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**Extension of Submission Deadline - Suffolk Fine Arts Commission
Grant Program**

SUFFOLK, Va. (September 11, 2008) – The Suffolk Fine Arts Commission announces the availability of grant funds for its FY 2008-2009 grant program. The purpose of the grant program is to increase community access to high quality arts, to include, but not limited to, the visual and performing arts. The program is open to any organization or individual whose project promotes this purpose in the City of Suffolk. The Commission will review all grant requests and determine the number and amount of grants to be awarded.

Application forms are available from the Deputy City Manager's Office, 2nd Floor Suffolk Municipal Building, 441 Market Street, Suffolk, Virginia 23434 or by request at wwhite@city.suffolk.va.us

The deadline for submission of applications for funding has been extended to **5:00 p.m., on Friday, September 19, 2008**. All applications must be received in the Deputy City Manager's Office by this deadline. Any questions regarding the application process may be directed to Patrick Roberts, Deputy City Manager, at (757) 514-4011.

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