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Liz Lane Gallery Benefits Black Warrior Riverkeeper with Valentine-themed Art Event "My Heart through Art" gallery opening features curated collection of original postcard-size art

HOMEWOOD, Ala. – Black Warrior Riverkeeper will partner with several regional artists including Liz Lane, Joan Curtis, Lorrie Lane, Sister Art Pottery and many more for a public event called "My Heart through Art" on Friday, February 8th, 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Liz Lane Gallery (1923 29th Ave South, Homewood, AL 35209).

The event will feature a large collection of postcard sized art perfect for sending to one's Valentine. Original works, including paper, ceramic and canvas pieces, will begin at \$20. Each artist has graciously donated work for this show, so all sales from this collection will go directly to Black Warrior Riverkeeper. Visitors will enjoy wine and hors devours. There is no admission cost, but optional donations to Black Warrior Riverkeeper will be accepted.

"Art is fed by nature, and without it, art would have little foundation to grow," said Liz Lane, owner of Liz Lane Gallery. "As artists, we owe our profession to the air we breathe, the earth we walk on, the water we drink, and the beautiful rivers Black Warrior Riverkeeper protects."

The collection will be available for purchase the night of the show through Valentines Day, February 14th. A full list of artists participating will be available at <u>lizlanegallery.com</u> on February 1st. Art in this collection will include non-representational and representational works.

"We are so grateful that talented artists love nature the way we do and have donated time, ideas and original art to support local water quality," said Charles Scribner, executive director of Black Warrior Riverkeeper.

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<u>Black Warrior Riverkeeper</u>'s mission is to protect and restore the Black Warrior River and its tributaries. The citizen-based nonprofit organization promotes clean water for the sake of public health, recreation, and wildlife habitat throughout the Black Warrior River watershed.

<u>Liz Lane Gallery</u> is located at 1923 29th Ave South, Homewood, AL 35209. Owned by Liz Lane, Liz Lane Gallery carefully curates art from contemporary southern artists, whose work includes ceramics, iron works, paintings and illustrations.

For a high resolution picture of Liz Lane Gallery, click here.

For artists interested in submitting work, please submit works no later than February 1st to Liz Lane Gallery or Alabama Art Supply. Below is a list of requirements for consideration into the show:

- -Must be a professional artist
- -Submissions must be 6"x9"
- -Any medium can be used
- -Maximum three (3) submissions per artist
- -Submission(s) must include a tag listing the title, artist name and medium
- -Submission(s) must include self-addressed, prepaid envelope (all submissions not sold will be returned to the artist)
- -Submission(s) are considered a donation and 100% of the proceeds will go to Black Warrior Riverkeeper

Submissions can be dropped off at or mailed to

Liz Lane Gallery 1923 29th Ave S Homewood, AL 35209

Alabama Art Supply 1006 23rd St S Birmingham, AL 35205