

## Call for Artists: Public Art Project, large scale mural

Are you a visual artist or do you know one who is looking to make a mark in the public realm?

With the support of the City of Toronto and BIA Office, Lakeshore Village BIA is looking for a mural artist for their 2023 public art project.

### PROJECT DETAILS

The Lakeshore Village BIA Board will select an artist to plan and execute a large outdoor wall mural at 2992 Lake Shore Blvd. West. Submissions must take into consideration a budget of \$7250 (including HST) for planning and execution of the new mural including artist payment, all equipment and supplies.

Theme: *“The foliage, environment and wildlife of Lake Shore”*. The artist, when selected by the BIA, will be expected to research and engage local interest groups to ensure accuracy of the mural. The BIA will assist in this.

This mural is funded by a City of Toronto grant and must include the City of Toronto logo (provided by BIA), the Lakeshore Village BIA logo, and *“Welcome to Lakeshore Village”* and be approved by the City of Toronto before execution.

Eligibility: This is an open, Toronto-wide competition for a professional artist able to execute a large-scale outdoor wall mural. Preference will be given to artists who have experience with large scale outdoor projects either as lead or assistant.

### PROJECT TIMELINE

Submissions Now Open

August 14 – Deadline for submissions

August 14 to August 23 – Artist selection

August 23 to August 30 – Mural design and submission to City of Toronto and property owner for approval

Once approval is given, a time-line for execution will be decided upon with the artist

### SUBMISSIONS

Artists must submit the following to be considered for the project:

- Resume
- A PDF document with at least 3 photos of 3 different past works. Two must be painted mural work (traffic boxes, sidewalks, garage doors, indoor work that has been painted can be included)
- Short statement of commitment to researching the mural content

Mural location:

2992 Lakeshore Blvd West



Submissions must be received by **11:59 pm EST, August 14 2022**. Submissions should be made to [lakeshorebia@gmail.com](mailto:lakeshorebia@gmail.com) with the subject line "Mural Artist submission 2023". Late submissions will not be accepted.

**QUESTIONS?**

Please contact BIA Coordinator Meghan Mesheu at [lakeshorebia@gmail.com](mailto:lakeshorebia@gmail.com).