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# PRESS RELEASE

IN CELEBRATION OF WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

*An Art Exhibition featuring 14 Talented Female Texas Artists.*

**San Antonio, February 12, 2007:** The Great Northwest Public Library San Antonio in collaboration with Museo of the Alameda National Center for Latino Arts & Culture, an Affiliate of the Smithsonian Institution & Partner of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts present an art exhibit in celebration of Women's History Month of fourteen contemporary female artist living and working in San Antonio, Laredo and Corpus Christi Texas.

The opening reception will take place at the Great Northwest Public Library on March 10 from 3:00pm-5:00pm. The exhibition will continue through April 28. Viewing hours, Sunday 1pm-5pm, Monday 1pm-9pm, Tuesday-Wednesday 9am-9pm, Thursday-Saturday 9am-5pm. This event is free and open to the public.

The exhibition **...Has Come to Hand** was inspired by the work of Cuban-American Artist Felix Gonzalez-Torres, whose monumental photograph *Untitled (For Jeff)* will be displayed as a public art installation in several locations around San Antonio to inaugurate the opening of the Museo Alameda in April 2007.

Fourteen women Artists will use female hand/hands as a motif for artwork created specifically for the exhibit. They will explore the various implications and sentiments that surround this powerful image. The unconventional exhibit space will serve as a forum for the Artists work and entail community involvement.

The Artist include, Katherine Brown, Lili Dyer, Anel I. Flores, Adriana Garcia, Cardee Garcia, Elizabeth Goode, Dayna De Hoyos, Myriam Lanau, Jassie Ríos, Irma Rivera, Mary Agnes Rodríguez, Megan Rodríguez, Erica Salinas and Grace Zúñiga. The exhibition was curated by Kimberly Garza Campbell.

Additional programming will include a film series that will take place at the Great Northwest Public Library on March 17 at 2:00pm. Select Art: 21 episodes from three seasons related to women in contemporary Art exploring longing, loss, hope, place and memory, as well as an interview conducted by Hans Obrist of Felix Gonzalez-Torres. This event is free and open to the public.

**EXHIBITION:           ...Has Come to Hand**

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**GUEST CURATOR:** Kimberly Garza Campbell

**LOCATION:** **The Great Northwest Public Library**  
**9050 Wellwood Street San Antonio TX 78250**  
**210.684.5251**

**DATES:** **March 10-April 28 2007**

**OPENING:** **March 10, 3:00pm-5:00pm**

**HOURS:**

Sunday	1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Monday	1:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday & Wednesday	9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thursday - Saturday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**The exhibition and the film series are free and open to the public. It was made possible by the San Antonio Public Library and the Alameda National Center for Latino Arts and Culture.**

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