

Denver Art Society

Compliance Statement

Denver Art Society - a 501c3 nonprofit - is an all inclusive, all accessible, volunteer run public community art space at the heart of the Art District on Santa Fe in Denver - an arts/cultural district in the La Alma/Lincoln Park neighborhood with rich culture and deep Latinx roots, and today a diverse population.

We provide affordable studios to local artists, a 4,000 sqft gallery to our Exhibiting Artist Program - based on volunteer hours, community engagement, and a suggested donation - and a performance stage to local musicians.

Denver Art Society hosts a creative community where people of all backgrounds can view, learn about, and exhibit art in all forms in a professional setting. An artist coop for local artists by local artists, with roughly 60 members displaying their work.

Our Exhibiting Artists Program is all inclusive and all accessible, we do not interview or have any selection process for the wall space. If you participate in the community - attend monthly meetings, volunteer 6hrs a month - you get space to hang your art. This ensures we eliminate any barriers of entry into the Denver art scene for local artists, new and emerging artists, minority artists, veterans, artists with disabilities, artists experiencing homelessness, artists from marginalized groups and low income households.

We connect our members to a thriving artist community, as well as the general public interested in viewing art, learning about art, and supporting local artists by promoting and purchasing their art.

Mission Statement

Denver Art Society's mission is to sustain the local community through the arts by:

- (1) Erasing barriers to entry into the Denver art and music scene for local artists, new and emerging artists, minority artists, veterans, artists with disabilities, artists experiencing homelessness, artists from marginalized groups and low income households;
- (2) Connecting our members to a thriving artist community;
- (3) Connecting our members to the general public interested in viewing art, learning about art, and supporting local artists by promoting and purchasing their art.

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