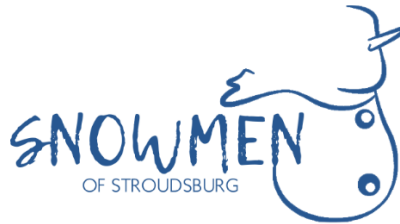




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Snowmen of Stroudsburg Artists' Request for Proposal Requirements

1. Please provide front, side and back sketch (attached sheet) of each design example of a Snowmen you desire to submit for proposal. All works will be **juried** and designs will be selected and artists contacted, and a schedule for receiving the Snowmen sculpture will be created. **Artists must be within a 10 mile radius of Downtown Stroudsburg for drop off of a sculpture, and pick up or supply their own transportation on schedule (truck or large SUV required).**
2. The Snowmen consist of 3 spherical balls that you must depict your tentative design onto **directly from the sketches you submitted to GO Collaborative**. Actual Snowmen must look like the depicted winning sketches. (Suggestion: Go to your local craft store and pick up a 6", 4", and 2" diameter foam balls, decoupage surface for a mock-up. 3D surfaces are quite different than flat surfaces to create on).
3. Snowmen will be received by you 100% assembled (less arms and special attachments).
4. **Required:** a garage, tall canopy or tent, 32" wide doors OR enclosed area to create/work on the sculpture. Each Snowman sculpture is 30 inches wide x 5' 6" tall with 2-15" iron "legs" sticking out of the bottom (the sculptures each come with a stand to be able to work/design on as it stands upright). This increases the overall height of the sculpture to approx. 7'2" high. Please check doorways, a minimum of 32" wide is required to get them through.
5. **Once the Snowmen designs have been approved artists will have a maximum of 6 weeks to finish the Snowmen and contact us for returning them.**
6. The GO Collaborative Team will be visiting on occasion to document your progress, discuss arm placement, etc.
7. **NO oil-based paint or enamel. Spray paint cannot be used (unless a water-based quality acrylic)** on any part of the sculpture. (if you do, it will cause the underlying material to melt/disintegrate, and the artist will be responsible if incorrect materials are used. **IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, please call prior to using any questionable materials.**
8. **Yes exterior house paint (Latex) or acrylic paint** can be used anywhere on the Snowmen. **PLEASE use quality acrylics that will not fade or run. All materials added are at the artists' expense.**



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9. Artists must supply their own design eyes and nose and mouth or hats, etc. *We can help with suggestions!* **All artists are responsible for any damage to our Snowmen sculptures.** *If you have questions, please contact GO Collaborative at originsgallery1@gmail.com.* We have tested many different processes/glues and materials that **DO NOT WORK** on the snowmen sculptures.
10. If depicting artwork, it must cover the entire body of the sculpture.
11. If adhesives are required, please use clear outdoor silicone, gorilla glue or exterior landscape adhesives. **Suggestion:** use spray-foam insulation to build up areas (ask about molding spray foam – it's easy).
12. Artists' mediums/accessories to use: fabric, ceramics, plastic, waxed or treated for weather duct tape, paper, sand, foil, glitter, wood, foam or Gesso, feathers and other lightweight materials- all must be weather-treated – **add-on materials can't exceed a total combined weight of 15 additional pounds.**
13. There will be a balloted contest for Best Snowmen at the end of the season with three cash awards for the best Snowmen of Stroudsburg!
14. Nothing Political, Religious, no mascots business names or logos, no club or organization can be depicted. Nothing depicting any kind of violence and must be non-prejudicial. This is an art installation for all and family friendly. (Note: taking photos of last years' snowmen sculptures brings inspiration)

ARTISTS: Will receive CONSISTANT ADVERTISING as soon as the Snowmen are placed, through the 12 weeks of display or more. PLUS, will be heavily advertised through all media sources of GO Collaborative, and identification plaques located at each particular Snowmen location. There will be a vote platform for your favorite snowman with Snowmen sculptures and artists' name.



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For more information on any of this please contact:

Jody Singer at originsgallery1@gmail.com or Jim Evanisko in person

You can go to www.gocollaborativestbg.com to see some design ideas/examples and for more information.

Please fill out the following (use additional paper if necessary) and RETURN to gocollaborativesos@gmail.com

GO Collaborative 111 N.8th Street Stroudsburg, PA 18360

Deadline for submissions is: July 15th 2026 –
no exceptions.

Artist's Name: _____ E-mail address: _____

Physical Address: _____

Contact Number (day) _____ (night) _____

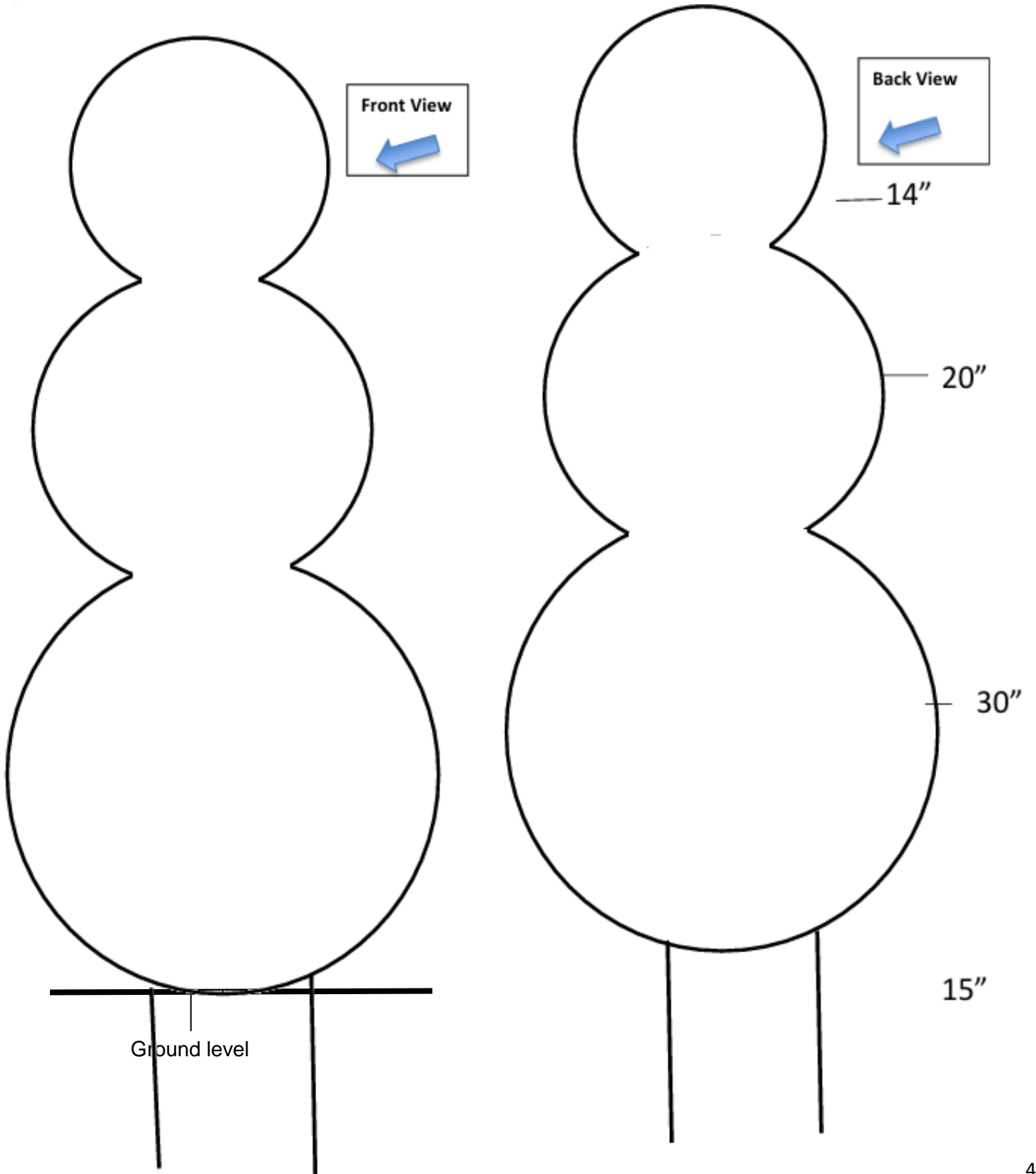
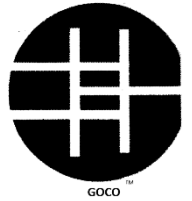
Your sculpture design Title (**NO MORE THAN 20 CHARACTERS**): _____

Describe your sketch and proposal - (Front and Back only, on the attached sheet below) –

List and describe what materials you will affix to/use to create a sculpture that the residents and visitors will appreciate, (within Snowmen's structural theme):



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Release of Ownership of Creative Design/Intellectual Property
Snowmen of Stroudsburg
Legal Contract & Artist Participation Agreement

ARTIST PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

ASSIGNMENT OF COPYRIGHT, OWNERSHIP AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

By signing this Agreement, the Artist acknowledges and agrees that participation in the Snowmen of Stroudsburg Project is voluntary and constitutes a charitable contribution of artistic services, creative works, and intellectual property to GO Collaborative.

The Artist hereby irrevocably assigns, transfers, conveys, and relinquishes to GO Collaborative all right, title, and interest in and to any and all sketches, designs, concepts, renderings, plans, artwork, decorative elements, modifications, additions, photographs, digital files, and other creative works submitted or created in connection with the Snowmen of Stroudsburg Project.

GO Collaborative shall be the sole and exclusive owner of all copyrights, intellectual property rights, derivative rights, publication rights, merchandising rights, licensing rights, reproduction rights, advertising rights, promotional rights, and all other rights associated with the submitted artwork and finished sculpture, whether now known or later developed, throughout the world and in perpetuity.

The Artist expressly waives any future claim of ownership, copyright, royalties, licensing fees, attribution rights, approval rights, residuals, or compensation relating to the artwork, its reproduction, modification, display, publication, marketing, licensing, sale, or other use by GO Collaborative.

The Artist acknowledges that all submitted artwork, concepts, and finished works become the exclusive property of GO Collaborative upon submission and/or acceptance into the project and may not be withdrawn once accepted.

GO Collaborative shall have the unrestricted right to display, photograph, film, record, digitize, reproduce,

publish, distribute, market, advertise, archive, modify, adapt, restore, alter, resize, enhance, reproduce, create derivative works, and permit third parties to use the artwork under terms determined solely by GO Collaborative.

No additional compensation shall be due to the Artist for any current or future use of the artwork.

ARTIST WARRANTIES

1. All submitted artwork is original and created solely by the Artist.
2. The artwork does not infringe upon any copyright, trademark, trade dress, patent, publicity right, privacy right, or other intellectual property right.
3. The artwork contains no unauthorized use of copyrighted characters, logos, mascots, brand identities, trademarks, or proprietary imagery.
4. The Artist possesses full authority to enter into this Agreement and transfer all rights described herein.

INDEMNIFICATION

The Artist agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless GO Collaborative, its officers, directors, volunteers, sponsors, employees, affiliates, and partners from and against any and all claims, demands, damages, losses, liabilities, costs, expenses, and attorney's fees arising out of the Artist's submitted design or artwork, alleged infringement, breach of this Agreement, or negligent or intentional acts.

PHOTOGRAPHY, VIDEO AND PUBLICITY RELEASE

The Artist grants GO Collaborative the perpetual and irrevocable right to photograph, film, record, reproduce, publish, display, distribute, and otherwise use the Artist's name, likeness, image, voice, statements, biographical information, and artwork for educational, promotional, fundraising, historical, archival, marketing, and commercial purposes without further consent or compensation.

DAMAGE AND MATERIAL RESPONSIBILITY

The Artist accepts responsibility for any damage caused to the sculpture through negligence, misuse, unauthorized materials, improper transportation, improper storage, or failure to comply with project specifications.

NO EMPLOYMENT OR COMPENSATION

Participation in the Snowmen of Stroudsburg Project does not create an employment relationship, partnership, joint venture, or contractual entitlement to compensation. Except for specifically announced contest awards, the Artist shall receive no compensation for participation, design services, intellectual property, or artwork contributed to the Project.

GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Any dispute arising under this Agreement shall be brought exclusively in the courts located within Monroe County, Pennsylvania.

ARTIST ACKNOWLEDGMENT

By signing below, the Artist acknowledges that they have read, understood, and voluntarily agreed to all terms and conditions contained in this Agreement and understand that all artwork, designs, intellectual property rights, and associated materials submitted for the Snowmen of Stroudsburg Project **become the sole and exclusive property of GO Collaborative**.

Artist Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____