

seven million acres

PRIDE OF PLACE



*What has pride of place in your home? a special photograph?
a favorite painting? a keepsake? or something completely unexpected?*

Street Road Artists Space

Street Road Artists Space is holding a photographic exhibition of objects that have pride of place for the people in our surrounding communities. Each photograph, along with a description of why the object is significant for its owner, will be exhibited and also included in a 2019 publication.

What has pride of place for us, as individuals, and collectively, and how can this help us to think about place and our relationships in it? This project centers Street Road and our location, Cochranville, PA, and takes in a 'place' of 7 million acres (a radius of about 59 miles). It follows on from our 2016 exhibition **7000 Acres** – by the residents of our township – and expands both that territory, and our practice of highlighting the complex material culture of our region. With this partially arbitrary mapping, major cities in our region fall at the periphery, and we continue to consider the questions: what makes up our region?, any region?, and what is our place in it?

Exhibition April 13 – September 30, 2019

Opening reception Saturday, May 18, 2019, 1-7pm

Closing reception and publication launch Saturday, September 28, 2019, 1-5pm

To Take Part

Take a photograph of your object in the place it usually lives. Bring, send or email this photo to us (address below) along with a few words or paragraphs explaining why your object is special to you. Include your name, and your town/municipality. Please indicate whether you prefer that your name be included or to be listed as 'anonymous'. Note that by sending us your images and text you agree they can be included in this exhibition and publication, and on our social media.

The deadline for submissions is on or before March 31, 2019

Follow the project on Instagram @7MillionAcres

For Organizations

We would love to hear from any organizations – large or small – that would like to help spread the word about the project and/or to be an exhibition partner. There is a possibility of hosting localized, satellite exhibitions in your space.

About Us

Street Road Artists Space, founded in 2011, fosters cultural programming that explores themes of place and ownership. We are located at the intersection of Routes 926 and 41, and also run The Little Free Library in Cochranville, PA.