



# Eisenhower Silo Mural Project

## Project Overview

The Eisenhower Foundation has commissioned a mural to be painted on the Bert & Wetta silo in Abilene, Kansas, and we are looking to our community of Kansas to inspire the design! To submit a design for consideration, please use the form found on the following page.

**Submissions are due by April 30, 2024**

*Email submissions to [silo@eisenhowerfoundation.net](mailto:silo@eisenhowerfoundation.net).*

## Things to Keep In Mind

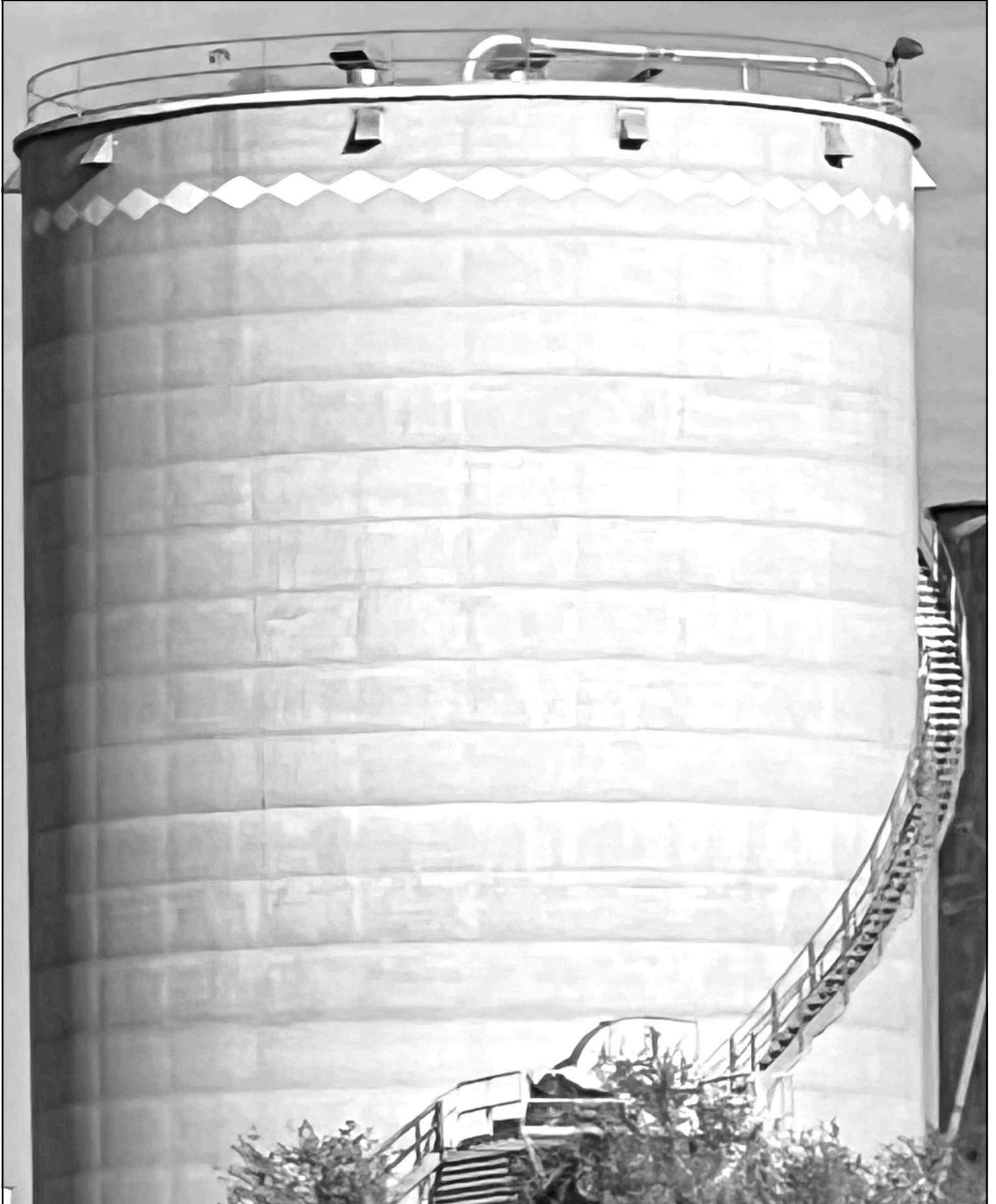
1. The selected design will incorporate elements of the life and legacy of Dwight D. Eisenhower. Themes may include, but are not limited to:
  - Ike's Life in Abilene, Kansas
    - ➔ Farming community, rural America
    - ➔ Football, baseball, fishing, and camping
  - World War II and Ike's military accomplishments
    - ➔ D-Day invasion of Normandy
    - ➔ Winning the war in Europe
  - America in the 1950s and Ike's presidential accomplishments
    - ➔ Establishment of the Eisenhower Interstate Highway System
    - ➔ Creating of NASA (National Aeronautics and Space Administration)
2. The selected design will be announced by May 30, 2024. Please note that a professional mural artist will take the selected design and adapt it to meet the needs of the silo being painted.
3. The mural will be completed in the fall of 2024.
4. Submissions are open to residents of Kansas.

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*Design Submission*





# Eisenhower Silo Mural Design Submission Form

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**Email submissions to [silo@eisenhowerfoundation.net](mailto:silo@eisenhowerfoundation.net) by April 30, 2024.**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY:** \_\_\_\_\_, **Kansas**

**EMAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Required if under 18*

**WHY DO YOU LIKE IKE:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Bert & Wetta Silo**  
Location of Mural

**Fun fact: Both Mr. Bert and Mr. Wetta were World War II soldiers.**