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A NEW CURRENCY: Shared Resources

A group exhibition organized by Civilian Art Projects for 87FLORIDA

August 1 - September 1, 2009

OPENING: Saturday, August 1, 12-4pm at 87 Florida Ave NW, Washington, DC

As part of the "First on 1st Neighborhood Art + Music Walk" sponsored by the Pink Line Project and North Capitol Main Street, CIVILIAN ART PROJECTS has cooked up a summer show for 87FLORIDA.

This national exhibition has been organized in conjunction with the New York City based School of Visual Arts MFA 2009 class who instigated a series of exhibitions and projects across the country called "A New Currency" under the direction of curator/professor Dan Cameron.

At a time where everyone is considering the importance of one form of currency or another, Civilian asked the following artists to create new or existing work that shared a common spirit of abundance. In new and imaginative ways, these artists interpret art and ideas as resources with a currency unlimited by monetary definition.

The artists include:

Seth Adelsberger / Nicholas Carr / Anthony Dihle / Carole Wagner Greenwood / Ryan Hill / Erick Jackson / Amanda Kleinman / Kate MacDonnell / Cara Ober / Trevor Young

More information can be found on the SVA's "A New Currency" project here: http://anewcurrency.blogspot.com/

Special thanks to artist Trish Tillman for instigating this particular project.



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fireworks image, Kate MacDonnell 'found' money drawing, Cara Ober

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