

# Urban Gardens

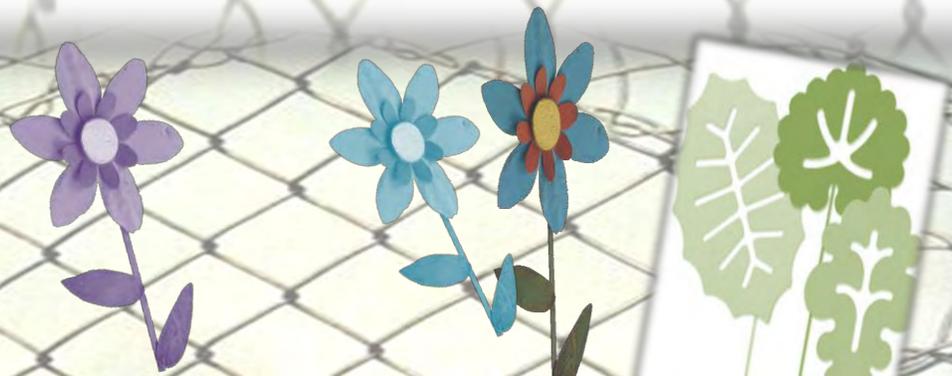
## for Arts Alive on the Coastal Rail Trail 2012

**THE PROJECT:** The Solana Beach Public Arts Advisory Commission (PAAC) is looking for artists or teams of artists to create Urban Gardens along the fence of the Coastal Rail Trail (CRT). The Urban Gardens will decorate the CRT for viewers to admire during the award-winning *Arts Alive on the Coastal Rail Trail* event, scheduled for Saturday, September 22, 2012. The Arts Alive Event attracts hundreds of people who come to enjoy the unique art, diverse music, interesting performers, and stroll the Solana Beach Rail Trail.

**THE URBAN GARDENS:** Garden creations are open to abstract, imaginary, or representational artwork. They can be elaborate or minimal, large or small, pretend or realistic, and can depict fantastical images of plants, critters, flowers, trees, etc. Artists may create with new or recycled materials using plastic, metal, wood, glass or any material so long as it is **STURDY & WEATHERPROOF**. The aim is to be creative and courageous, giving passerbys something unique, beautiful & fun to appreciate.

**GARDEN DESIGN GUIDELINES:** Garden design proposals (a sketch & brief description) must be submitted before July 18, 2012. The designs will be reviewed by the PAAC and if approved, the artist will be assigned 2 sections of chain-link fence (about 20/30 feet long & 5/6 feet high) along the Rail Trail to display their Garden. The Gardens will be installed by the artist on the CRT fence a week prior to the Arts Alive Event, September 12-20, and remain on display for about a month. The artists will receive a stipend of \$250 for materials and an informational plaque will be placed at the site acknowledging their Garden. The artists will remain the owners of their Garden artwork which may be sold following the Event. Sale of the artwork will be handled by the artist. For more information about submitting a Garden proposal, see the back side of this flyer.

For questions and to participate, contact Anita Edman,  
at 858 720-2454 or by email at: [aedman@cosb.org](mailto:aedman@cosb.org).



# Urban Gardens for Arts Alive 2012

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

Fabrication Materials: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Please provide a sketch of your Garden Design and include the information above.  
Proposals must be received by Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at the Solana Beach City Hall,  
635 So. Highway 101, Solana Beach, CA 92075.

