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MEDIA ANNOUNCEMENT – Please share

6th Annual Painted Traffic Boxes Contest Announced by the Town of Amherst (NY) Arts & Culture in Public Places Board

The Town of Amherst Arts & Culture in Public Places Board (ACPPB) proudly announces its **2025 Painted Traffic Boxes Contest**. All artists interested in making their mark in the Town of Amherst should apply! Winning artists will be selected to paint their design on one of eight traffic boxes in Amherst later this year. Wouldn't it be great to have an intersection identified by your painted traffic box design? The theme for the contest is *Amherst is Arts and Culture*.

Additional information for artists interested in participating is available by typing "traffic box" on the Town of Amherst's website (www.amherst.ny.us) then clicking the "2025 Painted Traffic Boxes Contest" button. **The deadline for design submissions is Sunday, April 6, 2025.** The ACPPB will select the winning design submissions shortly thereafter.

In the last six years, 33 boxes have been hand painted. To view them, check out the ACPPB's Town of Amherst website page at: http://tinyurl.com/PaintedTrafficBoxAmherst. A list of previously painted box locations and artists is on pages 2 and 3.

Questions? Send an email to amherstpaintedboxes@gmail.com.



Winners of the Town of Amherst's Painted Traffic Boxes Project

Main Street:

- Main St and Evan St/Garrison Rd Artist: Courtney Haeick (2022)
- Main St and Harlem Rd Artist: Abigail Penfold (2022)
- Main St and Kensington Ave Artist: Krystina Kagan (2022)
- Main St and Los Robles Artist: Jennifer Smyczynski (2022)
- Main St and N. Union Artist: Kimberly Gryckiewicz (2022)
- Main St and Young Rd Artist Jessica Tomaino (2022)
- Main St HAWK Signal Box Artist Jessica Tomaino (2023)
- Main St and Eggert Artists Patty Angrisano Ossa & Cindy Angrisano (2023)
- Main St and Spindrift Artist Becky Patterson (2024)
- Main St and Kensington Artist Katie Virag (2024)
- Main St and Campus Artist Margo Davis (2024)

Sheridan Drive (State of New York Road):

- Sheridan/Evans Artist: Dan Meyer (2019)
- Sheridan/Mill Artists: Annette Trabucco & Kim Yoerg (2019)
- Sheridan/N. Forest Artists: Patty Ossa & Cindy Rossi Angrisano (2019)
- Sheridan/N. Forest Artists: Patty Angrisano Ossa & Cindy Angrisano (2023)
- Sheridan/Youngs Artist: Ali Lazik (2024)

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Maple Road (Town of Amherst Road):

- Maple/Maplemere- Artist: Tom Asklar (2019)
- Maple/N. Forest Artist: Bob Gregg (2019)
- Maple at Maple West Elementary School Artists: Megan Doherty & Lisa Cabra (2019)
- Maple at Maple West Elementary School Artist: Courtney Zach (2023)
- Maple at MacArthur near schools and Kaleida Artist: Erica Clough on behalf of Amherst Symphony (2020)

Hopkins Road:

- Hopkins/Dodge Artist: Teri Ritz (2020)
- Hopkins/West Klein Artist: Lisa Timko (Cabra) (2020)
- Hopkins/N. French Artist: Alex Dillemuth (2023)

Youngs Road:

- Young/Klein (Basset Park) Artists: Patty Ossa & Cindy Angrisano (2020)
- Youngs/Wehrle Artist: Gina Heron (2020)

John James Audubon Parkway:

• John James Audubon/Gordon R. Yaeger - Artist: Kimberly Gryckiewicz (2023)

N. French Road:

N. French Road & Dodge - Artist: Teri Ritz (2023)

N. Forest Road:

- N. Forest Road & Heim Artist: Ali Lazik (2023)
- N. Forest Road & Union Artist: Teri Ritz (2024)
- N. Forest Road & Millersport Artist: Courtney Zach (2024)

Sweet Home Road:

• Sweet Home Road & Rensch - Artist: Kim Gryckiewicz (2024)

Garrison Road:

 Garrison Road & Lehn Springs - Artists: Patty Angrisano Ossa & Cindy Angrisano (2024)



Submit a design to compete to paint a Town of Amhert traffic box in 2025

here: http://tinyurl.com/PaintedTrafficBoxAmherst

Submission deadline 4/6/2025



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