

Hello to all the Common Ground Participating Artists!

Please see below for important information regarding our partners, Common Ground. If you are interested in donating to the Silent Auction, I ask that you email me, karen@theguild.org, a photo of the item you wish to donate and we will push it out on Social Media prior to the event.

I hope you will consider donating a piece for this amazing organization who works so hard to help people move from Crisis to Hope. September is National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month which is the perfect time for our Art Fair to help raise awareness and funds for their organization.

Thank You in advance for your donation and we look forward to seeing you at the show!

In Gratitude,
Karen Delhey
Executive Director
The Guild of Artists & Artisan
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Thank you for being a part of Common Ground's Birmingham Street Art Fair!

Common Ground has been helping people move from Crisis to Hope for more than 47 years. We are dedicated to serving youth, victims of crime, people with mental illness and those in critical situations.

Common Ground is a proud supporter of the arts. In fact, our Art Therapy programs provide a vital form of self-expression that aids individuals who have experienced trauma and mental health problems. We are eager to expand Expressive Art Therapy to more programs and participants, but we need your help.

The Art Fair's Silent Auction directly benefits Common Ground's programs. You can help Common Ground help others by donating a piece of your artwork to our Silent Auction. Volunteers will be collecting silent auction donations from artist booths Saturday morning, September 18. Donations will be documented and you will receive a receipt for your contribution. You can also download the in-kind donation form by [clicking here](#).

Thank you for your support of Common Ground and the arts. We look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

Jeff Kapuscinski
Director, Business Development