



## **New Digital Programming from Howl! Happening: *Somethin' to Say & Howl at Home* Workshop Series**

New York, NY, April 10, 2020 — Howl! Happening: An Arturo Vega Project is pleased to announce two new digital initiatives that invite the creative community to circulate ideas, generate discussion and celebrate creativity. *Somethin' to Say* is a [24/7 video hub](#) on Howl's homepage, updated weekly with new submissions from actors, artists, dancers, poets and personalities from the East Village and Lower East Side communities. *Howl at Home*, inspired by Howl's [Vega Arts Workshop Series](#), is a biweekly set of all-ages art activities that can be done at home during this uncertain time of social distancing.

Community engagement is central to Howl's mission, and these initiatives serve as a new way for the creative community to interact and share their work while isolated.

"These initiatives marry two unique aspects of Howl: our community's creativity and our homepage's endless stream of community-created videos," says Howl Executive Director Jane Friedman. "Because it's open to all, *Somethin' to Say* is a kind of online 'happening' that showcases the raw energy and happy accidents that materialize when artists and friends are given a platform on Howl TV."

*Somethin' to Say* is a new component to Howl TV, an online video platform within the Howl website, constantly populated with exhibitions, interviews and performances. Visit now to view videos like *Pandemic Cooking with Wendy and Tym Moss*, writer Armand Ruhlman, Luigi Cazzaniga w/ Ilka Scobie, and Ethan Minsker, and stay tuned in the coming weeks for more. Artists can submit their videos to [contact@howlarts.org](mailto:contact@howlarts.org).

Starting **Friday, April 10, 2020**, a new *Howl at Home* activity will be shared every two weeks through the Howl email newsletter. An extension of Howl's successful workshop series, first up is *Collage Portraits* inspired by artist Antony Zito, followed by do-it-yourself activities devised by graffiti artist Al Diaz and painter Scooter LaForge. Participants can share their creations on Instagram, Twitter and Facebook using #HowlAtHome and #howlhappening.

Howl Arts Inc. is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to preserving the past and celebrating the present culture of the East Village and Lower East Side.

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