

THE MIDWEST SCULPTURE INITIATIVE WRITING CONTEST
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The Dearborn Community Fund and partner organizations, *The Press & Guide* newspapers and Players Guild of Dearborn, invite submissions to the Midwest-Sculpture-Initiative Writing Contest. **Writings must be inspired by sculpture/s on exhibit on the grounds of the Ford Community & Performing Arts Center (The Center), located at 15801 Michigan Avenue (at Greenfield) in Dearborn.**

- Writers may submit: poems (up to 3 per writer), essays, dialogues, and/or narratives. Most genres will be accepted for consideration and reviewed by a jury.
- Winning pieces will be published in *The Press & Guide*.
- **Prizes** for the winning pieces are: \$100 (first); \$50 (second); \$25 (third); honorable mentions will also be selected.
- Entries must be typed in **fourteen-point font** and submitted either on 8.5 x 11 paper or electronically using a PDF format.
- **Each** entry must include a cover/information sheet with:
 - your name
 - the name of the sculpture that inspired the writing
 - your complete address (with zip code)
 - phone number (with area code)
 - e-mail address.

Your name must not appear anywhere but on the cover/information sheet.
- **Submissions will be accepted January 4, 2010, through January 22, 2010.**
- Winning entries will be announced and performed at the Multi-Arts Night Celebration on February 24, 2010, 7:30 p.m., Studio A at The Center. This event is open to the public at no charge.
- Send entries to: Writing Contest
Dearborn Community Fund
15801 Michigan Avenue
Dearborn, MI 48126
Or e-mail to: communityfund@ci.dearborn.mi.us

To view the Dearborn Community Fund's sculpture initiative brochure, visit www.dearbornfordcenter/communityfund. To request a brochure hard copy, call (313)943-5478 and leave your name, address and zipcode. Brochures are also available at The Center's information areas located in the main lobby and theater lobby.