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Once again, The Historic Las Vegas Art Studio Tour has displayed the extraordinary work of talented local artists to visitors from all over the state, and beyond. The steering committee and many others worked hard to make the studio tour a success, and the team is still tying up loose ends before the final report is written.

We thank everyone who participated...showing, shopping, promoting, sharing with friends, whatever! We all have invested a great deal in the effort over the last three years, and it has been appreciated. Your efforts haven't just reflected the artists involved...they energized the art community, supported the business community, and drew tourists to Las Vegas as an arts destination. The success of the studio tour is important to everyone.

It's been a month, and we hope you have had a chance to give some thought to the future of the Tour. **Jane Warsaw has decided that it's time for her to pass the baton to another, and the steering committee needs to begin meeting to plan soon for 2017.** There are numerous possibilities, including changing dates, an Art Tour with less emphasis on studios; adding public art sites--our murals, sculpture, and architecture; adding film, theatre, music, dance and other arts; and combining with other events. **What do you think, and what is your level of interest in planning, organizing, marketing, and executing another studio tour?**

If there is sufficient interest and support, we will facilitate the next steps, but we really need to know...is there?

- 1. Are you interested?**
- 2. Will you help in some way?**

We need to hear from you now. Please [email](#) or call (505-425-1085) and leave a message in the next week, before November 20—that's a week! We hope to hear from you, but whatever the decision, we appreciate all that you have contributed to all that has been accomplished. Thank you for all you have done. We believe that arts and culture—the efforts of the artists, performers, musicians, actors, writers, and their teachers and cheerleaders—you are the heart and soul of our community. Hooray for you!

Very best and warmest regards,

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