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Mobile Arts Council Receives \$20,000 from the National Endowment for the Arts to Support 2024 Exhibition Series

Mobile, AL—The Mobile Arts Council (MAC) has been awarded \$20,000 from the National Endowment for the Arts' Grants for Arts Projects to support the organization's community art gallery and exhibition series. This project will showcase approximately 350 artists in 17 exhibitions from January 2024 through December 2024. MAC's project is among 958 grants for a total of \$27,178,300 that were selected to receive this first round of fiscal year 2024 funding in the Grants for Arts Projects category.

National Endowment for the Arts Chair Maria Rosario Jackson, PhD said, "The NEA is pleased to announce these grants, all of which strengthen our nation's arts sector in different ways. Whether it's the creation of new art, opportunities for the public to participate and engage in the arts or work to better understand the impact of the arts, these grants contribute to the well-being of individuals and communities, help meet the challenges of our time, and build towards a future in which all people can lead artful lives and reach their full potential."

"We are honored to have been selected from among the 1,996 applicants to receive funding for our 2024 Exhibition Series. This program is the cornerstone of our organization, demonstrating that galleries are not just a platform to showcase artwork, but also a place for interaction, education, and a source of collaboration," said MAC's development director, Angela Montgomery.

MAC offers Mobile's only non-commercial community art gallery that features local artists in the heart of Mobile's arts and culture district. Changing the exhibitions monthly creates a new experience for the visitors to experience various forms of expression, inspiring dialogue among all in attendance.

ABOUT MOBILE ARTS COUNCIL

Mobile Arts Council is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization founded in 1955. Their mission is to enrich the quality of life in the Mobile area through increasing accessibility to the arts and promoting a vibrant cultural community. Projects of Mobile Arts Council focus on serving three components: community, education, and membership. For more info: www.mobilearts.org.