

CALL FOR ARTWORK
FOR THE NEXT ART IN CITY HALL
EXHIBITION FOR ARTISTS FROM THE REGION.



Martha Savery Kahn
Old Spool,
glass, rope, wood.
From: *On the Fringe of
Fiber*, 2009.

Art In City Hall presents exhibitions that showcase contemporary artwork by professional and emerging Philadelphia area visual artists. Encompassing a variety of mediums, techniques, and subjects, this municipal program is committed to presenting a diversity of ideas and artistic explorations. The program strives to link visual artists with the larger community by providing the public with a greater knowledge and appreciation of their artistic achievements.

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Meta-Fiber

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116 City Hall
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Meta-Fiber

Art In City Hall issues a call to Philadelphia area artists for the next exhibition in historic City Hall.

Theme:

Meta-Fiber, part of FiberPhiladelphia2012 is open to artists working in non-traditional ways and with non-traditional materials that utilize fiber and textile art making techniques such as weaving, sewing, applique, quilting...Non traditional materials may include: recyclables, post-industrial, organic, or repurposed products.

Juror: Sarah Archer, *Chief Curator*, Philadelphia Art Alliance.

City Hall Display Cases

Open to Philadelphia area artists working in all media. Exhibition display case dimensions are 84" H x 94" W x 30"D. There are 7 display cases.

Rules for Entry

- Deadline for submission: Received by Monday, February 20, 2012.** You can submit up to four works in the form of digitals. **No entry fee.**
- Please submit jpegs on a CD. Each image should be no larger than 1MB. Please call or email if you have questions.
- Each jpeg file name should correlate with the entry form. You may include up to 3 details of each work. Each artist must include a brief **artist statement** (no longer than two paragraphs) and **resume** as Word documents or PDFs.
- Return the completed entry form with your digital submission and include a **S.A.S.E ONLY** if you wish to have your **disc** returned to you.
- If you are unable to submit work in a digital format, please contact Art In City Hall for assistance.

Exhibition Dates: March 12—May 11, 2012

**SUBMISSIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 4 PM**

Reception Date: Thursday, March 15, 5-7 pm

This exhibition reception is open to the general public and will be located on the first floor, NE corner near the Art Gallery at City Hall/Office of Arts, Culture and the Creative Economy, Rm 116. Guests can wander throughout the various exhibit floors.

Eligibility & Selection of Artists

Open to emerging, self-taught and professional artists living or working in the Philadelphia region, including graduate students. Selections will be made by independent arts professionals.

Selection and Installation of Exhibition

Accepted artists will be notified by phone or email. You can call to verify submission status. All work must be in good condition and ready for installation (i.e., hooks, wires, etc.). Artists are responsible for assisting with installation of works which require special attention or extensive demands of time.

The City, the Art In City Hall Exhibitions Committee and/or curators reserve the right to change the content of the exhibition, including the removal of artwork.

Delivery of Work

The time of delivery and installation of artwork will be arranged with each participating artist after notification of acceptance. Artists or artists' galleries are responsible for shipping and delivery of works, including transfer insurance if needed. Please do not submit work that have already been sold or are out of the Philadelphia region.

Sale of Work

Art may be for sale, Art in City Hall does not take commission. Sales are between artists and interested party.

Liability

Artwork will be insured once received by Art In City Hall and determined to be in good condition.

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**Art In City Hall
116 City Hall
Philadelphia, PA 19107**

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Medium _____	Medium _____	Medium _____	Medium _____
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Entry form _____	Entry form _____	Entry form _____	Entry form _____
Resume _____	Resume _____	Resume _____	Resume _____

Checklist:
Slides _____ SASE _____