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## Artist selection for 'Celebrate the Rogue!' 2018

Central Point, Oregon: The Rogue River Watershed Council recently requested poster submissions by local artists for their upcoming "Celebrate the Rogue 2018" event. They are pleased to announce that this year's winner is artist Marilyn Hurst of Central Point for her lovely watercolor, "The Avenue of The Boulders."

Marilyn is an accomplished artist who works in a variety of media with emphasis in watercolor and pastel. Her stunning art can be viewed in person at Art & Soul Gallery, Ashland and online at her website, [marilynhurst-art.com](http://marilynhurst-art.com). Marilyn writes, "I paint to express something that has touched my heart, such as a peaceful landscape or some beautiful flowers or to preserve the soul of an old barn." In our case she has so splendidly captured our roaring Rogue at the Avenue of the Boulders. We're thrilled she did!

Marilyn's signed poster presentation is available through the Rogue River Watershed Council for \$25. This poster and event are special as 2018 represents the 50th anniversary of the Wild & Scenic Rivers Act and the Rogue River was one of the originally designated Wild & Scenic Rivers.

Please come and meet the artist at our "CELEBRATE THE ROGUE!" dinner and auction event, Saturday, Oct. 20, 5 - 9 p.m. at Inn at the Commons, Medford. The Celebration is open to all. Please come, enjoy the fun, browse the lovely auction items, enjoy the wonderful food prepared by Chef Trullijo at Larks, stomp your feet to the music of Eight Dollar Mountain, and join in as we raise a glass to toast our treasured river.

Tickets are \$40 and seating is limited. Please

contact the Rogue River Watershed Council at [www.rogueriverwc.org](http://www.rogueriverwc.org), or phone, 541-423-6158 to RSVP or for further information.

*About Rogue River Watershed Council:*

*The Rogue River Watershed Council is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that works with local agencies, organizations, and private landowners to restore instream and streamside habitat, improve water quality, and encourage community members to become stewards of the Rogue River and its tributaries. We focus our activities on salmon-bearing streams in Jackson and northern Josephine counties.*