

Call to Video Artists - Lynnwood History

Lynnwood History Comes Alive in Videos!

Make videos about a historical railroad car, the trolley, and a docent tour of the trolley. And other videos about farming in Lynnwood

Up to 8 videos 3-5 minutes each, for YouTube.

Storyboarding, taking video, recording narration, scanning photos, splicing archival videos from dvd, editing, adding music, etc.

Note that we already have a writer working on the scripts and maybe some storyboards.

DEADLINE TO APPLY: Sunday, May 22, 2021 (Pacific Daylight Time).

ELIGIBILITY

This call is open to all professional video artists living in Washington state. Must be able to film on location in Lynnwood.

BUDGET

The pay for this project is \$40-60/hour. Plus expenses to be negotiated. Artists are responsible for Washington State sales tax and any other business/license/insurance costs. The selected artist/artist team will work with the City staff to establish a budget outline and work plan and adjust as needed.

HOW TO APPLY: Fill out application at <https://us.openforms.com/Form/d53eebf3-04cd-4e7f-86fa-e100ab61ba03>

TIMELINE

Applications Due: May 22, 2022

Artist Selection: June 3, 2022

Filming days: July 11, July 9 (must be available) & others to be scheduled mutually.

Project Completion: November , 2022

FOR HELP

Please contact Fred Wong, fwong@lynnwoodwa.gov

SELECTION PROCESS

The selection will take place in two rounds. In the first round, a panel will review the applications and identify up to three finalists. Finalists may be asked to submit additional info. During the second round of the selection process, finalists will be interviewed, and one artist/artist team will be awarded the commission. City reserves the right not to select any of the applicants, and the right to select an artist not from this application process.

NOTIFICATION OF RESULTS

- Selected artist will be notified on June 3, 2022 (tentative date).
- All artists will be notified of the selection decisions by June 2022.

Additional Info:

Research: Work with City staff & volunteers, Lynnwood-Alderwood Manor Heritage Association & Museum, Lynnwood's History & Heritage Board. In person, phone, email, zoom, etc.

Review: Consultation and review with City staff and volunteers. Story boards and progress will be reviewed at several stages throughout the project.

Credits

The finished videos will become property of Lynnwood-Alderwood Manor Heritage Association & Museum (LAMHA), to be uploaded and shown on the YouTube channels and any other platforms of LAMHA, the City, and other organizations with LAMHA's approval. Artist will be credited in the videos.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

All applications must be submitted at

- Statement of interest (no more than 1,500 characters, including spaces). Describe your interest in this project, how you are qualified, and any connection with Lynnwood.
- Résumé or Biographical Statement (no more than two pages). Your resume or statement should summarize your experience as a video artist.
- Three work samples: links to videos online.
- Three references. Names, emails and/or phone numbers for three professional references who can speak to the quality of your work and your professionalism.

SELECTION CRITERIA

The artist/artist team will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Quality of past videos.
- Strength and appropriateness of letter of interest.
- Proven ability to complete projects on time and within budget.
- Proven ability to collaborate in teams, with design professionals, City staff and community stakeholders.
- Lived experience or past art with focus on diversity, equity, and/or marginalized perspectives.

CALL RULES (ADDITIONAL)

By entering this Call, "Applicant" (meaning applicant and/or team), agrees to be bound by the call rules and the decisions of the City, which are final and binding in all respects and cannot be challenged or appealed.

City may require applicant to submit additional material. City is not responsible for the failure of any Applications not received. City reserves the right to pick no one from the Applications.

INDEMNIFICATION: Applicant releases and shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City, their elected officials, officers, employees, agents and volunteers for any and all claims, demands, losses, negligent acts or omissions, and liabilities (including costs and all attorney's fees) to or by any and all persons and entities, including without limitation, their respective agents, licensees, or representatives, arising from, resulting from, or connected with this Call to the extent caused by the negligent acts, unlawful acts, errors or omissions of Applicant. To the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, this shall apply.