### **BOX ARTIST PARTICIPATION DETAILS:**

# **IMPORTANT DATES:**

- Box return dates ......Sunday, July 11, 5-7, Monday, July 12 and Tuesday, 13, 2021, 11 - 2
- We need a full 10 days to photograph and upload all of the boxes and artist statements to our website. If you do not return your finished boxes at one of those times it will just makes things more difficult and confusing for us.
- Show dates.....July 24, 2020 September 11, 2021
- Opening Event ...... Sunday, July 25, 2021, 3 to 5 pm

## **BOX MAKING RULES**

- 1. With a few caveats (below) Artists can do anything to the box, but it (not an image of it) must be included in the final work. Also please write one page about your Box for the Box Story binder available in the Gallery during the Show and for inclusion on our website. Write about creating it, or about the story it tells, or your inspiration, or ...
- 2. FINISHED WORK OF ART NOT TO EXCEED 30" IN WIDTH and 48" IN HEIGHT
- 3. Finished box must weigh less than 20 pounds
- 4. No live animals or plants/flowers.
- 5. No toxic smelling materials.
- 6. Box cannot be altered or taken apart during the show.
- 7. **Batteries have been very problematic in the past**. Please wire your Box if it is to be lit or has motorized parts.
- 8. Put hanging hardware on the back of your Box for wall installation.
- 9. No advertising or self-promotion on the Box.
- 10. Boxes must be made by a person 16 years of age or older.
- 11. No overtly violent imagery

# PLEASE TAKE SIZE INTO CONSIDERATION:

Not only is wall space limited with 150 pieces to show, we have extremely limited storage space and we struggle to store large Boxes that are waiting to be picked up by their buyers. Transporting or mailing a large Box can also be challenging.

## THANK YOU!

## **RETURNING YOUR BOX TO THE GALLERY**

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### PLEASE BRING:

1. Two slips of paper (=/- 1/4 of a sheet of letter sized paper) with the following information:

Your name as you would like it displayed in the show

Phonetic spelling of your name if can easily be mispronounced

Title of box

One will stay with your box, the other used for data entry

2. Printed Artist Statement - This one will stay in the gallery

We will give you 15 postcards each for you to send out. They require a letter stamp.

# PLEASE EMAIL TO boxshow@galleryrouteone.org

- 1. Artist Statement (for uploading to our website)
- 2. Photos of your work in progress for Social Media, please send to **boxshow@galleryrouteone.org and cc : rob.corder@sbcglobal.net**Rob Corder is a board member and is heading up GRO social media.

# JUNE 9 AND 23 ZOOM SERIES FOR BOX SHOW ARTISTS, hosted by Vickisa

Experienced Box artists share their past work and process in this series that was popular last year. Participating and exact time ( late PM) TBD

You will be donating your Box to Gallery Route One for the Box Show. As GRO is a 501(c)(3) non-profit, you are entitled to an income tax deduction for costs of materials to the extent allowed by law. The Box itself will become the property of the Gallery. All proceeds benefit Gallery Route One, a non-profit artist-run gallery, and our outreach programs. In addition to the creative outlet this provides to 150 artists, this is GRO's big fundraiser for the year, and we really appreciate your good work!!! QUESTIONS? Email boxshow@gro.org or call (415) 663-1347.