



Theme: Planting our Garden

Gardens are a wonderful metaphor for growing communities. We care for gardens in much the same way that we care for each other. We plant seeds, tend to young shoots, feed them, nurture them while enjoying their flourishing blossoms. Gardens not only engage our senses with their colours, scents and sounds, they also support our pollinators and nourish our environment.



Here are some key words to help you plan for your 2025 street banner design: pollinators (bees, birds, butterflies), gardens (flower, rock or meditation), flowers, vegetables and fruit, house plants, orchards, fields.



Banner Design Specifications

Originality: All entries must be your original design.

Content: For 2025, we are trying a different artistic approach for the banners by limiting the colour palette to **four colours**. This modified palette is meant to encourage a playful and imaginative interpretation of the theme:



Designs may be outlined in black. Do not blend colours, use shading techniques, or use blank/white space in your design

Submission format: Your design must be submitted in colour and must fit into a rectangle, measuring 8.5cm wide by 14.7cm tall. This format is necessary to project your design onto a street banner. If your design is chosen, we will enlarge and outline your design on the street banner prior to your painting session. Your design should be considered finished artwork and coloured in the manner you intend to paint the banner. Simple designs using bold, solid colours are the most effective.

Submission details: Completed entry forms will be accepted at the reception desks at Port Moody City Hall (100 Newport Drive) or the Recreation Complex (300 loco Road), the Finance drop box at the rear of City Hall (100 Newport Drive), or emailed to communityartscoordinator@portmoody.ca. Design submissions become the property of the City of Port Moody.

Do you need more information on this program?

604.469.4760

communityartscoordinator@portmoody.ca

1. Draw your banner here, using these four colours:

light green purple red orange

Top

Bottom

Complete both pages of this form!



2. Complete this entry form:

Title of Artwork:	
Name:	Address:
City:	Postal Code:
Phone:	Email:
Banner painting age category: <input type="checkbox"/> General <input type="checkbox"/> Under age 13*	
Picking up your banner: Painted banners may be picked-up by artist. Banners will be available for pick-up after November 30, 2025. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes , I intend to keep my banner. <input type="checkbox"/> No , I don't intend to keep my banner. My banner may be used by the City for non-commercial and municipal purposes only.	

3. Sign the declaration of banner artist:

- I understand that if the jury selects my banner design in the fall of 2024, I must attend the Banner Painting Festival on January 18–19, 2025 to paint my banner. The festival is held in the Port Moody City Hall Galleria, located at 100 Newport Drive, Port Moody.
- To identify my banner I will legibly sign the bottom right-hand corner of the banner sleeve.
- I understand that I may pick-up my painted banner, at no cost, after November 30, 2025.
- I understand that City staff, contractors and volunteers are not liable for any loss or damage to my banner sustained by reason of accident or incident, occurring in or about their premises, or during display. I waive any claim I may have with respect to any loss or damage to my banner design and/or banner created under this application.
- I understand that I authorize the City of Port Moody, for non-commercial and municipal purposes only, the right to use a digital image of my banner design for promotion of its StreetArts Banner Program and Public Art program.
- I declare that the entry is my own original design.

Name (please print):
Signature:

4. If needed*, sign the declaration of an adult supervisor for children under age 13:

- I declare that the entry submitted is an original design by the child named above, and that I will accompany the child during the banner painting session and assist, as necessary, to ensure that the banner is completed.
- I give consent for my child's name to be collected and used by the City of Port Moody for the purpose of the administering the 2025 Community Banner Painting Festival.

Name (please print):
Signature:



Submit your design by 4pm on Friday, October 11, 2024 at the reception desks at Port Moody City Hall (100 Newport Drive) or the Recreation Complex (300 loco Road), the Finance drop box at the rear of City Hall (100 Newport Drive), or email your design to communityartscordinator@portmoody.ca.