

City of Lanesboro  
Resolution 2014-13  
Proclaiming that the Entire Community be Designated as the  
Lanesboro Art Campus

**WHEREAS**, Lanesboro, Minnesota has been designated as one of the Top 12 Small Town Artplaces in the Nation by Artplace America,

**AND WHEREAS**, Lanesboro has been chosen as one of only five communities across the nation to receive an Innovation Grant award from Americans for the Arts and Ovation TV,

**AND WHEREAS**, Lanesboro has a unique combination of scenery, arts and recreation; along with an actively engaged community,

**AND WHEREAS**, creative placemaking builds on existing community assets, including a vibrant public school, diverse small businesses and arts and culture, to enhance community sustainability and promote economic development,

**AND WHEREAS**, the Lanesboro Arts Campus builds upon, enhances and connects the river, scenery, recreation, history and downtown,

**AND WHEREAS**, the Lanesboro Arts Campus will integrate arts into the fabric of the community, allowing Lanesboro to be a premier small town culture and arts destination in the Midwest,

**AND WHEREAS**, Lanesboro embraces the vision for an Arts Campus to serve as a new national model for rural America.

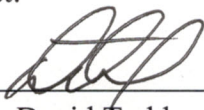
**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City of Lanesboro will be a national leader as the first small town in America to designate the entire community be designated as an Arts Campus.

Adopted by the Lanesboro City Council on September 2, 2014.



Steve Rahn  
Mayor

Attest:



David Todd  
City Administrator