



Application for Recordings Jurying

In order to recoup a portion of the costs associated with jurying, Tamarack now requires a fee for submissions. **Effective September 1, 2010 there will a charge of \$15.00 dollars to submit your recording for jurying.**

RECORDINGS SENT IN FOR REVIEW WILL NOT BE RETURNED

If accepted, the recording(s) will be eligible to be sold at Tamarack. A preliminary test order is typical. Reorders may follow based on successful sales.

Music is reviewed by a professional artist who is involved in music performance and is a production expert.

Criteria for Music Jurying

Tamarack is constantly seeking materials pursuant to our mission of providing opportunities for West Virginia writers, performers and musicians. All submissions **must** meet the following criteria: Single Artist - Current West Virginia resident. Groups - 50% of members must be current West Virginia residents.

All music materials must be available for purchase without minimum requirements. It is your responsibility to provide and update information pertaining to the distributor or agent. Accepted CDs should be currently available for purchase. For out-of-print CDs, significant stock should be available for purchase and be in excellent condition.

Physical Criteria

Note: Jurors will review music and production qualities and printing quality of materials.

Tamarack reserves the right to choose music that is appropriate and marketable. Juried CDs are not guaranteed purchase by Tamarack. CDs with limited appeal and/or specialized content may be placed on an "order only" list or purchased at the buyer's discretion.

Music Criteria

Cover sleeve should be pleasing to the eye.

Inside cover sleeve should contain biographical material and have list of songs with credits for the music.

Canned music is only acceptable if it is minimal and in the background. Majority of music should be live.

Music should be of high quality and professional production.

CD must be in a plastic jewel case or ecology minded card board case. Tamarack does not accept CDs in plain paper CD envelopes.

Pricing

Expect pricing to be reflective of music store margins.

Ordering Information

Tamarack Music Buyer:	Sue Acord 500 Van Kirk Drive Beckley, WV 25801 (304) 256-6702, ext. 310 sacord@tamarackwv.com
Artisan Services Director:	Ron DeWitt One Tamarack Park Beckley, WV 25801 1-88TAMARACK, ext. 149 rdewitt@tamarackwv.com
Events Director: To Book Performances	Kelly Elkins One Tamarack Park Beckley, WV 25801 1-88TAMARACK, ext. 151 kelkins@tamarackwv.com
Tamarack Book/Music Department:	(304) 256-6843, ext. 138
Send applications with music to Artisan Services Coordinator:	Robin Watson One Tamarack Park Beckley, WV 25801 1-88TAMARACK, ext. 107 rwatson@tamarackwv.com

TAMARACK: *The Best of West Virginia*
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Music title: _____

Artist: _____

Address of artist: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone: _____

Fax: _____ County: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Web Site: _____

West Virginia resident? Yes / No (circle one)

Single Artist - Current WV Resident Requirement. Groups - 50% of Members Must be Current WV Residents

Music Company Contact: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Retail Price: _____ Wholesale price: _____

Has title previously been submitted to Tamarack for jurying? Yes / No (circle one)

If "yes," when? _____

Does this artist have other titles at Tamarack? Yes / No (circle one)

If "yes," please list: _____

Name of applicant: _____

Address of applicant: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone: _____

Signature of applicant: _____ Date: _____

Please submit to:

Robin Watson

Tamarack Recording Jury

One Tamarack Park

Beckley, WV 25801