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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. This 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:**

Name of Applicant: Habitat for Humanity of Tulare/Kings Counties Telephone: 559-734-4040

Address of Applicant: 637 S. Lover's Lane Visalia, CA 93292 E-Mail Address: katyk@hfhtkc.org

Mural site is located at: 637 S. Lover's Lane Visalia, CA 93292

Present zoning of property: Commercial Present use of property: Retail/offices

**ARTIST:**

Name of Mural Artist: Katy Kemalyan Telephone: 361-522-0628

Address of Applicant: 555 C. Street Lemoore, CA 93245 E-Mail Address: katyk@hfhtkc.org

**PROPERTY OWNER:**

Name of Property Owner: Habitat for Humanity of Tulare/Kings Counties Telephone: 559-734-4040

Address of Property Owner: 637 S. Lover's Lane Visalia, CA 92392 E-Mail Address: bobh@hfhtkc.org

## Mural Application

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

Our mural will be painted on the cinder-block façade of the East side, street facing wall of our Lover's Lane property. This wall measures 32'8" w x 13'h with a total square footage of 416 sq. ft. Once primed, the wall will be primed and painted blue. We will transfer our design via grid drawings. Teams of experienced artist volunteers will execute the design along with guided groups of general volunteers, overseen by mural artist Katy Kemalyan. Upon completion, the mural will be sealed with Perma-guard sealant.

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

Habitat for Humanity of Tulare/Kings Counties is the local chapter of Habitat for Humanity International. Habitat aims to ensure decent shelter for all through sustainable and transformative community development. Our goal with this mural is to refresh our building's façade, increase visibility, aid way-finding, and communicate our mission with the public. The design is based on Habitat's own logo, and signature Pantone shades of blue, gray, and green. Through images of tools, building materials, articles of the home, and locally inspired elements like poppies and giant sequoias, the design will suggest a narrative of community building and recycling.

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

Upon approval, painting will be scheduled to be complete within 20-30 days of approved start date.

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:

Katy Kemalyan is a former Kings Art Center art teacher, graduate of Southwestern University's Bachelor of Fine Arts - Painting program and is currently serving a term as an AmeriCorps Volunteer Infrastructure program at Habitat for Humanity of Tulare/Kings Counties. Part of her goal in organizing this mural is to combine her passions of community service and visual arts; large groups of volunteers from all over the Valley, coordinated by Katy will execute this mural, making it a truly community-based effort. Katy's experience in mural painting includes 4 self-designed and painted murals within Kings County as well as a dozen or so that she has helped on over the years.

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

The mural will be maintained by Habitat for Humanity of Tulare/Kings Counties; Katy Kemalyan will be contacted to repair any major vandalism.

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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:

Katy Kemalyan

Signed: Katy Kemalyan

Date: 4/24/22

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF Tulare

CITY OF Visalia

WE, I, Robert W. Hughes 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) (1) 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): Robert W. Hughes, Esq

Signed: Robert W. Hughes

Date: 4/24/22

Return Application to:

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