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CALL TO ARTISTS - Pace Trails Public Art Project RFP

County Parks will select an artist to create a site-specific public art piece for the Pace Trails Project in Felton, California.

The Pace Trail Construction Project will expand the existing 4.5-mile Quail Hollow Ranch trail network by connecting to the Pace property with a half-mile Access Trail, finally opening public access to the property. The project will also create a two-mile Loop Trail, rewarding hikers with amazing viewpoints, majestic oak trees, sandhills habitat, and a stunted redwood grove.

The proposed site-specific artwork should enhance the experience of Pace Trail hikers with imagery that reflects the area's unique habitat, plants, and animals. The budget for the project is \$4,900.

A "Call to Artists" including detailed information about the RFP process, trail map/potential art locations, images, and a sample contract are available at: https://parks.santacruzcountyca.gov/Home/AboutUs/WorkWithUs/CalltoArtists.aspx.

The deadline for submitting a proposal is December 12, 2025.