



## **Jury Application and Guidelines**

Thank you for your interest in becoming a branch on our Tree and part of the Finding Roots Family. We look forward to seeing your creative work.

### **How do I sell my Art at Finding Roots:**

Finding Roots reserves the right to jury all creations that are wanting representation within the shop. The jury panel consists of Finding Roots Owners and sometimes invited artists chosen for their experience and understanding. Finding Roots welcomes all artful creations that are made in Michigan, however, preference is given to Livingston County residents as Finding Roots is a LOCAL handmade only shop!

The Jury process is done by email or dropping off a small sample of the art product. This is used to determine whether work submitted is appropriate for Finding Roots. You will then be contacted by email/phone.

Creative work will be evaluated on whether it is nature based, upcycled-recycled, the level of craftsmanship, individuality of design, customer appeal, marketability and over all flow within the shop. All work must be original and HAND-MADE by the applicant.

### **Jury Process:**

Please include the following items to complete the Jury Process:

- Email or drop off: Four to six digital images of your work /or/ a small sampling of creations (note: All creations submitted should be in its finished form, presented as it would be for sale and marked with its retail price)
- A Finding Roots Jury Application

*Candidates will be contacted by email or by telephone within a 2 week time period.*

### **Jury Completion:**

Once an Artist is through our Jury Process, we ask that you professionally respect Finding Roots decision as Finding Roots will respect all creative work that enters the shop. Artists will either:

1. Be notified that their creations would be better suited in a different venue.
2. Be notified to return to Finding Roots to complete an Artist Contract.

We Thank You for thinking Finding Roots would be a great place to highlight your creations. We are very excited to see what you have MADE!

Peace and Love~

Tirzah and Lisa

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# Finding Roots Jury Application

**Name:**

**Business name:**

**Address:**

**Phone:**

**Email:**

Please check the category in which you are applying to be juried:

Non-Traditional Oil/Acrylic/Watercolor

Jewelry

Leather

Glass

Furniture

Music

Wood

Mixed Media

Paper

Photography

Fiber

Health/Wellness Products

Clay/Pottery

Metal

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Clothing

Personal Care Products

Please answer the following questions. You may attach another sheet for your answers, if desired.

1. Describe your techniques or processes and the materials used to create your products.
2. What are your design sources?
3. Do you create all components of your work? Are you the sole creator?
4. What makes your work unique?
5. Do you use local raw materials or products when creating your works?
6. What is your retail price range?
7. List the other venues your Art can be found.

We look forward to reviewing your Art!

