



## Application

Mendocino Coast Botanical Gardens

2025 – 2027 Sculpture Exhibit

A partnership program with the Arts Council of Mendocino County

Entry # \_\_\_\_\_

### Timeline for the Sculpture Exhibit

Display period: May 2025 – March 2027

Deadline for submissions: March 31, 2025

Notification to Artists in April 2025

**Email completed application and images to [administraion@gardenbythesea.org](mailto:administraion@gardenbythesea.org) or mail to:**

Mendocino Coast Botanical Gardens

Attn: MCBG Sculpture Exhibit

18220 N Highway 1, Fort Bragg, CA 95437

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Portfolio/Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Media Accounts to link to for promo: \_\_\_\_\_

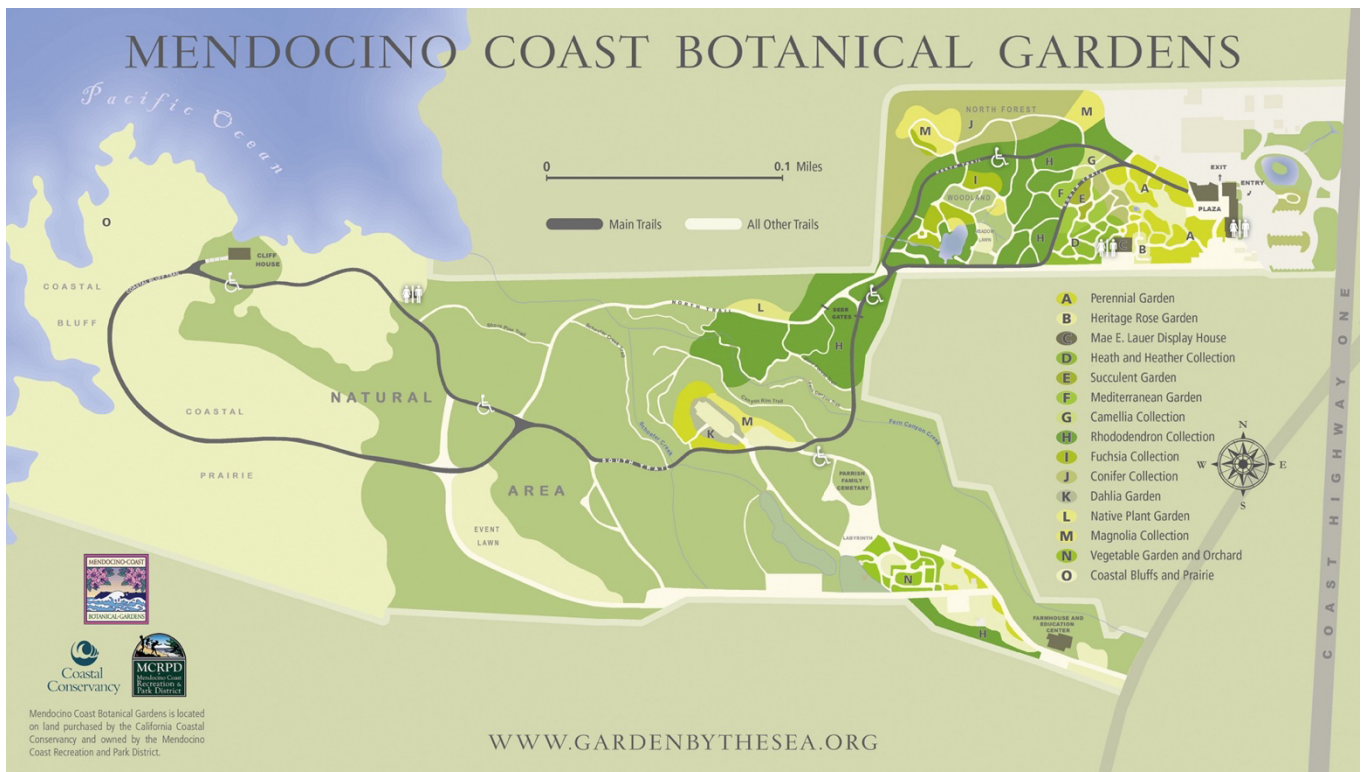
## Sculpture Exhibit Entries

This exhibition is site-specific in nature. There is no application fee to enter. The Mendocino Coast Botanical Gardens and the Arts Council of Mendocino County are 501(c)3 organizations that partner to provide this mutually beneficial opportunity. We hope you will consider joining as a member or making a donation. We appreciate your support!

### List of Entries:

	Title	Dimensions	Medium	Price	Preferred Location *
1					
2					
3					

\* If you are familiar with the Gardens and have a specific site in mind please indicate the area. You may refer to the map below. MCBG staff has final location selection for each sculpture.



**Entries will be evaluated against the following criteria:**

1. Sculpture enhances and expands visitor's experience of this unique place and inspires appreciation and thoughtfulness for nature
2. Media and dimensions of sculpture harmonize with the gardens in all seasons
3. Sculpture materials do not pose any risk to the garden ecosystem and are able to withstand or evolve with the outdoor setting and coastal environment over an extended exhibition period
4. The Gardens is a family-friendly and inclusive venue; work must not violate the Gardens Diversity and Inclusion Policy

**Conditions:**

- Accepted artwork must be installed in the agreed-upon location at the Gardens between May 1-31, 2025. Artists must arrange for installation with MCBG staff at least 1 week in advance. Call (707) 964-4352 ext 113 or email [administration@gardenbythesea.org](mailto:administration@gardenbythesea.org).
- Artists will receive a 60% commission of any sales. The remainder will benefit MCBG and the ACMC.
- Artists are responsible for delivery and installation of work to the MCBG, delivery to the customer should it sell, and/or return to the artist at the end of the display period.
- Preferred location subject to MCBG approval. Staff reserves the right to relocate sculpture within the grounds. No artwork is to be displayed on the grassland or ocean bluffs. The majority of the pieces will be situated in the area inside the deer gates.
- Staff of the MCBG and ACMC are not able to provide maintenance support for sculptural work. Work should be able to withstand and/or evolve in outdoor weather conditions. You will be notified if your sculpture needs attention or maintenance.
- Upon installation, if a piece proves to be a hazard to guests or wildlife it is subject to relocation or removal.