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Dear Friends:

I am proud to announce the 2018 Annual Congressional Art Competition, *An Artistic Discovery*, to Texas District 31 high school students. Each year the House of Representatives hosts this nationwide event that allows high school students from every Congressional District in the U.S. to showcase their artistic ability.

The winning artwork from each Congressional District will be displayed for one year, in the Cannon Office Building tunnel that leads into the U.S. Capitol. In addition, the winner from Texas District 31 will be awarded two roundtrip airline tickets to Washington, D.C., as well as accommodations for two nights in Washington, D.C.

Attached you will find a copy of the 2018 art submission checklist, artwork guidelines, a list of important dates, and the student release form. Please be sure all artwork is in compliance with the eligibility guidelines.

The deadline is **Wednesday, April 25, 2018**, to submit all entries and the student release form to the addresses below.

Congressman John R. Carter
Attn: Julie Sharifian
Constituent Representative
1717 N IH 35 Suite 303
Round Rock, Texas 78664

OR

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6544B General Bruce Drive
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Entries will be judged by a panel of distinguished artists from TX31st District.

If you have any questions please contact Julie Sharifian in my Round Rock District office, 512-246-1600, or via email: Julie.sharifian@mail.house.gov.

An Artistic Discovery is a fantastic way to feature the talent of Texas District 31 high school students. I look forward to receiving the artwork of these gifted young artists.

Sincerely,

John R. Carter
Member of Congress
Texas District 31