



Call for Art: The Art of Resistance

We are a small group of artists in the Pacific Northwest working together as *Artists for Resistance*. Our exhibitions focus on social justice, ecological advocacy, and political resistance through art.

We invite submissions for our upcoming juried exhibition:

The Art of Resistance

 Aberdeen Art Center

200 W. Market St., Aberdeen, WA

 August 2, 2026 – September 29, 2026

Theme

This exhibition centers on **Resistance** — social, ecological, political, cultural, or personal. We are seeking work that reflects acts of protest, resilience, truth-telling, or transformative change.

Media Accepted

- Paintings
- Collage
- Photography

- Fiber art
- Original prints (created through a printmaking process)
- A limited number of free-standing 3D works

All artwork will be juried based on:

- Adherence to the theme of Resistance
 - Professional presentation and gallery-ready installation
 - Available exhibition space
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Important Dates

- **Submission Deadline:** July 20, 2026
- **Notification of Acceptance:** July 23, 2026
- **Artwork Drop-Off:** July 29, 2026 | 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM
- **Exhibit Opens:** August 2, 2026
- **Exhibit Closes:** September 29, 2026
- **Pick-Up of Unsold Work:** September 30, 2026 | 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Selected artwork must be delivered to the Aberdeen Art Center's central hallway between 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM on July 29, 2026, unless prior arrangements are made.

Mailed artwork will be accepted only if:

- It arrives no later than July 30, 2026
- Adequate prepaid return postage is included

Artists must commit to both drop-off and pick-up dates. We do not have storage space for unclaimed work.

Submission Requirements & Fee

To be considered for inclusion:

1. Complete the Online Artist Submittal Form

Include a brief artist statement describing your work as resistance art — what inspired it, the issue addressed, or what you hope viewers understand. Statements will be displayed alongside accepted work.

2. Submit Images

- Up to 5 professional-quality JPEG images
- Rename files as:
LastName,FirstInitial-Title
(Example: Smith,J-Freedom)
- Email images to: **marshman89@proton.me**
- Subject line: *Resistance Submission – Your Name*

3. Submission Fee: \$20 (covers up to 5 works)

Pay by:

- Check or cash to:
Laveta Bowen
17 Sunset Ct.
Hoquiam, WA 98550
- Or email marshman89@proton.me to arrange Zelle transfer
(We are unable to accept credit cards.)

4. Liability Release

Artists will be required to sign a liability release form at drop-off.

We look forward to seeing powerful, courageous work that speaks to resistance in its many forms.