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MEDIA ADVISORY: See Art Come to Life at the Detroit Zoo

Artist and advocate making chalk drawings throughout the summer

ROYAL OAK, Mich. (July 19, 2024)

<u>WHAT:</u> The <u>Detroit Zoological Society</u> has partnered with the <u>Living and Learning Enrichment Center</u> to bring local artist Nick Bair to the <u>Detroit Zoo</u> on select Wednesdays throughout the summer. During each of his visits, Nick creates a vibrant, chalk-art drawing that delights guests and furthers the Zoo's mission of creating meaningful connections between people, animals and the natural world so all can thrive.

<u>ABOUT THE ARTIST</u>: Nick Bair is passionate about wildlife and creates art using a variety of mediums. As an artist who also has autism, Nick is known for contributing to events that support children with special needs and physical handicaps.

WHEN: July 24, Aug. 7, Aug. 21, Sept. 4 and Sept. 18. Times vary. All dates are weather dependent and subject to change.

WHERE: The Detroit Zoo 8450 W. 10 Mile Road Royal Oak, MI 48067

PARTNERS AND SPONSORS: Artwork is presented in partnership with the Living and Learning Enrichment Center.

<u>QUESTIONS AND MEDIA INQUIRES</u>: To see Nick Bair's art in action, plan media coverage or ask any questions, please contact DZS Communications Manager Sarah Culton at (248) 336-5733 or sculton@dzs.org.