The Office of the Governor in partnership with Georgia Council for the Arts is pleased to announce the first call of Governor Kemp’s Administration for The Art of Georgia IV: Imaging Home; Landscapes. Since 2012 Art of Georgia exhibits have displayed 354 works of art by 261 Georgia artists in the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol. With this new call, for the first time, the program has been expanded to include The Governor’s Mansion. Detailed submission guidelines for each exhibit follow.

The Art of Georgia IV: Imaging Home; Landscapes seeks to capture the diversity and uniqueness of communities and natural terrain throughout Georgia as seen, explored, and depicted through the artist’s eye. Two-dimensional visual art, in a variety of media, exploring this theme will be considered. The exhibits, which will showcase current work of contemporary Georgia visual artists, will hang in the executive offices of the State Capitol and the Ballroom of the Governor’s Mansion. Artwork will be sought and selected by region over a two-year time frame, with work from each region on display for approximately six-months. Three-dimensional work and film and video installations are not eligible. This is not a professional, juried competition. Pieces will be selected by Georgia Council for the Arts and the Office of the Governor. All decisions are final.

Work is being sought from contemporary Georgia artists, ages 18 and up, currently residing in Georgia. The initial call is for work from artists residing in Northeast Georgia (see map below). The call for entries will subsequently be issued in Southwest Georgia, Metro-Atlanta, Southeast Georgia, and finally Northwest Georgia over a two-year period. Each region has its own deadline; please see below for the submission date and the detailed county list. Please pay particular attention to the year work is being sought in your region. Entries must explore the theme of the rich diversity and uniqueness of Georgia’s landscapes, vistas and ecology. Painting, drawing, photography, printmaking, and mixed media are all eligible. Three-dimensional work, film and video are not eligible and will not be considered.

Work being submitted for consideration for the Office of the Governor does not have size requirements, although we recommend that pieces be 8x10 or larger.

Work being submitted for consideration for the Governor’s Mansion must be at least 36 x 36. Smaller work will not be considered at this time.

DEADLINES:
Northeast Georgia: August 27, 2019 | Southwest Georgia: March 4, 2020
Metro-Atlanta: September 15, 2020 | Southeast Georgia: March 30, 2021
Northwest Georgia: October 12, 2021
REGION 1: NORTHEAST GEORGIA
Deadline: August 27, 2019
Baldwin  Lumpkin
Banks  Madison
Barrow  McDuffie
Burke  Morgan
Clarke  Newton
Columbia  Oconee
Elbert  Oglethorpe
Franklin  Putnam
Glascock  Rabun
Greene  Richmond
Habersham  Stephens
Hall  Taliaferro
Hancock  Towns
Hart  Union
Jackson  Walton
Jasper  Warren
Jefferson  Washington
Jones  White
Lincoln  Wilkes

REGION 2: SOUTHWEST GEORGIA
Deadline: March 4, 2020
Baker  Miller
Ben Hill  Mitchell
Berrien  Muscogee
Brooks  Pulaski
Calhoun  Quitman
Chattahoochee  Randolph
Clay  Schley
Colquitt  Seminole
Cook  Stewart
Crisp  Sumter
Decatur  Terrell
Dooly  Thomas
Dougherty  Tift
Early  Turner
Grady  Webster
Irwin  Wilcox
Lee  Worth
Lowndes  Houston
Macon  Peach
Marion

REGION 3: METRO ATLANTA
Deadline: September 15, 2020
Cobb  Fulton
DeKalb  Gwinnett

REGION 4: SOUTHEAST GEORGIA
Deadline: March 30, 2021
Bleckley  Jenkins
Dodge  Johnson
Appling  Lanier
Atkinson  Laurens
Bacon  Liberty
Brantley  Long
Bryan  McIntosh
Bulloch  Montgomery
Camden  Pierce
Candler  Screven
Charlton  Tattnall
Chatham  Telfair
Clinch  Toombs
Coffee  Treutlen
Echols  Ware
Effingham  Wayne
Emanuel  Wheeler
Evans  Wilkinson
Glynn  Twiggs
Jeff Davis

REGION 5: NORTHWEST GEORGIA
Deadline: October 12, 2021
Bartow  Henry
Butts  Lamar
Carroll  Meriwether
Catoosa  Monroe
Chattooga  Murray
Cherokee  Paulding
Clayton  Pickens
Coweta  Pike
Dade  Polk
Dawson  Rockdale
Douglas  Spalding
Fannin  Talbot
Fayette  Taylor
Floyd  Troup
Forysth  Upson
Gilmer  Walker
Gordon  Whitfield
Haralson  Bibb
Harris  Crawford
Heard

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