



Proposed MBA Mural to be located on the side of Gelsosomo's Pizzeria at the intersection of Rts. 67 and 136, adjacent to the Amtrak Station and Chandler Park. Residents and visitors alike will enjoy this stunning expression of the Macomb community's beauty and town spirit.

All over America, the walls of private and public buildings are blossoming out with colorful, life-affirming images celebrating the history and natural beauty of their surrounding communities.

Macomb already has some excellent examples of this vibrant art form: for example, the murals on the walls of the Western Illinois Museum, the Old Dairy restaurant, and the Palm Springs Bottled Water Company.

To recognize Macomb Beautiful Association's 50th Anniversary, the organization plans to give to the City a mural emphasizing the natural beauty and heritage of the community. The mural will depict indigenous flowers, trees, birds and swarms of monarch butterflies surrounding a barn symbolizing Macomb's agricultural background. It will enjoy a prime location visible to residents and visitors enjoying our community

The total cost of the project is expected to be \$30,000. A grant for the artist stipend has been awarded to MBA by the WIU Performing Arts Society and the WIU Foundation. Macomb Beautiful Association is appealing to the entire Macomb community for additional financial support to bring this worthwhile endeavor to completion by the target date of June, 2022.



***The Macomb Beautiful Association
(MBA) is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization.***

MBA was formed in 1972 for the purpose of improving the beauty and livability of Macomb. The organization is responsible for many beautification projects in the community and creates an opportunity for public participation in all endeavors.



Appeal for Contributions

The following are the recognition levels for donations to the MBA Mural Project:

- Friends of MBA: \$100-\$499
- Bronze Level Sponsor: \$500-\$999
- Silver Level Patron: \$1,000-\$2,499
- Gold Level Benefactor: \$2,500-\$4,999
- Platinum Level Partner: \$5,000 & over

Name: _____

Address 1 _____

E-Mail: _____

Phone: _____

Amount: _____

Please send checks (made out to MBA Mural Project) and/or pledges to:

Penelope Yunker (Treasurer)
1901 Riverview Drive
Macomb, IL 61455



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is a member of the Macomb Area
Chamber of Commerce and Downtown
Development Corporation***

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