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# DICKINSON MURAL

Sponsored by the Galveston County Community Coalition



**2512 TERMINI STREET  
DICKINSON, TEXAS 77539**

Bay Area Council on Drug and Alcohol's Galveston County Community Coalition (GCCC) is happy to announce the addition of the newly created mural to the city of Dickinson. This mural is part of the "Happiness Projects" funded by a grant from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission. The intent of this project is to bring joy, reduce stress, and provide the community of Dickinson with another space in the community to enjoy. The Galveston County Community Coalition worked in partnership with the Dickinson Chamber of Commerce and the building owner, Diana Glass-Awards, Etc. The commissioned artist is Gabriel Prusmack.

GCCC exists to serve as a community-wide effort aiming to prevent and reduce the harmful impact of alcohol, tobacco, and other drug abuse in youth within our communities. We implement these efforts by utilizing community-based, environmental prevention strategies. These strategies are research and scientifically based and are proven to work on a national and local level. Some of these strategies include: outreach and education, reducing underage drinking by conducting compliance checks, reducing stigma and changing social norms through positive messaging campaigns, to name a few.

The Dickinson Mural Project is a perfect example of a collaboration between BACODA and the community. The Coalition relies on many different groups to achieve their goals. Partners include; the business community, civic and volunteer groups, concerned citizens, the faith-based community, government agencies, health care professionals, law enforcement, parents, school districts and youth-serving community organizations. If you would like to participate in the wonderful upcoming projects, contact Shannon Lien at [shannon.lien@bacoda.org](mailto:shannon.lien@bacoda.org). For additional information, visit our website at [bacoda.org](http://bacoda.org) and follow us on social media.

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