## **EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES** FOR ARTISTS, CURATORS & LENDERS

## 2026 OPEN CALL FOR PROPOSALS

The Grand Galleries are a contemporary visual arts space located within the Grand Theatre Center for the Arts in historic downtown Tracy, California. This celebrated interdisciplinary fine arts and educational facility hosts over 50,000 visitors per year, and is owned and operated by the City of Tracy. The Exhibitions Program (EP) provides professional exhibition opportunities in the Central Valley near the Bay Area and Sacramento. Negotiable funding is available for the production and display of public programming. In addition, the EP is interested in partnering on grant-funded projects.

The Exhibitions Program seeks diverse programming proposals from artists, curators, educators, collectives, and collection lenders. Proposals will be reviewed by the Exhibitions Program Advisory Committee and recommended for exhibition opportunities. Proposals are open to all media including installation, new media, and performance art; there are no geographic restrictions. Work must have been completed in the past three years unless part of a thematic project or collection. Artists may also submit proposals for new works, providing samples of representative work for review. As the Galleries are part of a larger interdisciplinary arts center fostering community involvement and life learning, collaborators who are available for interactive events and programming are preferred. Proposals must be mailed as instructed below and all submitted materials should be considered a public document as property of the City of Tracy. Incomplete proposals are subject to disqualification.

## For consideration please provide the following materials:

- 1. 10 to 15 images in the form of quality color photographs, printed reproductions, or JPGs on a USB Flash Drive.
- 2. A corresponding image list (electronic and/or hard copy) that includes title, media, year of creation and size of each work. Artists working in non-traditional formats such as new media or installation may opt to submit a video (up to 10 minutes long) on USB Flash Drive with mpg/mov files.
- 3. Professional Resume or CV including Exhibition Record and Artist's Biography
- 4. Exhibition Concept / Statement of Intent
- 5. Preference for Exhibition Type such as Solo, Collaborative, Group, Thematic Group, etc.
- 6. Date Restrictions Exhibitions may be scheduled up to 24 months after review.
- 7. Additional support materials are optional. Select materials may be kept on file for future reference.

## **Mail Proposals to:**

Exhibitions Program – Proposal Submission c/o Grand Theatre Center for the Arts 715 Central Avenue Tracy, CA 95376

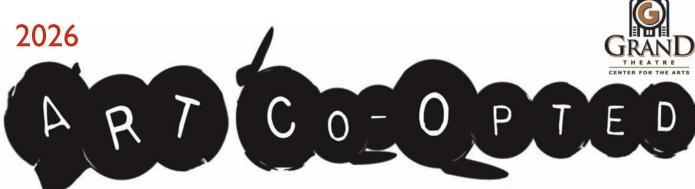
Proposals are accepted continually and reviewed bi-annually, as needed.

For more information visit online: atthegrand.org/exhibitionsprogram









Exhibition Opportunities for Artists & Makers to participate in a curated Co-Op at the Grand Theatre Center for the Arts

The Grand Galleries are a contemporary, municipal visual arts space located within the Grand Theatre Center for the Arts in historic downtown Tracy, California. This unique, interdisciplinary fine arts and education facility is owned and operated by the City of Tracy. The Exhibitions Program provides professional exhibition opportunities in the Central Valley near the Bay Area and Sacramento.

Since December of 2009, the Grand Galleries have invited Artists & Lenders to be part of an exciting collaboration. The South Gallery serves as a modern curated cooperative exhibition space. Artists are needed to exhibit original artwork, limited editions and artist-designed products in the form of art making materials, arts education materials, children's creative products, clothing, jewelry, media (publications, books, cds, dvds), toys and more.

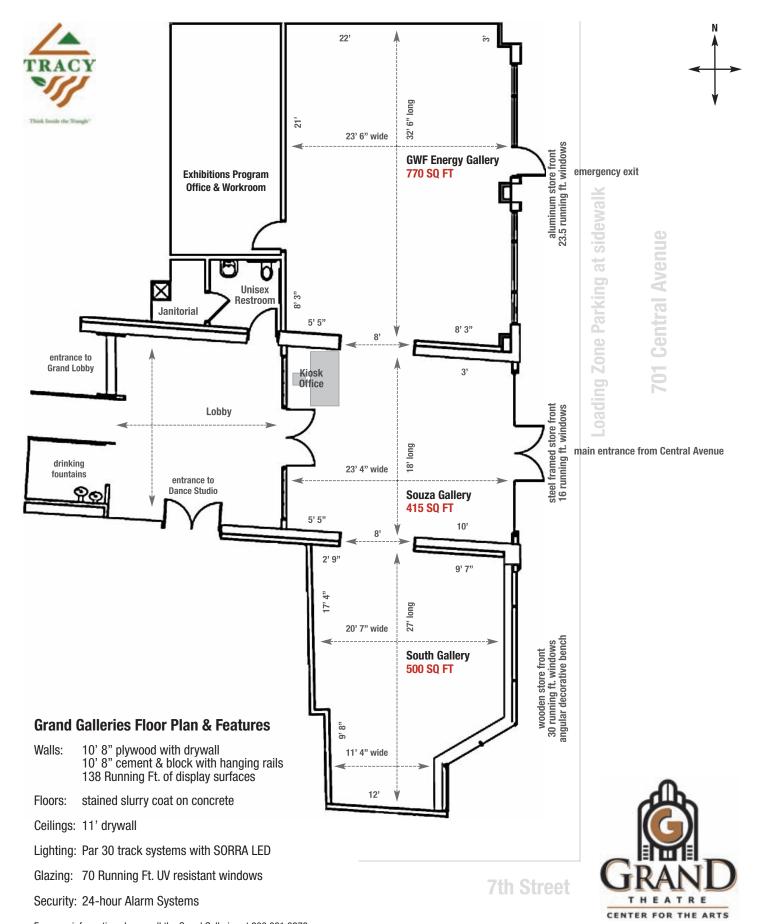
This diverse venue features price points under \$500 with exclusive art and products available for a limited time. As the Galleries are part of a larger interdisciplinary arts center fostering community involvement and life learning, products incorporating arts education are encouraged.

- Participating Artists receive 80% of sales and the Exhibitions Program retains a 20% commission.
- Local Artists are encouraged to schedule a review meeting, while out-of-area Artists can send:
- Visual Artists & Lenders, for consideration please provide the following materials:
  - 1. 3-5 high resolution (300dpi) photographic images via email or mail a flash drive.

    Corresponding image list that includes title, media, date of creation, size of each work & retail price.
  - 2. Professional Resume and/or Artist Biography including Exhibition Record
- Recording Artists & Writers, for consideration please provide the following materials:
  - I. Copy of publication / Audio or Video recording in the form of a CD, DVD or flash drive Provide a corresponding worksheet including album/project title, release information and retail price.
  - 2. Promotional Biography (including band members, label information, photographs, etc. if applicable.)
- Please deliver, send or email materials to:

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For more information please call the Grand Galleries at 209.831.6278  $\,$ 

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