

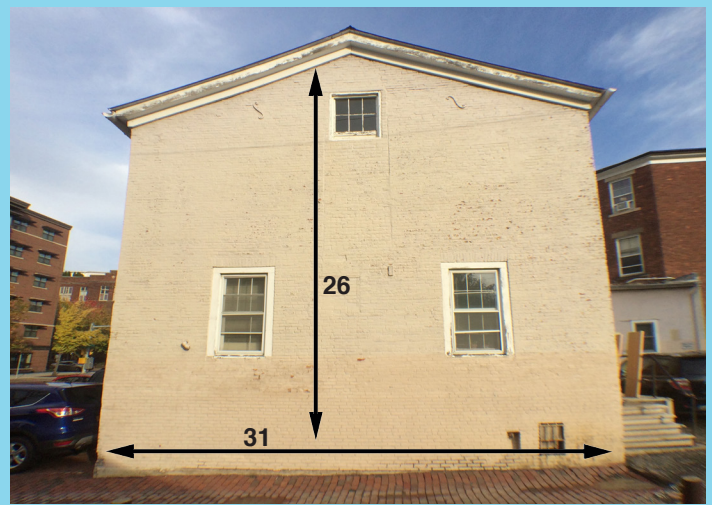
# New Roots Welcomes Mural Proposals!

**Award: \$3,000**

**Entries Due: April 2, 2018 by 1pm**

**Winning Proposal announced: April 9, 2018**

**Mural to be Painted: April - June 2018**



The back wall of New Roots Charter School near the corner of Seneca St. and Cayuga St.

**New Roots Charter School is excited to announce a search for an experienced artist to design & paint a mural on our school. We wish the theme for the mural to show the connection between social justice & environmental sustainability in alignment with our school mission. Successful proposals will involve our school community in the project's creation.**

#### PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

- Full contact information
- Description & sketch(es) of proposed mural
- 2-4 examples of previous artwork
- Anticipated budget for materials
- This is a huge wall & students are only permitted to paint as high as they can reach & still the New Roots Community need to be creatively participate in project. Describe how students will be involved.

#### PROPOSALS JURIED BASED ON:

- Sketch, concept description, creative vision
- Feasibility of project completion
- Quality of prior work
- Potential impact on our community

#### JURY:

A jury will be made up of select students, staff, building owners, & community partners.

#### ELIGIBILITY:

Ages 18 & over. Individual artists & groups can apply.

#### PLEASE SEND OR DELIVER ENTRIES:

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#### PROJECT PARTNERS:

Ithaca Murals, Multicultural Resource Center, Youth Organizing Fellowship, & the New Roots Charter School community.

New Roots Charter School is an innovative, cutting-edge model of education for sustainability authorized by the State University of New York, New Roots is a tuition-free, public charter high school that is open to any New York State resident in grades 9-12.



A New Roots education empowers young people as leaders & entrepreneurs for the 21st century. Our focus on environmental stewardship, social justice & sustainable economics gives youth the skills of hands, heart & mind they will need to get ahead of the curve & create a successful adult life & career in this new century of dramatic technological, social & environmental change.