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### **CityArt Walking Sculpture Tour Prepares for New Sculptures**

MANKATO, Minn. (April 10, 2019) — Early in the morning on Saturday, April 20, volunteers from the CityArt Walking Sculpture Tour, a program of the City Center Partnership and Twin Rivers Council for the Arts, will remove the current sculptures to prepare the bases for the ninth installation of the public art tour. Twenty-six new sculptures are slated to arrive in the City Center of Mankato and North Mankato on Saturday, May 11.

CityArt is an exciting exhibit of outdoor sculptures displayed year-round in the City Centers of Mankato and North Mankato. Local, regional and national artists submit their sculptures to CityArt in the fall and selected sculptures are installed in May and exhibited in the program for nearly one year. During that time, the sculptures are eligible for various artistic awards and prizes and are also promoted to the public for sale or lease. For additional information, please visit [cityartmankato.com](http://cityartmankato.com).

#### **About City Center Partnership**

City Center Partnership, a downtown development organization, is a business unit of Greater Mankato Growth, Inc. (GMG) which includes the chamber of commerce and economic development organization, Greater Mankato Growth, the local convention and visitor's bureau, Visit Mankato and GreenSeam, which utilizes agriculture to build on the region's extensive agribusiness assets to develop ag economy.

#### **About Twin Rivers Council for the Arts**

Twin Rivers Council for the Arts is a collaborative alliance of local arts and cultural organizations, individual artists, and community members who share a vision for the arts in Greater Mankato. Twin Rivers Council for the Arts serves as a unifying voice, advocating for and connecting arts groups to the community by providing services and shared resources to affiliate members throughout southern Minnesota. For more information visit [twinriversarts.org](http://twinriversarts.org).

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