

Item #36: The Other Side Of The Mirror Exhibition

**City Council A Session
June 6, 2024**

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Background



San Antonio and Querétaro, Mexico share:

- Historic Spanish Colonial Missions
- UNESCO World Heritage Sites (San Antonio Missions / Querétaro City Center)
- UNESCO Creative City Designations (Gastronomy / Design)
- Business connections (H-E-B, Toyota, etc.)
- Cultural Exchange (SAMA's 1718 300th Anniversary Celebration)
- Two recent non-stop flights

SAVE THE DATE!

SAN ANTONIO ARTISTS IN QUERÉTARO



AL OTRO
LADO DEL
ESPEJO

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 20, 2024

MUSEO DE ARTE DE QUERÉTARO

7:30 PM QUERÉTARO, MEXICO

Exhibition Details

Sept. 20, 2024 – Jan. 20, 2025

- 15 San Antonio artists, along with scholars, photographers, poets, and historians
- 55 artworks
- Four-part documentary to run on KLRN
- Lectures, roundtables, art demonstrations, workshops, performances, and more
- Friendship City agreement signed at opening
- Cultural and economic development exchange

Recommendation



Support Other Side Of The Mirror (Al Otro Lado Del Espejo) exhibition with \$100,000

Funding to support:

- Transportation and travel for participating artists
- Transportation / shipping of artworks
- Educational materials related to the exhibition
- Marketing materials
- Production of artist videos
- Catalog development
- Translations
- Exhibition installation /deinstallation costs
- Opening night production



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