

## When designing your artwork, you're encouraged to consider the following themes:

- Stormwater Pollution: "Only Rain Down the Drain"
- Environmental Protection: Why clean water is important for everyone
- James River/Lynchburg Ecosystem: Local wildlife/habitat, natural beauty
- The history of the Fifth Street Historic District

Your design should include a message or phrase that references one or more of the above.

## Designs must also adhere to the following criteria:

- Use the attached template to propose design concepts. Be mindful that some changes to your design may be required to accommodate the specific location. We ask that you do not paint outside of the drain onto the sidewalk. However, your design may stretch onto the asphalt by 12".
- If there is a particular storm drain that you would like for your design, please let us know in your application. (Reference: Storm Drain Art Locations Map)
- Each storm drain is made of concrete with a metal manhole cover on top. The shape of the drain is a rectangle. There are two different drain sizes. Four of the drains measure 156" long x 34" wide; two of the drains measure 108" long x 34" wide. If you would like a specific drain size, please mention it in your submission form.
- Designs must be painted on the area surrounding the drain and must also incorporate the manhole itself.
- Designs may not contain any business promotions or advertisements.
- Designs may not include any breach of intellectual property, brands or trademarks, or depictions of illegal activity.
- Designs may not incorporate any physical objects attached to the drains.
- Designs must be public friendly with no vulgar or lewd language or representations.
- If the final design differs greatly from the proposed design, the City of Lynchburg reserves the right to remove the artwork.





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