

Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway Inaugural Celebration Sculpture Exhibition

Release Date: Monday, July 28, 2008

Call for Entries

Deadline: Friday, August 22, 2008

Eligibility: Open to Massachusetts artists.

The **Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway Conservancy** (Greenway Conservancy) invites artists to forward a selection of existing sculptures or installations for an outdoor exhibition from October 1 to November 2, 2008. This project is organized in conjunction with the **Inaugural Celebration** on October 4, 2008, a free festival to celebrate the completion of the new mile-long park in downtown Boston stretching from the North End to Chinatown.

Artists are encouraged to enter large-scale work for installation on the grounds of the park. The UrbanArts Institute at Massachusetts College of Art and Design is facilitating the project in close collaboration with the Greenway Conservancy, the City of Boston, the Massachusetts Turnpike Authority, and other partners. Funding has been provided by State Street Foundation.

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Exhibiting artists will receive a \$1,000 stipend from the Greenway Conservancy to cover the cost of transportation and installation. Artists may offer works for sale however no artwork may be removed until the completion of the exhibition. Sales are not subject to commission.

Artwork Selection

An art selection committee will choose 3-4 works for the exhibition based on quality, durability and suitability for an outdoor environment, as well as safety of the public.

Siting and Installation Considerations

It is anticipated that sculptures will be primarily sited on hardscape areas of the Greenway. Therefore, self-supporting sculptures are most appropriate for this exhibition. Please contact christina.lanzl@massart.edu with installation-related questions. The exhibition planning team will determine siting of all works in the park. Durability as well as safety to the visiting public, including children, will be important considerations. Sculptures need to be available for the duration of the exhibition. All works are subject to approval by the project partners and other agencies as appropriate.

Schedule

Monday, July 28, 2008	Call for Entries released
Friday, August 22, 2008	Call for Entries deadline
Tuesday, August 26, 2008	Jury/art selection committee reviews pool and selects work
Wednesday, August 27, 2008	Artist notification
September 25-30, 2008	Delivery and installation on Greenway
Saturday, October 4, 2008	Rose Kennedy Greenway Dedication and Opening Festival
Sunday, November 2, 2008	Final exhibition day
Week of November 3, 2008	De-install work

About the Inaugural Celebration

The inaugural celebration, the official opening of the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway, is a free, park-wide festival on Saturday, Oct. 4. Festivities will feature over 60 local program partners in a free park-wide festival of the visual and performing arts, including interactive educational exhibits, local musicians, art, food, cultural performances, guided tours, games, a Ferris wheel, traditional as well as cell-phone enabled treasure hunts and children's activities for the anticipated 50,000-70,000 visitors.



About the Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Greenway, Boston MA

When Boston's Big Dig project plunged previously elevated roadways underground, the city found itself rich in prime urban land. Community and political leaders seized the opportunity to enhance Boston's city life by providing additional parks and gardens to connect some of its oldest, most diverse and vibrant neighborhoods. With this challenge, Greenway designers set out to balance natural beauty and landscaped grace with the vitality and dynamism of a 21st Century city. The Greenway brings urban boulevards built on a pedestrian scale to Boston's dense old downtown neighborhoods. Additional information on the Greenway can be found at <http://www.rosekennedygreenway.org>.

APPLICATION PROCESS AND CHECKLIST

Artists may enter up to three works. Interested artists may either email or mail entries to christina.lanzl@massart.edu. Individual emails may not exceed 4 MB. Materials will not be returned.

- Up to 5 clearly labeled JPEGs of up to 3 existing works. 35 mm slides will not be accepted. Artists may send JPEGs formatted as follows:
 - Formatted to read in Adobe Photoshop
 - 300dpi Image resolution
 - Maximum file size per image – 1MB
 - Name each image: lastnamefirstnameimagenumber.jpg
- Image list (see form on page 4)
- Brief description or artist statement.
- Resume with current contact information.

Contact: Christina Lanzl, Project Manager, UrbanArts Institute
christina.lanzl@massart.edu or 617.879.7973

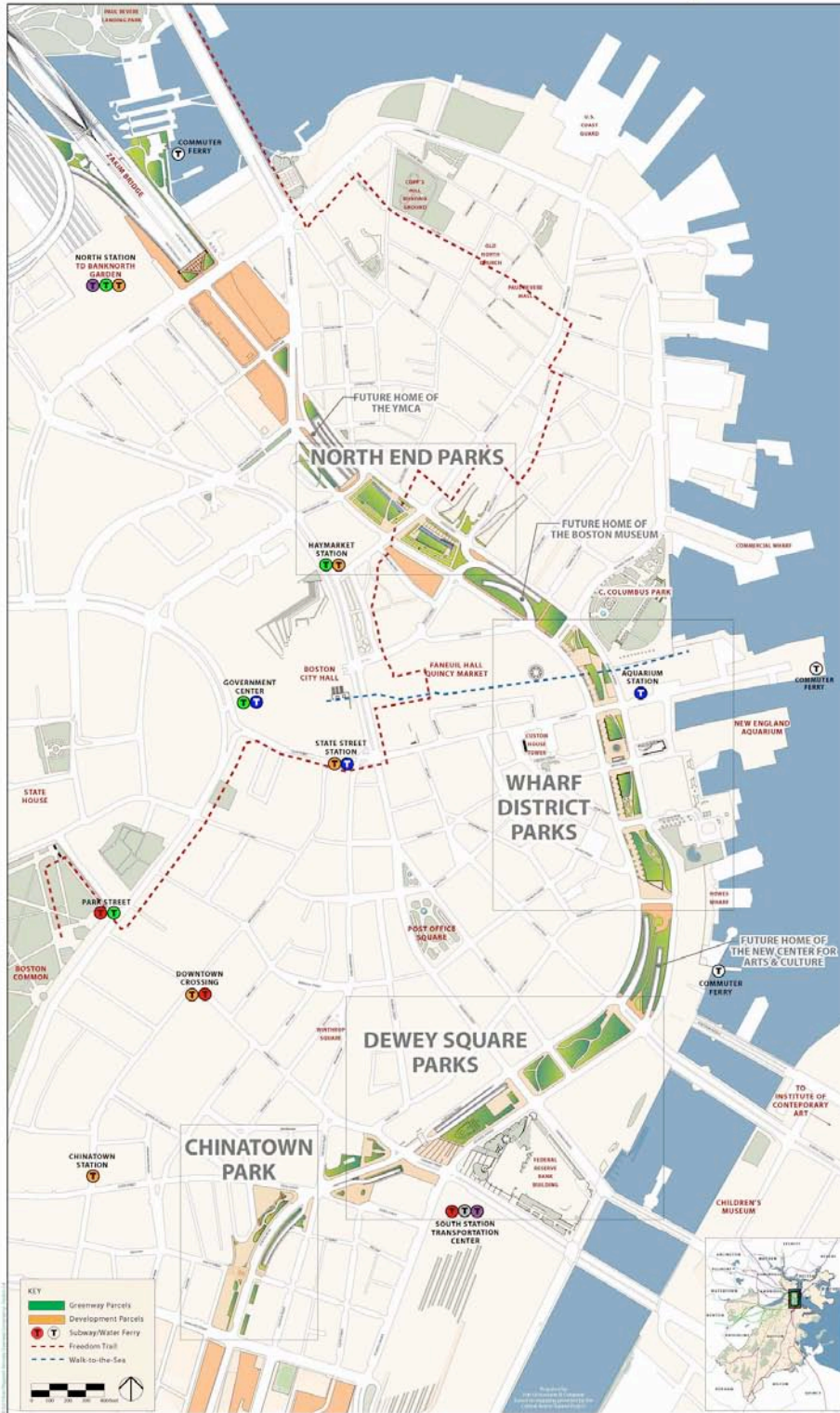
This call for entries is posted at <http://www.urbanartsinstitute.org> - click on Opportunities.

Email entries not exceed 4 MB to christina.lanzl@massart.edu OR **mail entries** to:

ATTN: Greenway Sculpture Exhibition
UrbanArts Institute
Massachusetts College of Art and Design
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Boston, MA 02115-5801



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I. Contact Information

Name _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____
Home Phone _____ Studio Phone _____
Work Phone _____ Fax _____
Email Address(es) _____
Website _____

II. Entered Work (up to three) in order of preference

1. Title: _____

Materials: _____

Dimensions (including base): H: _____ W: _____ D: _____ Weight: _____
Year completed: _____ For sale? Yes: No: Sale price: _____

Installation Method: _____

2. Title: _____

Materials: _____

Dimensions (including base): H: _____ W: _____ D: _____ Weight: _____
Year completed: _____ For sale? Yes: No: Sale price: _____

Installation Method: _____

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