

SAINT JOHN ARTS CENTRE

Presentation to City of Saint John Common Council March 25, 2019





SJAC'S MISSION STATEMENT

The Saint John Arts Centre advances the culture and economy of Saint John, by providing critical infrastructure for the growth and development of the arts.

By incubating and developing talent, the Arts Centre strengthens our community by fostering connections and collaboration, locally and beyond.



SJAC Mural Project

The Saint John Arts Centre is seeking permission from Saint John Common Council to have a bright and exciting mural painted on a portion of the Carnegie Building.



South Wall

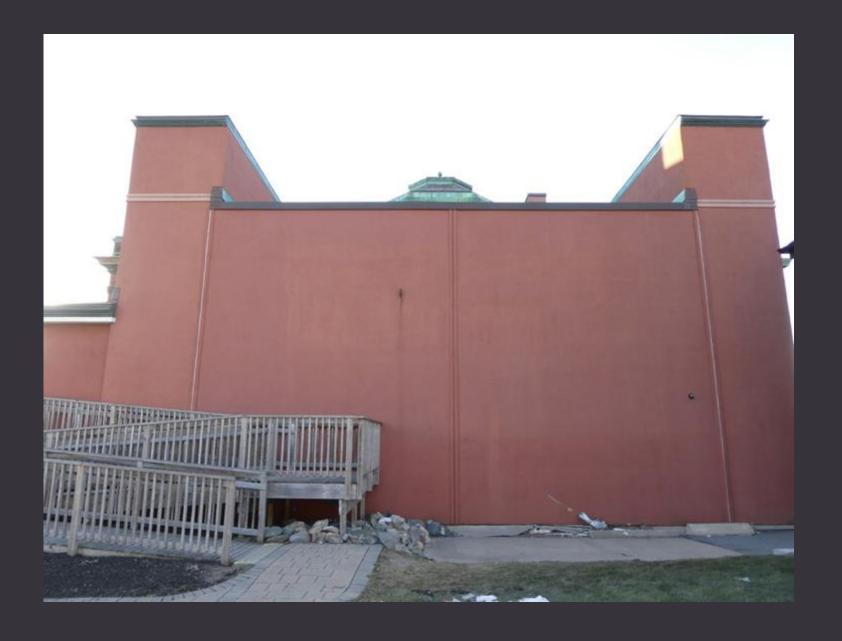
Facing the Police Station





East Wall

Facing Cooke Aquaculture





North Wall

Facing the parking lot





Surface texture

This is a non-heritage material which was used in the building restoration in the mid 1980's





Mural Artist Uber5000





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Benefits

- To draw tourists and locals to the Arts Centre/Peel Plaza.
- To create a new Iconic image that will help to brand SJAC & the City.
- To encourage photo opportunities.
- To help identify where the Arts Centre is.
- To make a bold statement about what we do.
- To become a catalyst for arts discussion.



Public Art

Because the mural would be painted on a public building, this painting would be considered to be a piece of public art.

- SJAC would be responsible for any repairs during the life time of the mural.
- It is understood that outdoor murals are not expected to last beyond 7 -10 years.
- At that time, the SJAC would be responsible for finding a solution to cover or replace the mural.



Final thoughts

- SJAC is not seeking funding assistance from the city for this project.
- We are seeking to partner with a number organizations and businesses.
- The preferred dateline is June 2019. However, if funding can not be secured this year then it would proceed in 2020.



Thank you









