

Chalk Across FoCo Tips:

- Getting Started
 1. Register at fcgov.com/neighborhoodservices/neighborhood-news
 2. Entries can be located on public sidewalks or private property, if easily visible to the public from the street
 3. The chalk art can be created by individuals or teams
 4. Location of artwork must be safe for creating and viewing by the community and must be at least 50 feet from any stream or storm drain, gutters, or grates (which are all part of the stormwater drainage system) along a Chalk Across FoCo neighborhood trail (maps can be found at ourcity.fcgov.com/ForFoCo).
 5. Check chalk ingredients to make sure it does not contain material that is harmful to children, animals or water quality. Even biodegradable or “washable” materials can harm aquatic wildlife and ecosystems if they wash into storm drains or local waterways.
 6. Do not chalk if rain is in the weather forecast

- Create your Masterpiece
 1. Design your chalk art and complete it by noon on Saturday, July 4th
 2. Award winning designs cannot include logos; copyrighted or trademarked images; advertisements; racist or derogatory language; or sexual symbols, themes, or messages
 3. Take photos and submit to NSPrograms@fcgov.com to enter the contest
 4. Bike or walk the Chalk Across FoCo neighborhood trails to see your neighbors’ chalk art

- Wrap Up
 1. Clean up of your chalk art is recommended before wind or rain carries chalk into nearby streams, rivers and lakes
 2. When you are ready to remove your artwork, sweep and hose chalk into grassy areas. Hosing chalk onto the street or other paved surfaces sends it into storm drains which carry it directly to local waterways.
 3. Vote for Chalk Across FoCo winners at ourcity.fcgov.com/ForFoCo by July 18th