# Call for Entries: New England Sculptors Association in Partnership with the Town of Burlington Sculpture Park



This is supporting information for a CALL FOR ENTRIES for a new sculpture park to be created in the town center. The location is a small field just to the left of the Grandview Farm, at 55 Center Street. Google Map link: https://goo.gl/maps/sbZcvSJ7bZVnx84x9

#### Schedule

Call announced: Entry deadline: Notice of Acceptance:

Delivery of Work: Installation and Opening:

De-Install Date:

November 27 2019 January 17, 2020

On or Before March 20. 2020

June 2020 June 2020 June 2022







### **General Guidelines:**

- This is the first phase in creating a sculpture park in Burlington so we are looking for visually accessible works that will delight viewers of all ages.
- Works will be shown for two years with a stipend starting at \$2,500.
- Sculptors will need to deliver works as part of their stipend budget.
- The Town wishes to have a purchase option for each work.
- Works will be outdoors, but not to be lighted at night, although lighting might be added at a later date.
- Works must be safe for visitors to approach them.
- Each work will have a plaque stating name of sculptor and in some cases of stipend donor.
- The works will be arranged in a group within the field shown at left.
- The public will be encouraged to walk among the works.
- Town insurance will cover damage to works up to \$50,000 and liability to the public.
- Chosen applicants will be required to become members of NESA. You will be accepted by NESA without the normal jury process.
- NESA will receive 10% of the stipend for two-year placement and 25% for works purchased.
- Apply for NESA membership here: www.nesculptors.org/newmemberform

## **Creative Guidelines:**

- Works should not exceed 12 feet in height, although special cases may be allowed.
- Works will be placed on the ground rather than on concrete bases and need to have their own base.
- It should be understood that this is a town-sponsored exhibit, so the work should be thought of in terms of a small town center, rather than art museum.
- There is no specific theme so as to welcome a wide variety of subjects and styles.
- Works in all media will be welcome.
- Colorful works will be welcome.
- Interactive (but safe) works will be welcome.
- Kinetic (but safe) works will be welcome.
- Politicized work will not be welcome.

### **For More Information:**

- Contact NESA at www.nesculptors.org/contact
- Learn more about the Burlington Sculpture Park via the website: www. art4burlington.org.