

What is Art (framing topic)
Literary arts
Motion picture
Music
Dancing
Artisans' craft
Architecture
Digital
Speech/public convention
Culinary arts
Landscape design/gardening
Modeling
Public art
Street entertainment
Ethnic art
Parades, festivals
Folk/outsider art
Infrastructure - wayfinding, sidewalks, streetscapes, manhole covers
Transit art
Temporary art
Historic conservation
Bars and restaurants
Beer making
Graffiti
Retail and shopping - local boutiques
Window displays
Murals
Social practice Art
Political art
Fashion
Parks
Photography
Storytelling

Public spaces

### Catalyzing Development

Fine Arts Fund buying houses in Over-the-Rhine for artists (in-kind)

Co-housing

Change in zoning for art districts

Rising costs as neighborhood redevelops

Gentrification

City's vision needs to change

Jobs connected to venues

Vibrant arts & culture helps attract development (all sorts)

Multi-destinations and their interconnection (becomes a system)

Mix arts in different neighborhoods

Housing in downtown creates critical mass

Live-work place (community housing)

Having artists together fosters creativity

Subsidized housing for artists

Industrial space for artists and organizations

Affordable live-work space

### Art in Public Spaces

Activity in public spaces

Behind other cities in mandating new development incorporate sculptures, etc.

Boulevards - oasis in arts activities

Zoning and permits

Integrate diversity, support minorities

Funding for public art

Too much bureaucracy

City agencies supporting public art

All sorts of festivals

Big pig gig

Image and Identity
History - Union Terminal, hills, pigs, beer
Go Green - recycling, Hamilton County Fair
Conservative
Pete Rose
German

Image and Identity (continued)
People are unaware of identity
San Francisco of the Midwest
Over-the-Rhine -> potential destination point, architecture, arts & culture
Internally focused - internal perception is incomplete
Well-kept secret - bad marketing
Not welcoming
Provincial
Inexpensive studio space
Lots of green space community theater
Convenient (shrunken New York)
Intolerant, insensitive
Affordable to enjoy arts
Intolerant of ethnic arts
Unique neighborhoods but do not culminate in unified identity
Affordability is relative
Lacks pride (change sense of pride)
Poor media portrayal
Artists leaving city

Funding
Funding for arts usually first to go
City agency for public art / supporting artists
Enlist support of large corporations
City is too quick to say no
Institutions into city budget -> direct

Link between small organizations and city (hard to get funding)
Create/allow gallery space in high-traffic areas to sell/support arts
Safety issue (consistent safety w/ lighting not just on Final Friday)
Public education campaign on why it is important to buy art
Artists actually live on what they sell; what they create sustains them
Film community
Arts council (council/organizations ->More artists)

Variety and Accessibility
Cincinnati Arts Association
Exposure/marketing for arts
Restrictions on public art are bad
Public performance
You have to search for art events
Public service announcements - not on computer to search
Stress education (youth is best time to reach people)
Media Bridges for public service announcements
Enjoy the Arts
Center for Contemporary Craft
Outdoor art events (Central Park, utilize green space etc.)
Fund experimental artists, incubating
No professional black artists/company
No support for film making
Desert in terms of artists
Lack of good music venues (varied in size)
Across the board expert in one thing or focus on one art

Terms
Expertise – excelling in one’s own field
What is art?
What is culture?
Graffiti vs. Street Art

**Additional Information / Specific Data**

Ohio's Art Council
Arts Midwest
Performance network
Categories of art? How many?
Cincinnati Fine Arts Fund sampler data - how many people attended venues
Which art sells the most, has most influence?
What happened to lofts? Live/work in downtown?
Laws/ordinances for public arts, performance art
Number of artists in cities
Convention and Visitor Bureau - data about weekend visitors
Economic impact of arts
Distribution of public money to artists and organizations

**Related Planning Efforts / Best Practices**

How cities of comparable size deals with public funding
Evaluation of Comprehensive Plans of 1980, 1925, 1948 arts and culture
Munich (specifically on gentrification)
Los Angeles for public art
Chicago
Santa Monica Promenade
Ordinances for public art/performance
Film support - money generated through film
Create a Cincinnati Film Commission
Movers and shakers on Steering Committee have to be a part of this

**Other/Maps**

What do we need to provide to attract visitors?
How many people consider themselves artists in Cincinnati?
Arts organizations closed since city funding dried up (arts organizations dependent on city funding)
Types of art present in city
What's developing at University of Cincinnati College of Design, Art, Architecture, and Planning?
How much airtime and print space publicize the arts?