

4-Elements
107A West Orange Avenue
Foley, Alabama 36535
February 5, 2014

Dear Mayor Koniar and Foley City Counsel,

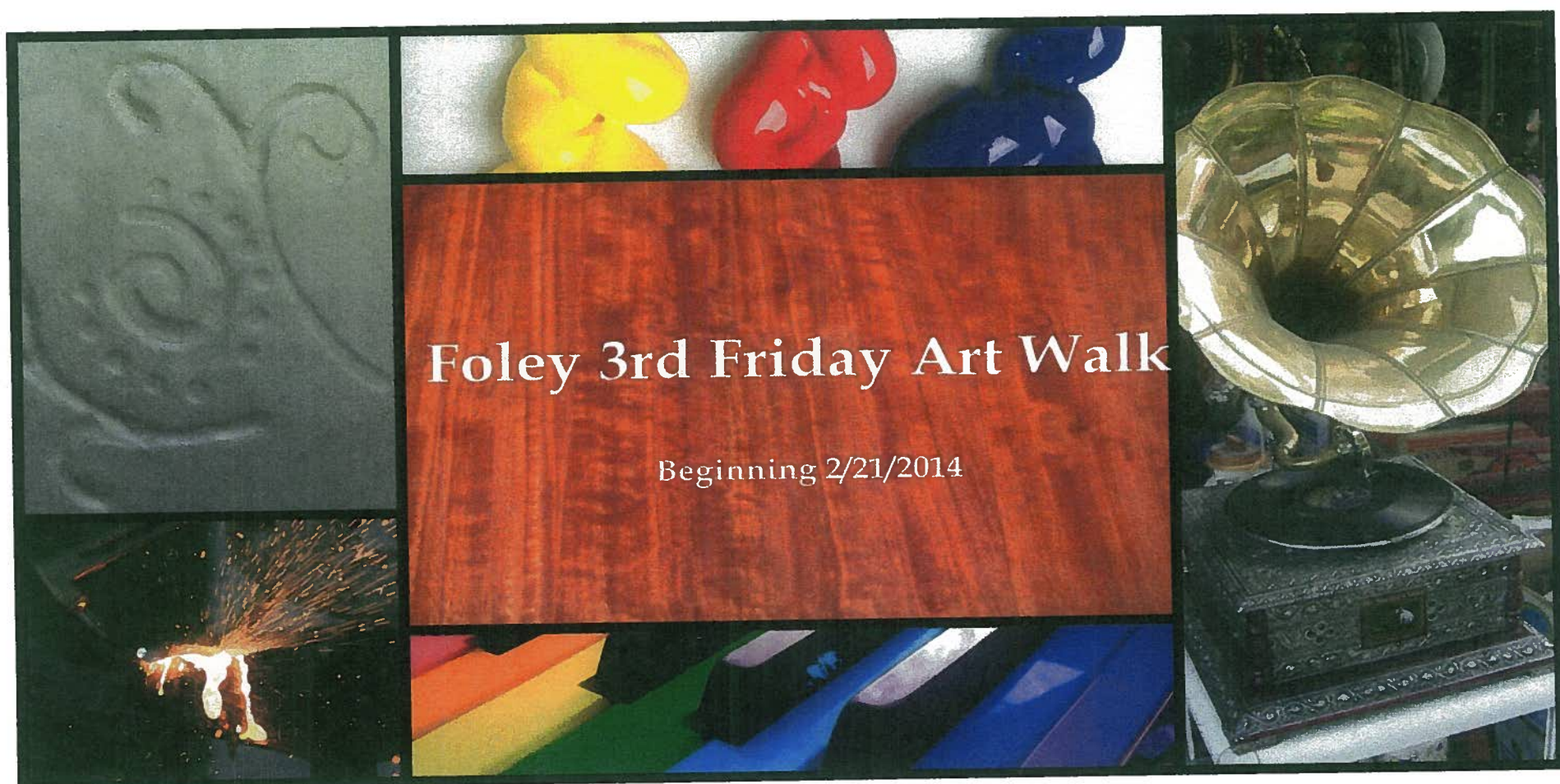
We are having our First Foley 3rd Friday Art Walk on February 21. I have been net working with my fellow merchants to start a monthly Art walk in Foley. I have come to an understanding that the venders and artist that I want to invite to participate in our upcoming event would have to purchase a city's business license, which would cost approximately \$100.00 each. I find it very steep for a one day a month event. This would easily deter any artist to not participate in our future Art Walks. As a crafter and a local merchant it is difficult to sale my craft, not everyone understand that it takes 3 days for a finish product and that I have to purchase my raw goods at retail prices. I ask you to give us a chance to get our 3rd Friday Art Walk off the ground and allow our venders, artist and crafters to either, wave the business license fee or reduce it enough that the fee wouldn't deter them from joining our event.

In additional I would like to request that the city of Foley help us promote the city's first ever Art Walk. It seems to me that many people before has attempted to start an Art Walk for Foley and they never have succeeded in their endeavors. I have gladly opened my personal check book to start paying for the flyers and promotional decals for participating merchant windows. Any resource that the City can provide to make this a successful event will be much appreciated.

Sincerely,



Theresa Gillaspie
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Foley 3rd Friday Art Walk

Beginning 2/21/2014

On the 3Rd Friday of every month Downtown
Foley businesses host an open house evening
starting at around 10am until 7pm or later. Enjoy
exhibits from local artist, special events and longer
hours.

If you are interested in exhibiting your art/craft or
being a vendor, please connect with a participating
business or connect with us on Facebook at
Baldwin County Artist and Crafters or Tess
Gillaspie at 4-Elements in the Orange Blossom
Square 251-979-6087.