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Dear Art Supporter:

We live in one of the greatest places on earth. Why should we drive to another town for our art experiences?! That's why Murray Arts Council was created.

MAC's mission is simple: "to create, nurture and support the arts in all its forms in Murray County and provide creative outlets for artists, students and art lovers of all ages." Since 2012, that is exactly what we have been doing!

To those of you who have donated your time, presence and money, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts!! You are making great things happen! AND...Our board is 100% volunteer, so all the money we raise goes only to arts programming/supplies.

Without adequate funding and PEOPLE, Murray Arts Council cannot continue to move forward. And a community without concerts in the park, art exhibits, art classes and community stage productions is not what most of us want Murray to be. Plus, we have identified and provided a platform (and a STAGE!) for so many talented people in our community....artists, craftspeople, singers, musicians, dancers and actors!

On the enclosed page, we have listed a few of the things we've done in the past year, as well as those we PLANNED to do but were cancelled because of COVID. Additionally, COVID-related issues have resulted in some of our grant resources being unavailable to us (and many others!) in 2020-21, so increasing our supporter base is even more important now.

JOIN....VOLUNTEER....TEACH....TAKE A CLASS....PARTICIPATE!

We hope that you will not only support us but also come and VOLUNTEER!

We are taking stock to determine our future direction. Below, is a link to an online survey we'd love for you to take to give us your input. We need ideas and people....to attend events and classes, teach classes, lead special interest groups, etc. Our survey can be accessed at the link below or the QR code at the bottom right – just scan it with your phone camera!

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZZBFKC6>

Please consider being a supporter – individual and/or business. Simply fill out the enclosed membership/support form or complete online at our website:

<https://murray-arts.com/support-volunteer/>

We look forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,

Lori, Pat, Michelle, Jessica, Jim, Julie and Vic

