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To Whom it May Concern:

On behalf of the City of Rogers City, I am pleased to offer this letter of support for Main Street Microgrant application for the project "Art Has Power". Through the selection and installation of these art and poetry creations we will see our downtown beautified and our community come together. Our artwalk is an amazing event that draws artists, visitors and residents but the empty spaces in town create barriers for that cohesiveness. By filling those spaces with art and poetry the project will provide opportunities for residents to share what they find beautiful in our area, create photo opportunities for residents and visitors alike and lead people from one end of our main street to the other.

This project directly supports the initiatives of Rogers City Main Street and is being led by members of the Main Street board and thus I give my full support for this project. In addition, this project is important because it gives an opportunity for the community to come together to create the art for this project through Facebook and in person surveys.

I hope that you respond positively to this grant proposal and others like it that find innovative ways to bring our community together. Thank you for considering our application.

Sincerely,

Scott McLennan

Mayor

City of Rogers City

