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Dear Art Lover:

Two years ago the Art Alliance of Central Pennsylvania opened a gallery in downtown State College on a wing and a prayer. Now the Art Alliance needs Rent Angels to keep it aloft for a third year.

We are pleased to be the co-chairs for this approach to supporting the arts in downtown State College. We're looking for Rent Angels, folks who will contribute \$500 to keep the Art Alliance's downtown gallery open for another year.

For \$500, an individual or couple will cover one month's rent. Anything above that will go to the gallery's other monthly expenses, which could include the salary of a gallery manager if enough funds are available. The annual budget for the gallery is about \$25,000.

The names of each month's Rent Angel will be prominently displayed at the downtown gallery and on the Art Alliance's website.

Located on the Martin Luther King Plaza off South Fraser Street, the gallery has hosted a variety of shows since its beginning in 2016 and participates in First Friday. The Art Alliance is a member of the Downtown Improvement District, which has an office nearby.

We are sure you are familiar with the Art Alliance, which grew out of another great downtown success story, the Central Pennsylvania Festival of the Arts. The Art Alliance, in fact, is only two years younger and is observing its 50th anniversary this year.

You may send a check to the Art Alliance at P.O. Box 811, Lemont 16851 or donate online at http://artalliancepa.org.

Please help us keep the arts alive in downtown State College.

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Sincerely,

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