



The Rockwood Building: 124 NE 181st Avenue, Gresham

To: Artists in East Multnomah County and the Greater Portland Metropolitan Area

Deadlines extended for the:

Request for: Multicultural Artwork for a new Multi Service Center on the ground floor of the newly constructed Rockwood Building

Deadline extended to: 10/21/11

Theme for the Artwork: "People joining together to create community"
(i.e. people living, creating, working, and playing together)

Human Solutions will soon have the Grand Opening for the Rockwood Building which is now just finishing construction. The Grand Opening will be held on 10/4/11. The new Rockwood Building will include a 23,000 square foot Multi Service Center which will be shared by six social service agencies: Human Solutions, Headstart, Lifeworks NW, Loaves and Fishes, Metropolitan Family Services and Wallace Medical Concern. Collectively, the agencies will serve over 40,000 people each year including people from a broad diversity of cultures and nationalities, people who speak many languages, and people with many other diversity factors such as sexual orientation, age, and ability. Many other agencies and neighborhood groups will also be utilizing the site for classes, workshops and community meetings. On the second and third floors of the Rockwood Building, there will be 47 units of affordable housing: 32 apartments for low-income families and 15 apartments for homeless families.

The Multi Service Center in the Rockwood Building needs Artwork to make it more attractive as well as more comfortable and inviting for the people who come there to obtain services.

Human Solutions has enlisted the help of a small group of community members to select the Artwork for the Multi Service Center. Our goal is to showcase local artists as well as the diversity of cultures, races and ethnic groups in the Rockwood area. Some of the spaces for the Artwork are large: as much as 11 feet in height and 15 feet in width; other spaces are small: 3-4 feet in both height and width. Because the Artwork will be mounted on the walls, it needs to be flat and two dimensional.

We have a very limited budget for the Artwork and we are asking local artists to consider a donation to the project or to provide the artwork for a reasonable and fair fee. Each piece exhibited will include the name of the artist and their description of the work.

WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL CONSIDER SUBMITTING ARTWORK FOR THE MULTI SERVICE CENTER. Here is how to do that:

Directions to Artists: Please use the form below to submit work for consideration in the Rockwood Multi Service Center. Print clearly.

Please complete and return this form with a labeled CD or digital image or photograph of each entry. Label the materials to correspond to the entry description below. Be sure to name each submission correctly to avoid confusion. Use additional sheets of paper if needed.

Please send the materials to: Rockwood Committee, c/o Jean DeMaster, 12350 SE Powell Boulevard, Portland, Oregon 97236 or email to: rcommittee@humansolutions.org.

Please return the enclosed form to us by **October 21, 2011**.

Artist Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Email: _____

Day Phone: () _____ **Evening Phone:** () _____

Entry 01 Title: _____

Medium: _____

Dimensions (HxWxD) _____

Can this be a donation to the project? ___ Yes ___ No

If not a donation, price: _____

(Please use the following sheets for additional pieces of artwork.)

Artist's Name: _____

Entry 02 **Title:** _____
Medium: _____
Dimensions (HxWxD) _____
Can this be a donation to the project? **Yes** **No**
If not a donation, price: _____

Entry 03 **Title:** _____
Medium: _____
Dimensions (HxWxD) _____
Can this be a donation to the project? **Yes** **No**
If not a donation, price: _____

