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“Amor es Amor” Celebrating LGBTQIA+ Chicanos/Latinos Gallery Exhibit Opens April 14

April 3, 2023, Northglenn, CO – Northglenn Arts is pleased to announce the installation of the **“Amor es Amor” Celebrating LGBTQIA+ Chicanos/Latinos** gallery exhibit. Northglenn Arts is proud to partner with Chicano Humanities & Arts Council (CHAC) on Northglenn’s Parsons Theatre Gallery Wall. CHAC is an inclusive community of all creatives that are dedicated to preserving, showcasing, educating, and reflecting the essence of Chicana/o/x, Latina/o/x, and other multicultural/multiracial communities. Northglenn Arts works to provide access to the arts for all people and have chosen to collaborate with CHAC due to their dedication to inclusivity and powerful storytelling.

“Amor es Amor” is about sharing and celebrating who we are as LGBTQIA+ Chicanos/Latinos, this show is dedicated to the dignity, self-respect, pride, uniqueness, and a feeling of a cultural rebirth in our community through the arts. “Amor es Amor” is free and open to the public.

“The LGBTQ+ rights movement has made tremendous strides over the past few decades and much of the progress in visibility is thanks to the dedicated work of artists. I am excited for the community to experience and enjoy this show. People will walk away with a sense of pride (and hopefully will purchase a piece of art!)” said show curator Lucille Rivera.

Artists in this exhibit:

Karman Canvas, Cal Duran, Renee Fajardo, Jay Jaramillo, Shantel Lucero, Giuliana Maresca, Tania Maldonado, Marina Morales, Lucille Rivera, Sandra Ruiz, Damaris Santos, Vanessa Zamora

Curators: Shantel Lucero, Tania Maldonado, and Lucille Rivera

For purchase inquiries please call Brenda at 720-662-4822

CHAC Gallery and Northglenn Arts will host the “Amor es Amor” exhibit opening Friday, April 14 from 6-9 p.m. at Northglenn Arts community room 1; all are welcome. The exhibit may be viewed during regular Box Office hours and when the Parsons Theatre is open for evening shows and events starting April 14 through the closing PRIDE event on June 9 from 6-9 p.m.

The gallery is located inside the Northglenn Recreation Center, 1 East Memorial Parkway Northglenn, CO, 80233. Use the south entrance of the building (theatre entrance); the exhibit space is near the community rooms. For more information, please call the Parsons Theatre Box Office at 303-450-8888.

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