# The Savannah To-Go Cup Savannah Downtown Business Association Call For Designs

#### 1.0 General Overview

The Savannah Downtown Business Association (SDBA) invites local Savannah artists to submit design proposals for the inaugural "Savannah To-Go Cup" - a recyclable aluminum cup that is distributed through SDBA partners. Selected designs will highlight the beauty of Savannah. The selected artist will receive a cash prize of \$1,000. Applications for designs to be considered for a run of over 50,000 cups must be received by midnight on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

#### 1.1 About the Savannah Downtown Business Association

The Savannah Downtown Business Association (SDBA) is an independent 501C6 membership-based organization actively engaged in the promotion of a prosperous downtown business community.

## 1.2 About Ball Aluminum Cups

Ball Aluminum Cups are made of 100% infinitely recyclable aluminum. In 2021 the City of Savannah prototyped a successful and limited launch of Ball Aluminum To-Go Cups branded with the City of Savannah logo.

### 2.0 Artwork Submission Requirements

Artwork shall be submitted online through the DBA's website by midnight on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024. The link to the submission is listed below. Artists can submit up to three entries.

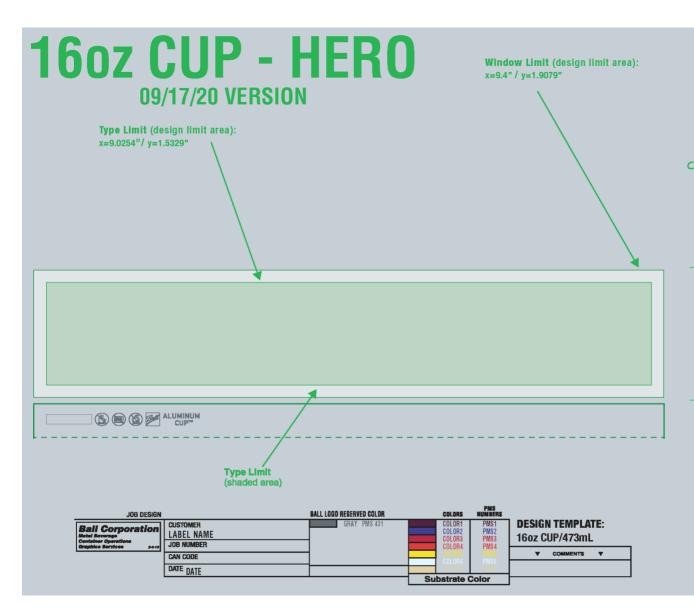
LINK: https://sadba.memberclicks.net/artwork-submissions

#### 2.1 Technical Specifications

- Submission Format: Adobe Illustrator CC 2015 or newer layered .Al file. All fonts should be outlined (no live text fields)
- Support Files: Layered .psd @300ppi or above, 1-bit .tiff files @2400 ppi
- Design size: X= 9.0254 inches max Y= 1.5329 inches max (please see image below for details)
- Maintain no more than 7 colors + PMS 431 Grey (PMS 431 Grey required for date code and legal symbols)
  - Color Matching: Suggested Pantone solid coated ink color book
  - Some PMS swatches may not be achievable. Please supply any previously printed collateral if a specific color match is mandated
- Minimum positive type sizes: San Serif = 6pt, Serif = 9pt, Minimum reverse type sizes: San Serif 6pt, Serif = 10pt
- Minimum Positive Rule: .144pt/.002"

### 2.2 Reference Photos





### 3.0 Eligibility

Applicants must be residents of Bryan County, Chatham County, or Effingham County Georgia or Beaufort County, South Carolina. Proposals from artists of all backgrounds and abilities are welcomed. Proposals will only be considered if all the required information outlined is correctly received.

#### 4.0 Contract

Selected artists will work directly with the SDBA for final order submission and be available for media as needed. Selected artists will enter a contract with the SDBA releasing any and all rights to the SDBA for usage of artwork in any and all forms.

All submissions not selected for the inaugural may be considered for any future To-Go Cup designs. Artists will be contacted at least two months in advance of the SDBA using their submission and receive \$1,000 for their design.

### 5.0 Evaluation, Selection, and Approval

After a technical review by SDBA staff, submissions will be juried by the SDBA's Board of Directors.

### **5.1 Scoring Rubric**

All submissions will be scored on the following three categories out of a total possible 100 Points.

Clarity of theme (Summer in Savannah) and overall concept [30 Points] Formal and aesthetic qualities [30 Points] Creativity and originality [40 Points]

#### 6.0 Selection and Installation Timeline

Three Weeks - Submission closes at midnight on April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Five Weeks - Announcement of selected artist Nine Weeks (approximately) - To-Go Cup distribution begins to businesses