

# sunBLOCK





## Walk in the Sun Umbrella Artwork Contest

Up to five artists will be selected to design vibrant fabric canopies for personal shade umbrellas. Winning artists will be paid \$3,000 to develop new designs. The umbrellas will be produced and distributed through a campaign to promote awareness about heat and sun safety. Contest is open to Arizona artists new to public art. This Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture Public Art Program Project is part of the SunBLOCK project, supported by an Our Town grant from the National Endowment for the Arts.

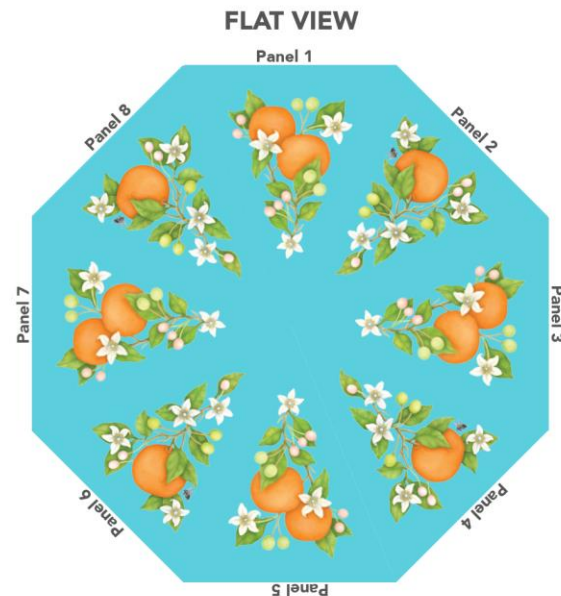
Contest entry is simple and free. Apply online at: [www.callforentry.org](http://www.callforentry.org)

### Submission Requirements:

1. Five digital images showing your best, previously completed two-dimensional artwork
  - Digital images must be JPEG only.
  - JPEGs must be under 5 MB each and 1,200 pixels or greater on the longest side.
  - Do not include more than one image in each JPEG.
  - Do not submit design proposals for umbrella artwork.
  - Do not put your name on the JPEGs.
2. A short, one-paragraph biography
3. An image list that includes the artwork title, dimensions and completion date. If any work represents a collaboration with other artists, list them and describe your and their roles in creating the work.

### Schedule:

Submissions Due: Thursday, September 25, 2020  
Artist Selection and Notification: Mid November





# 67<sup>th</sup> Avenue

Leticia Huerta

Artist enhancing  
standard City of Phoenix  
bus shelter





# sunBLOCK - New Phoenix Bus Shelter Design

Perforated panels are opportunities for artists new to public art



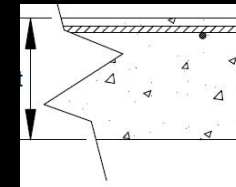
- Selected artists will design the perforated steel panels.



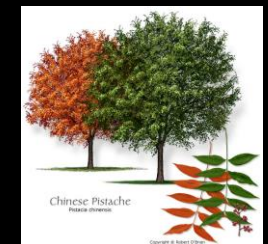
- Artist will select colors for the powder coated shelters.



- Shelters are bolted to existing 4" thick concrete pads.



- Trees will add to the cooling, comfort and feeling of well being our pedestrians!



## Estimated Budget

The amount available for designing the transit shelter shade screens will depend partly on the scope of design services for the different shelter sites, but it is not expected to exceed \$10,000. This amount would be expected to cover the artist design fee and all costs associated with the design process (insurance, fax, mileage, research, community engagement, materials, etc.)

## Estimated Timeline of Project

July 1, 2021	Call open for submissions
August 5, 2021, 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. (PDT)	Open RFQ Workshop (Recommended but not mandatory)
August 26, 2021 10:59 p.m. (PDT)	Deadline for Submission
August 30 – September 3, 2021	Selection Panel – Artists Selected
September 2021	Artist Contracts and Design Phase Begins

**Submissions will be accepted via CaFE at [www.callforentry.org](http://www.callforentry.org)**

**or**

**[https://artist.callforentry.org/festivals\\_unique\\_info.php?ID=9119](https://artist.callforentry.org/festivals_unique_info.php?ID=9119)**

**You can find more information at**

**<https://www.phoenix.gov/arts/public-art-program/public-art-opportunities>**

**CaFE video submission instruction:**

**<https://www.phoenix.gov/arts/public-art-program/public-resources>**



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