponsorship packet to your selected sponsor.

Important Dates:

Completed artist concepts are due to the C.A.T.S. shelter by: June 18, 2010 at 5 PM.

Painted statues would need to be at the C.A.T.S. shelter by July 23, 2010.

After clear coating, the statues will be on displayed approximately three months leading up to the gala event.

Auction date: TBA

Sponsors:

An individual, business, or organization from the community sponsors each cat. Both the sponsor and the artist will be identified on a plaque to be placed with the completed cat upon display. Cat sponsorship includes the \$50.00 compensation fee for the artist and/or materials.

Technical Assistance:

For your convenience, you may contact Cowpainters' hotline at (312)-666-6257, or visit their website at www.cowpainters.com for additional technical assistance.

Pawsing for Art Artist Design and Description

Please submit your completed artist concept by e-mail to cats@kittensandcats.org (subject: Pawsing for Art), or by mail to: Committed Alliance to Strays, Attn. Pawsing for Art, P.O. Box 56, Medford, OR 97501, or in person to 104 N. Ross Lane, Medford, OR 97501.

Please provide a description and a conceptual rendering (using the enclosed template) of your proposed design. Provide as much information as needed for Pawsing for Art to get a good understanding of what the finished product will look like. Pawsing for Art will review your proposal and respond promptly.

(Please print your name as you would like it to appear on all printed material)

Artist Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone Home _____ Other Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Signature _____

Cat Name _____

Design Concept

If you have any questions, please call the C.A.T.S. shelter at (541)-779-2916 or e-mail us at cats@kittensandcats.org (subject: Pawsing for Art)