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MTA A-R-T PROGRAM TO CONDUCT WORKSHOPS TO INFORM ARTISTS ABOUT HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN AGENCY'S PUBLIC ART PROJECTS

Artists interested in finding out how to take part in the various public art opportunities available as part of MTA's rail construction program can attend one of five free workshops to be conducted by MTA's A-R-T Program in the coming weeks.

The workshops, to be held at locations throughout the county, will feature a slide presentation of recently completed commissions showing how different artists have addressed characteristics of the Metro Rail stations on which they worked.

The workshops will be held at the following locations:

- **Wednesday, November 16 -- Self Help Graphics, 3802 Cesar Chavez Avenue, Los Angeles, 6:30 p.m., (213) 264-1259.**
- **Thursday, November 17 -- Korean Youth and Community Center, 680 S. Wilton Place, Los Angeles, 6:30 p.m., (213) 365-7400.**
- **Thursday, December 1 -- Art in the Park, 5568 Via Marisol, Los Angeles, 6:30 p.m., (213) 485-4474.**
- **Thursday, December 8 -- Watts Towers Art Center, 1727 E. 107th Street, Los Angeles, 6:30 p.m., (213) 847-4646.**
- **Wednesday, December 14 -- 18th Street Art Complex, 1639 18th Street, Santa Monica, 6:30 p.m., (310) 453-3711.**

MTA policy allocates one-half of 1 percent of Metro Rail construction costs to the creation of art. For more information on the A-R-T Program, call (213) 244-6408.

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