

February 17, 2023

Dear Local & Regional Artists,

Subject: 2023 Downtown Great Bend Art & Wine Walk

We would like to invite you to participate in the 9th Annual event that is continuing to grow here in Great Bend! The City of Great Bend and the Downtown Businesses plan to bring back the Downtown Art and Wine Walk that will be held on Friday, May 5, 2023 from 4:30PM – 7:30PM.

If you would like to participate, each artist will be assigned to a participating store where you will display your work and if the store agrees, you can put your items up for sale. During this wine and art walk, people will travel to the participating stores, taste food and wine and experience the variety of art.

In previous years, we have had people bid on the art pieces at each location. We have decided we will NOT do a silent auction this year. But if you would like to sell your work, please discuss with the store in which you are assigned for permission.

Your name was given to us as a local or regional artist. We are doing this first come, first serve on locations and you are NOT guaranteed to be in the same place you were last year because we want to keep it different and fresh each year. We do hope you choose to participate, if you are interested please complete the following form and email to chayes@greatbendks.net or return to the City of Great Bend, c/o Christina Hayes, 1209 Williams, Great Bend, KS 67530.

Sincerely,



Christina Hayes
chayes@greatbendks.net

En: Artist participation form (*PLEASE FILL OUT TO PARTICIPATE*)



DOWNTOWN GREAT BEND
May 5, 2023 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Artist Application

<i>Name</i>	<i>Business Name?</i>	<i>Phone Number</i>	
<i>Mailing Address</i>	<i>City</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Zip</i>
<i>Type of Art you do:</i>		<i>Email Address</i>	

What type of art will you display at show? _____
How long will it take to put up your display? _____
Recommended Store? _____

Rules

- Full Information WILL BE SENT VIA EMAIL!! You must watch your email - this is the only post office mail you will get regarding store assignments!
- Registrations are not complete until a fully filled out application is received by the City of Great Bend office by 04/5/23. Please return paperwork BY **APRIL 5, 2023.**
- You must be willing to be available or in the downtown area from 4:30-7:30pm on Friday, May 5, 2023.
- After you are assigned to a store you must contact the person's name and meet with them to go see the amount of space you need and they will provide to prepare your display. The Community Coordinator will notify you of your assigned store. Please watch your email!
- If you have a store assignment request PLEASE indicate that somewhere on this form or contact the Community Coordinator with your request. We will NOT promise you a specific store!
- It is YOUR duty to get your display up and ready!
- We ask that if you participate in the event, you do not taste the wines in the store you are assigned.

Please return Application to:

City of Great Bend
Attn: Christina Hayes
1209 Williams
Great Bend, KS 67530
620-793-4111

Office Use Only	
Date Registered:	_____
Stores:	_____
Notes:	_____