

Palmyra Intergenerational Arts Project

A Request for Quotation (RFQ) is sought from artists/arts groups by the City of Melville for an arts project as detailed below.

The City of Melville has a strong association with the arts, fostering relationships, celebrating and documenting the diversity and history of our community through cultural activities and the acquisition or commissioning of artworks that enhance public spaces and create a sense of place.

1.0 Project Outline

A park is one of the ultimate intergenerational meeting places of our time.

The City of Melville is looking to commission an intergenerational project to take place within the neighbourhood of Palmyra in Melville, at or in the vicinity of Emily Main Park. This park is one of the much-loved green spaces within the suburb.

We are looking for this project to bring together diverse members of the Palmyra community, to make something special happen within this vibrant area. We are seeking artists/arts groups who acknowledge the power of storytelling, care, neighbourhood connections and the link between the arts and good health.

This commission is open to organisations, artists and groups working with diverse art-forms including:

- community art
- writing
- theatre
- performance
- music

The successful applicant/s will receive a fee of \$10,000 to create a unique intergenerational project. The City recognises that some projects may have more longer-lasting outcomes than others, such as murals or publications, while others like performances or workshops may be more ephemeral and experiential. Applicants with prior experience working collaboratively in the community arts space are encouraged to apply.

This project is funded, in-part, by a bequest to the [Age Friendly Melville](#) team by someone who was a long-standing member of the Palmyra community.

2.0 Project Details

The City seeks to achieve the following outcomes:

- Draw a community together
- Execute a unique, intergenerational project
- Consider tapping into pre-existing community networks
- Engage people to think about each other in new ways
- Enliven and enhance the public space

2.1 Location

The location in [Palmyra](#) is at or in the vicinity of [Emily Main Park](#).

The park features a basketball court, freestanding hit-up wall, playground, BBQs, seating, rotunda and pathways, all of which could be utilised through this project, in consultation with the City.

2.2 Project Timeline

- Applications Open – Monday 10 August 2020
- Applications Close – Monday 5 October 2020
- Successful Applicants Notified – Monday 12 October 2020
- Development and Delivery Period - October - June 2021

3.0 Artist Responsibilities

- Create a unique intergenerational project which runs independently
- Provide high quality images, biography and images to use on social media in order to promote the project

4.0 City of Melville's Responsibilities

- Oversee project which runs independently
- Assist with initially linking artist/arts with community stakeholders
- Assist with promotion of project

5.0 Budget

This project attracts a total of \$10,000 to cover artist fee and materials.

Date	Stage	Fee
October	Artist commissioned to develop project	\$5,000
February - June TBC	Artist provides finalised community outcome	\$5,000
	Commission total	\$10,000

6.0 Submission Requirements

Interested artist/artist teams will need to submit a short proposal addressing the following criteria:

Relevant Experience <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide up to 10 images of previous arts projects that demonstrate experience and style of project outcomes
Curriculum vitae <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide a CV demonstrating your arts practice and previous experience

Statement

- Provide a statement of interest in the project (maximum of 500 words)

7.0 Selection Process

Submissions will be assessed by a panel. For the purposes of the selection process, these criteria will be weighted and scored as detailed below:

A	Relevant Experience / previous examples of work	15%
B	CV	15%
C	Statement of interest in the project (maximum of 500 words)	70%
	TOTAL	100%

8.0 Lodgement of EOI:

Deadline: 5 October 2020

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