

Project Information

The Shire of Boddington is seeking an artist or artists to submit a quotation to create a number of permanent Mural Art installations in the Boddington town centre. This Request for Quotation is the first in an anticipated series. The work(s) will contribute to an attractive streetscape, and it is expected that the art will link conceptually and/or visually to Boddington, its flora, fauna, and history.

Project Background

The Boddington Town Centre Revitalisation Plan was endorsed by Council in July 2023. One of the aims of the Plan is to increase the vibrancy of the town centre. In accordance with the Plan's recommendations, multiple sites for public art have been identified. Two of these sites, as well as one additional site, have been identified as the priority for initial installations.

Learn more about the Town Centre Revitalisation Plan

<https://www.boddington.wa.gov.au/council/projects/town-centre-revitalisation-project.aspx> .

Due Date

Quotations are to be submitted on or before Monday 18 March, 2024.

Artist Brief

1. Concept Theme

The proposed concept must be original and must not contain business logos, advertising material, or imagery that is offensive, nor is it to be seen to promote anti-social behaviour or political bias. The specific themes for each site are:

1. Bannister Road Toilet Block – Landscape
2. Boddington Fire Shed – Boddingtons Volunteers or Boddingtons History (including Cultural Heritage)
3. Wuraming Avenue Toilet Block - Landscape

Artists whose work in any way engages Aboriginal histories, themes, ideas or design elements will be required to adequately consult with the local Aboriginal community.

2. Project delivery

The artist(s) will be responsible for:

- The cost of all materials and labour
- Installation
- Meetings as required to progress the project
- Participation in media and other publicity opportunities

3. Project timelines

18 March 2024	Quotations due
31 March 2024	Successful artist/s notified
April - May 2024	Workshop and Concept development
May - July 2024	Installation

4. Quotation Detail Requirements

Quotations are to be submitted to shire@boddington.wa.gov.au .

Proposals may be submitted for one or more of the listed sites. Applicants are requested to submit:

- a) Artist CV
- b) Examples of previous work
- c) A short response to this Brief, including confirmation of the ability to meet timeframes,

- or detailing an alternative schedule.
- d) An outline of the proposed concept for the location/s (maximum 200 words)
- e) Quotation for
 - o Community workshop to inform draft design
 - o Design
 - o Installation
- f) Detail regarding any preparation works required to be undertaken by the Shire

Proposals are to be provided in pdf format.

4.3 Assessment Criteria

- a) Relevant experience in the design and delivery of similar public artwork
- b) Suitability of artist style to the location/s
- c) Capacity to deliver key milestones on time

More information

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Location





Extract from Town Centre Revitalisation Plan



Site Detail

Site 1	Bannister Road Toilet Block
Surface:	Brick
Dimensions:	7.2m L x 2.7 metres H
Area:	19.5 m2
<p>This site is directly adjacent to the Shire Administration, on the main street. It will be highly visible following the mural completion, as the current landscaping is proposed to be replaced with smaller species.</p> 	

Site 1	Boddington Fire Shed
Surface:	Colourbond steel
Dimensions:	23.7 L x 4.8 – 5 metres H
Area:	116 m2
<p>This site is highly visible from the main street, although set back approximately 50 metres. It is currently the home of the Boddington Fire Brigade.</p> 	

Site 3	Wuraming Avenue Toilet Block
Surface:	Brick (rendered)
Dimensions:	7.7m L x 2 metres H
Area:	15.5 m2
<p>This site is directly adjacent to the award winning Hotham Park, and the Hotham River. The toilet block is currently being refurbished, and will be rendered as a part of this upgrade, ready for mural art.</p> 