



April 27, 2012

Dear Artist Partner,

How time flies! Work has begun on ArtSi~2012, our annual fundraiser, and we have some exciting news for the artists who will donate to this year's event. In cooperation with our partners at Artes de la Rosa, your creation will hang in their gallery for a full month prior to the auction date of Saturday, September 29th. This means we'll need your contribution no later than Wednesday, August 1st.

More importantly, this means tremendous exposure for you in a venue that Fort Worth Weekly recently voted as having the "Gallery Show of the Year". More people will have the opportunity to admire your talent and learn about you. Our theme this year is "Art that Inspires-Arte que Inspira." From wild abstracts to wildflowers and everything in between – our patrons are looking for your most heartfelt, groundbreaking, earth-shaking efforts. Plus, show up and mingle on auction night – more than a few "after the show" sales were arranged there last year.

We want you to be famous, and not just famous for so generously supporting HWNT's scholarship program for young Latinas. The funds you help raise also bolster our many other programs in the community.

All flat items (lithographs, serigraphs, giclees, prints and photographs) must be framed and ready to hang. Unframed flat pieces are appreciated, but can only be offered for viewing and sale online.

If you've never attended one of our art shows you can see some of the fun online at www.artsifw.org. Now that you've heard from me you can forward the paperwork I've attached to fw-development@hwnt.org. They can also handle the paperwork you will need to claim your donation as a tax deduction.

Sincerely,

Anna Cruz-Favela Artist Coordinator Artisi Committee Hispanic Women's Network of Texas Fort Worth Chapter