



Left: Valley Metro pass as a "blank canvas." Right: **Frank Gonzales**, *Great Horned Owl*, gouache.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This year, Mesa Contemporary Arts Museum will suspend its *Annual 10 x 10 Benefit Show* to offer a special opportunity in celebration of the Valley Metro Light Rail expansion to the Mesa Arts Center! Artists from Arizona and beyond are invited to create an original work of art using Valley Metro passes. The completed pieces will be on display at MCA Museum from October 6th through 15th and then sold at the sale on October 10th for \$50 each.* **All proceeds benefit Mesa Contemporary Arts Museum exhibition and educational programs.**

Thank you to Valley Metro for their support and collaboration on this exciting project!

RESPONSIBILITIES AND BENEFITS OF PARTICIPATING ARTISTS

- Artists 18+ and all mediums are welcome! The only restriction is that a Valley Metro pass MUST be used.
- Artists are invited to pick-up voided Valley Metro pass(es) at the MCA Museum front desk during regular business hours. Contact Mesacontemporaryarts@mesaartscenter.com or 480-644-6567 to have one mailed to you. OR Artists can use their own Valley Metro pass(es).
- MCA Museum will give participating artists up to 4 passes. Artists are responsible for acquiring additional passes on their own.
- **All donations for the 10 x 10 Takes-A-Ride! become the property of the Mesa Contemporary Arts Museum. All proceeds benefit the museum's exhibition and educational programs. Unsold artworks will be used for future fundraisers or reappropriated at the museum's discretion.**
- In lieu of payment, each artist and one guest will be an invited guest (\$10 entry fee waived) to a special reception on October 10th, where the artwork can be purchased.
- Participating artists will also receive a voucher good for one free entry to a MCA Museum juried exhibition.

* **MCA Museum reserves the right to refuse any work for any reason.**

ENTRY FEE: NONE

CALENDAR

- Sept 25, 2015** All artwork must be received by **5pm, Arizona time, Friday, September 25, 2015.** Late entries will NOT be accepted. **No exceptions!**
- Oct 6-15, 2015** All donated artwork will be on public display.
- Oct 10, 2015** Reception and Sale, 6-8pm

10 X 10 Takes-A-Ride!
MCA Museum at Mesa Arts Center
For US Postal Service ONLY: P.O. Box 1466 • Mesa, AZ 85211-1466
For UPS (or any other CARRIER): 1 East Main Street • Mesa, AZ 85201

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Complete the information below and submit it along with your artwork. **The completed form MUST accompany the work, otherwise, the piece will not be included in the show.**
- All artwork must be received by **5pm, Arizona time, Friday, September 25, 2015.** **Late entries will NOT be accepted. No exceptions!** If you are mailing your piece(s), please use the shipping address above.
- **For questions and to schedule a drop off time, please call 480-644-6567.**

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: (day) _____
(night) _____
E-mail Address: _____
Do you plan to attend the 10 x 10 Benefit Sale on Oct 10? Yes No

INFORMATION ABOUT DONATED ARTWORK

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****Ages 18 and over only please!****

Artwork 1: 2-D 3-D (please check one)
Title: _____
Medium: _____
Additional Notes: _____

Artwork 2: 2-D 3-D (please check one)
Title: _____
Medium: _____
Additional Notes: _____

Artwork 3: 2-D 3-D (please check one)
Title: _____
Medium: _____
Additional Notes: _____

Artwork 4: 2-D 3-D (please check one)
Title: _____
Medium: _____
Additional Notes: _____