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Legal First Name:

Vanessa

Legal Last Name:

Shive

Artist Name (if different):

No answer given

Preferred Language:

English



Art Vendor Information

Contact Information

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The Art Vendor Advisory Committee will only screen two crafts per meeting. If you want to screen for additional crafts, you will need to complete a new application after you have been approved for two. How many crafts are you applying for? Example: Beaded jewelry and watercolor paintings on canvas are two crafts;

I am applying for only one craft



ceramic pendants and ceramic bowls are one craft (Ceramic items)

Please list your one craft item to be screened:

Art Prints

Are you a current art vendor adding an additional craft?

No

A family unit is two (2) or more persons jointly engaged in the creation of an art or craft item. Is this an application for a Family Unit?

No

Artist Biography (Please provide a short biography about yourself and your craft):

As an Ecuadorian illustrator and visual artist living in the Bay Area, my artwork draws inspiration from the rich tapestry of the Latino community, capturing an essence through a "costumbrista" and whimsical lens of magical realism. My work is characterized by vibrant color, experimentation and texture. By representing my community through my art, I aim to create a sense of connection, pride and celebration. My practice spans illustration, art installations, murals, and live drawing events, bringing my work off the page and into shared spaces where community can gather, see itself reflected, and celebrate.

1. Describe the items you plan to sell and how each type of item is made. Please be as detailed as possible. Example: I plan to sell digital photographic prints of artwork that I designed in Illustrator and printed on cardstock using a home printer.

I plan to sell art prints I made with Photoshop and screen printing. I use different methods for art creation (additionally watercolor & acrylics)but the end result will be a paper print.a

2. Where did you learn your craft? Did you take a class or learn on your own?

I have an undergraduate and master's degree from Academy of Art

Please provide up to two (2) images of your craft in process. The images should include you demonstrating your process. See an example here

Screenshot 2026-06-06 at 8.07.47PM.png

Please provide up to two (2) images of your finalized craft. The images should show examples of what you plan to sell. See an example here

Screenshot 2026-06-06 at 8.10.49PM.png

Please provide an image of your workspace that includes the equipment and materials used in your craft. See an example here.

Screenshot 2026-06-06 at 8.13.58PM.png

Additionally, artists may upload a video (up to five minutes) of their process. See an example video here.

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4. Is your craft considered an American Indian or Alaskan Native style, traditional or contemporary, arts and crafts? Do you identify as a member of the community that practices this cultural tradition? Are you compliant with The Indian Arts and Crafts Act of 1990?

No

5. What makes your work different from other artists and craftspeople making similar items?

My heritage and how I bridge latino identity with living in the city

(Optional) Please provide an artist CV or Résumé:

No answer given

(Optional) Please provide any Letters of Recommendation from other markets or studios you may have:

No answer given

6. What artist or business name are you operating under?

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7. Do you have a website, Etsy, Instagram or any other publicly accessible online store or social media account?

Yes

If Yes, please provide links to your public sites: **@vnssash_art_**

If Yes, please provide links to your public sites: **https://vanessashiveart.etsy.com**

If Yes, please provide links to your public sites: *No answer given*

(Optional) Please upload your logo or signage. *No answer given*

(Optional) Please upload your image of display *No answer given*

8. Does your artwork comply with all federal, state, and local laws and ordinance, including, if necessary, lawful authority to use logos or other images protected by Copyright or Trademark laws?

Yes

9. Are you using any sports or company logos such as SF Giants or other recognizable branding that is not your own?

No

10. How are you ensuring customers can tell a difference between your work and commercial or mass-produced items?

Yes

11. What steps have you taken to ensure that you are not violating any copyright or other laws?

I create my own original artwork based on my own experiences and photographic references. I also copyright my artwork which has to be approved by Library of Congress

12. REQUIRED Please upload Please upload recent receipts for any tools and materials. Receipts must be for the same tools and materials used to create the items in the work samples you provide. Receipts must show that the materials were shipped to you/your address. See an example here. Optionally, you can upload images of your workspace. The image of your workspace must include the equipment and materials used in your craft. Receipts and/or images of your materials used in the production of your craft are required for approval. You will not receive a license until you have provided this information.

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13. If you are unable to provide a copy of your receipt, please provide the reason you are unable to do so

No answer given

14. Describe the safety procedures you use in your craft. What, if any, safety equipment do you use? How do you store and handle any toxic or hazardous material?

I use dedicated labs for screen printing that take care of toxic and hazardous material. If I have any oil materials to dispose of I take them to the Recology Location in 501 Tunnel Ave., San Francisco, CA 94134











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Order placed May 13, 2026

Order #

Item(s) Subtotal:	\$17.80
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Estimated tax to be collected:	\$1.54
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Re: Art Vendor Program Application – Additional Materials Requested

From Vanessa S. [REDACTED]
Date Mon 6/22/2026 1:34 PM
To Art Vendors <art_vendors@sfgov.org>

 1 attachment (3 MB)
digitalprints.jpg;

This message is from outside the City email system. Do not open links or attachments from untrusted sources.

Hello Art Vendor Team,

I hope this message finds you well.

- *Images of the completed items you plan to sell.*
I've attached a photo to this email of the finalized prints. I add a plastic sleeve to the digital prints;
- *More details about your screenprints. Specifically, please clarify whether you are selling original screenprints or digital prints of your artwork. If they are digital prints, please indicate the material they are printed on (for example, cardstock, photo paper, or another medium).*
I plan on selling digital prints based of my artwork. I work on a variety of mediums such as screen printing, digital painting, oil painting and acrylic painting.
- *An image or short video of yourself creating your artwork that clearly shows your face. This helps verify that you are the artist making the items you intend to sell and is strongly recommended for the review process*

I've attached a short video to this email of me showing my face and working on a new piece to this email. You can find more process videos here:

<https://www.instagram.com/reel/DXlQqknjzms/?igsh=NTc4MTlwNjQ2YQ==>
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<https://www.tiktok.com/t/ZTBv5yG4q/>
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Please let me know if you have any additional questions!

Cheers,

Vanessa

 ProcessVideo.MOV

Portfolio: <https://www.vanessashive.com>

Contact: me@vaneshive.com



On Fri, Jun 12, 2026 at 2:53 PM Art Vendors <art_vendors@sfgov.org> wrote:

Hi Vanessa,

Thank you for your interest in the Art Vendor Program.

Your application is scheduled to be reviewed by the Advisory Committee of Street Artists on **Wednesday, July 1, 2026.**

To assist with the review process, we kindly ask that you provide the following additional information:

- Images of the completed items you plan to sell.
- More details about your screenprints. Specifically, please clarify whether you are selling original screenprints or digital prints of your artwork. If they are digital prints, please indicate the material they are printed on (for example, cardstock, photo paper, or another medium).
- An image or short video of yourself creating your artwork that clearly shows your face. This helps verify that you are the artist making the items you intend to sell and is strongly recommended for the review process.

Please email these materials to us by June 22, 2026.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out. We look forward to reviewing your application.

Sincerely,



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