

Support Mansfield's MLK39: Racial Equity Mural!

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The MLK39 mural created for Manchester, CT

This project is a collaboration among these partners:

Mansfield Human Rights Commission

Town of Mansfield

Mansfield Public Schools

Region 19/Edwin O. Smith High School

Conversations on Racism (COR) Mansfield

University of Connecticut

Windham/Willimantic Chapter of the NAACP

Mansfield Arts Advisory Committee

Mansfield Community Center

Mansfield Downtown Partnership

Mansfield Public Library

The Town of Mansfield and the Mansfield Human Rights Commission is partnering with CT Murals and Connecticut-based artist, Emida Roller, to install a large-scale mural symbolizing the messages of Martin Luther King, Jr.

This mural is part of CT Murals' statewide campaign *to bring the message of justice, equity, and love through the symbolism of MLK*, to 39 communities in our state. Each mural represents a year of Dr. King's life.

Mansfield's mural will reflect the community's commitment to human rights, and be painted on panels mounted along the front of the Mansfield Community Center for unveiling in fall 2021.

How Can You Help?

- **Please Offer Your Input to the Design** by completing the [Mural's Community Design Survey](#)
- **Make a Donation**—and every dollar will be matched by Sustainable CT. **Donate [here](#).** **Or mail a check to** The RiseUP Group, Inc., 942 Main Street, Hartford, CT 06103
- **Join in on the Fun** by volunteering to help in painting the mural this fall.

**Please help us to honor Dr. King.
*Donate today!***



About Our Artist

The Mansfield mural will be created under the guidance of experienced artist Emida Roller who has completed standout murals for both individual and commercial clients. For six years, Emida was one of the lead artists at Dane Arts Mural Arts (DAMA) in Madison, Wisconsin where she also served as the Executive Director before moving to Eastern Connecticut. Emida will lead the design phase with community input, then work with student and adult volunteers to paint the panels. See more of Emida's work on her [website](#).