



Application No. _____

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IMPORTANT! PLEASE CAREFULLY READ THE MURAL GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES BEFORE COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION.

You will be notified within thirty (30) days whether the application has been accepted. After filing a complete application for a mural, it will be referred to the Visalia Mural Panel for consideration and action. The time required to process a mural application will vary but will be a maximum of 90 days from application submittal.

This MURAL APPLICATION must be filled out completely and with full answers to every statement and question. The application must be signed by the individual or group proposing the mural, the artist and the owner(s) of the property on which the mural is to be installed.

APPLICANT: Visalia Veterans Mural Restoration Foundation, Inc.

Name of Applicant: Elmer Lucas Telephone: 559-308-3029

Address of Applicant: 1623 N Norman Drive Visalia CA E-Mail Address: elonlucas7066@gmail.com

Mural site is located at: 6320 S. Mooney Blvd., Visalia, CA 93277

Present zoning of property: office commercial Present use of property: sites on property of business complex on S mooney Boulevard.

ARTIST:

Name of Mural Artist: Glen Hill Telephone: 559-690-0752

Address of Applicant: 1265 Poplar Street, Sweet Home Oregon 97385 E-Mail Address: glenhillstudio@gmail.com

PROPERTY OWNER:

Name of Property Owner: George Family Trust Telephone: 559-651-1788

Address of Property Owner: 315 E. Tulare Ave, Visalia, CA 93277 E-Mail Address: margi@oliveps.com

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1) Mural Detail - Please explain the nature of the mural including its size and materials to be used:

The WWII Greatest Generation Mural was put up in 2006 as a tribute to all the Veterans who served in WWII to include those living in Visalia. The mural consists of 36 4x8 panels that were painted by the artist Greg Hill. The mural was approved by the Visalia City Council in 2005 after many meetings and changes by the artist to comply with the Council makeup of the mural.

After 16 years facing the west and hot sun and elements, the mural has suffered extreme damage to the art work and the hardware holding it on the wall. The hardware has disintegrated and part of the mural fell off and is in storage to protect it.

We are asking to place a banner on the wall while restoration of the mural is being done to inform the public of the work being done and when to be returned. It is also to preserve the property owners appearance of the wall until work completed.

2) What is the purpose, meaning and/or significance of the proposed mural and why is it important to share with the community?

The mural was originated by the Visalia Veterans Committee to honor all the WWII Veterans who fought for our country and all the Veterans who lived in Visalia. The City Council made the mural a tribute to all the Veterans who served but it was also a great tribute to the city of Visalia citizens and the County of Tulare.

3) What is the timetable to commence and complete the subject mural?

The mural must be completed by November 28, 2023 as agreed by the landlord of the property. The start date is February 2023 by the artists and as soon as the required funding is raised to start the work.

4) Please give a brief biography of the individual(s), group(s) or organization(s) that will install the mural along with the artistic credentials of the artist who prepared the mural design:

The Visalia Veterans Committee, a 501(c)(19) organization started the project. Due to COVID for 2 years and no way to fund raise for the mural, the Committee needed to make a change in its charter and become a 501(c)(3) organization capable of raising funds from large corporations and give a tax write-off for their support. So the Committee is now the Visalia Veterans Mural Restoration Foundation, Inc. The artist Greg Hill is a highly skilled artist and the enclosures describe his work.

5) Please explain who will be responsible for the murals maintenance:

Per the City Council 2005 agreement and mural approval the Visalia Veterans Committee was responsible for all maintenance of the mural.


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Please submit one, reproducible rendering (sketch or photo) of an elevation drawing, prepared to a 1:12 scale [1"=1 ft.0"], with dimensions, accurately depicting the mural to be painted.

Please refer to the Mural Guidelines and Procedures for additional information on the approval process and requirements for installing a mural in the City of Visalia.

Mural Proposal Submitted by:

Elmer L Lucas

Signed: 

Date: 2-20-23

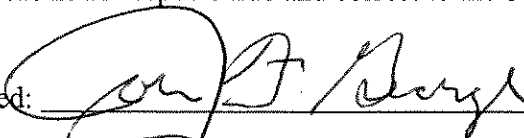
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF Tulare

CITY OF Visalia

WE, I, John F. George, Trustee of George Family Trust being duly sworn, depose and say that (we are) (I am) the owner(s) of the property (site) involved in this application and that (we) (I) have been familiarized with the rules and regulations of the City of Visalia with respect to preparing and filing this application for a mural and that the foregoing statements and answers contained in this information on the attached materials thoroughly and completely to the best of (our) (my) ability present the arguments in behalf of the application herewith requested and that the statements and information above referred to are in all respects true and correct to the best of (our) (my) knowledge and belief.

Name of Owner(s): John F. George

Signed: 

Date: 2-20-23

Return Application to:

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