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OCTOBER SPRINGFIELD CITY HALL GALLERY & RECEPTION

A reception will be held on Friday, October 10, 2014 as part of Springfield's Downtown Art Walk

October's City Hall Gallery highlights the work of artist Janet Biles.

Janet began painting in oils and acrylics in the 1960s, but fell in love with "the magic of watercolor" in the 1990s. She now paints exclusively with watercolor and says, "I enjoy bright colors and an impressionistic and whimsical style in my painting—no wimpy watercolors for me." More of her work can be found on her website: www.janetbilesart.com.

The Springfield Arts Commission will host a reception at the City Hall Gallery as part of Springfield's Second Friday Downtown Art Walk on Friday, October 10, 2014 from 5-7 pm. Stop by to meet the artist! Light refreshments will be offered.

At the reception, live jazz music will be played by the Red Pants Trio. The group formed in Eugene as three jazz musicians came together to experiment in a trio setting. With just drums, electric piano and saxophone, the music explores different genres and styles through improvisation. Ken Mastrogiovanni, Tony Glausi, and Josh Hettwer all attend the University of Oregon. Check out Red Pants Trio on Facebook for samples of their music.

Regular gallery hours are: Monday and Tuesday, 8am-8pm; Wednesday and Thursday, 8am-6pm; Friday, 8am-5pm; Saturday, 10am-5pm; Sundays, closed.

What: Artwork by Janet Biles; music by Red Pants Trio; light refreshments

When: Reception on Friday, October 10, 2014 from 5-7 pm; part of Springfield's Second Friday Art Walk

Where: Springfield City Hall, 225 5th Street, Springfield, OR

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Images attached

