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## SPRINGFIELD CITY HALL GALLERY & RECEPTION

*The Plein Air Painters of Lane County on display; reception on Friday, October 14, 2011*

Paintings by the group, Plein Air Painters of Lane County, are now on display through Friday, October 28, 2011 in the Springfield City Hall Gallery. The Gallery is operated by the Springfield Arts Commission.

A plein air painter paints outside with the subject in view. The paintings on display are of familiar Oregon locations as seen through the artists' eyes. The Plein Air Painters of Lane County paint outside three times a week, 12 months a year all around Lane County and beyond. They have been painting together since August of 2006. Their website is [pleinaireugene.blogspot.com](http://pleinaireugene.blogspot.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 14 from 5-7pm. Cellist Alex Abrams will perform and light refreshments will be offered.

Regular gallery hours are: Monday and Tuesday, 8am-8pm; Wednesday and Thursday, 8am-6pm; Friday, 8am-5pm; Saturday, 12pm-5pm; Sundays, closed.

**What:** Paintings by Plein Air Painters of Lane County on display in the City Hall Gallery; art reception as part of Springfield's Second Friday Art Walk

**When:** Art reception on Friday, October 14, 2011 from 5-7pm as part of Springfield's Second Friday Art Walk; artwork will be on display through Friday, October 28, 2011

**Where:** Springfield City Hall, 225 5<sup>th</sup> Street, Springfield, OR

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