



Tucker's Gallery is a juried retail outdoor sculpture gallery managed by the Caldwell Arts Council (CAC). It is located in the heart of downtown Lenoir, NC and is named for the town's historical Tucker family, who settled in the area in 1797. Their barn was located near the Caldwell Arts Council and served as everything from a voting precinct and muster ground to a store and a place for "frolics" and celebrations.

Operated in partnership with the City of Lenoir and the Lenoir Tourism Development Authority, twelve street-side planters were converted into pedestals for this retail sculpture gallery. Works are on exhibition for up to one year and are available for sale with the Caldwell Arts Council receiving a 30% commission on sold works.

In 2022, CAC and City of Lenoir revitalized Tucker's Gallery, making installations easier. In the past, sculptors had to either customize bases to fit or modify existing ones to line up with hole patterns in our original mounting plates. ***Now sculptors will have the flexibility of custom drilling holes on new adapter plates to match up with their bases.*** See the installation guide for details.

***Currently, sculptors will receive stipends of \$200 for installation and \$200 for deinstallation. Please know that CAC is working to fund an increase in sculptors' stipends to be more in line with similar programs.***

If you would like to apply, please review this packet, complete the following application form, and submit your information to the Caldwell Arts Council. After receipt, our Jury Committee will review your information, and you will be notified of your status by June 30, 2026 as all sculptor requests will be juried the week of June 23-26<sup>th</sup>! If accepted, our staff will assign your pedestal, working with you to schedule delivery and installation of your work(s). Participating sculptors also will have to complete the City of Lenoir's Sculpture Placement Agreement as well as their Installation & Sculpture Inspection Form that must be turned in to the Caldwell Arts Council no later than your arrival for installation.

If you have additional questions, please contact our office at 828-754-2486 or [office@caldwellarts.com](mailto:office@caldwellarts.com).



# Caldwell Arts Council

## Tucker's Gallery – Sculptor Application & Consignment Agreement

*You may submit up to 3 works for the Jury Committee's review. To be considered:*

- *Submit this completed application with at least three (3) good quality digital images in JPG format (minimum 300 dpi) of each sculpture. File names should include your last name, first initial and title of each piece. (IE: Doe J – Domino1; Doe J – Domino2; Doe J – Domino3).*
- *Include your artist's resume or professional Curriculum Vitae.*
- *Send your information to the Caldwell Arts Council via U.S. Mail to P.O. Box 1613, Lenoir, NC 28645 or via email it to [office@caldwellarts.com](mailto:office@caldwellarts.com).*
- *If you have questions, please call our office at 828-754-2486 between 9am and 5pm Tuesday through Friday or email [office@caldwellarts.com](mailto:office@caldwellarts.com).*

**JURY PROCESS & EXHIBITION CONFIRMATION:** *After receiving your completed application, our Jury Committee will review your work and will notify you with their decision status by June 30, 2026 as all sculptor requests will be juried the week of June 23-26th! CAC reserves the right to reject any sculptural works that are not appropriate for presentation in this public setting including but not limited to size and subject matter of work. If accepted, this application will serve as your Consignment Agreement with the Caldwell Arts Council, at which time the consignor agrees to display sculpture in the assigned location(s) for one year of installation unless work is sold.*

*Our staff will issue a pedestal assignment(s) and will work with you to schedule delivery and installation of your sculpture(s). We also will provide you the City of Lenoir's Sculpture Placement Agreement and Installation & Sculpture Inspection Form that must be completed and turned in to our office by the time of installation.*

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** *All works are required to be bolted to steel plates. See details on the Tucker's Gallery Installation Guide included in this packet. In addition, all sculptures must provide safe clearance for pedestrian and vehicular traffic.*

**STIPENDS:** *Sculptors will receive stipends of \$200 for installation and \$200 for deinstallation. This includes replacement works for sold sculpture (see below). Arts Council staff will strive to make these payments available at installation and pick up of unsold work. In the event that is not possible, checks will be mailed to the address on file. Unless adequate notice is given, early or tardy removal of the work may result in forfeiture of the final stipend payment.*

**SALES:** *The Caldwell Arts Council (CAC) will retain a 30% commission on sold works, so please price accordingly. If a work sells during the exhibition period, it can remain on display with the buyer's permission, or you may replace it with another approved piece for the remainder of the year. Checks for sold work are issued by the 15th of the following month. CAC will be responsible for collecting and reporting N.C. Sales Tax.*

**Artist's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title of Piece #1** \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Selling Price \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ Is this piece kinetic?  Yes  No

**Title of Piece #2** \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Selling Price \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ Is this piece kinetic?  Yes  No

**Title of Piece #3** \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Selling Price \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ Is this piece kinetic?  Yes  No

**AGREEMENT:**

*I have fully read the contents of the Tucker’s Gallery Sculptor Application & Consignment Agreement packet and if selected as an exhibiting sculptor, agree to the information as outlined within this document. This includes agreement to the one-year exhibition term, all sales procedures, payment for stipends and sales work.*

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Sign Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**For Office Use Only:**

Submission Receipt Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Staff Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Jury Notification Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Staff Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Installation Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Staff Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Deinstallation Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Staff Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Sculpture #1 Pedestal \_\_\_\_\_ Sculpture #2 Pedestal \_\_\_\_\_ Sculpture #3 Pedestal \_\_\_\_\_