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BC Arts Council

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Dear BC Arts Council,

I am writing to get funding for this project - Arts-Based Community Development. I drew 9 landscape paintings about my hometown, which show the beauty of my hometown.

Project Title:

Title: "Scenic Huzhou: Landscapes and Traditional Chinese Architecture by Panming Li"

Category: Arts-Based Community Development

Project Description:

All my projects are about the beauty of my hometown's landscapes. One part is watercolor, and the other is acrylic.

- 1. Reflection: one watercolor painting is from the water rural area in the South of Yangzi water in Huzhou, and the other is the traditional arch bridge building in the south of the lower reaches of the Yangzi River.
- 2. Hui-Style: the watercolor paintings are from the water rural area in the South of Yangzi water in Huzhou, the unique view of Huizhou architecture. There is also a

watercolor painting of a traditional Chinese architectural pavilion that reflects the traditional Chinese style.

- 3. Lotus: lotus flower and lotus leaf, which has an ancient beauty.
- 4. Boat: a traditional boat is a symbol of water rural area in the south of Yangzi water in Huzhou.
- 5. Sunset Glow: Acrylic Painting is a sunset with a fisherman fishing on the water.
- 6. Bamboo: the bamboo inside the Four Great Gentleman Flowers is surrounded by many bamboos beside the pavilion.
- 7. Waterfall: waterfall and a bridge made of wood.
- 8. Orchid: acrylic painting depicts orchids, which is also one of the Four Great Gentlemen, and its appearance in Spring.
- 9. Plum: The acrylic painting is plum blossoms, and a black-covered boat floats on the water. This boat is a traditional water transport in my hometown.

Project Goals and Objectives:

My paintings want everyone to see the beauty of my hometown's traditional architecture and history.

Grant Request and Budget:

For this project, I'm requesting a \$700 grant to pay for the equipment, supplies, and display space. These funds will be used to:

1. Acrylic Painting Supplies: \$200

2. Exhibition space: \$350

3. Watercolor Painting Supplies: \$150

I believe "Landscape Huzhou" can immerse visitors in the natural beauty and cultural heritage of Huzhou, inspiring them to appreciate and protect the environment.

I appreciate you considering my application, and I'd be pleased to provide further details and documents.

Sincerely yours,

Panming Li