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Exhibition Features Indiana Glass Artist Steve Sizelove

(Richmond, IN) – The Indianapolis Art Center will be hosting Richmond artist Steve Sizelove in an upcoming solo exhibition entitled *Glass in the Flame: a Contemporary Exploration of Venetian Design*. The exhibition will feature Sizelove’s unmistakably modern vessels and award-winning goblets. The artist uses a propane and oxygen torch to manipulate glass tubing and rods, creating work that is unexpectedly detailed. His pieces often include inviting figurative elements.

Excited about his first major show in the Indianapolis area, Sizelove looks forward to presenting his glass to the public. “One of the most rewarding aspects of my work is to challenge people’s perceptions of glass vessels.” Christine Kloostra, a writer for *Niche* and *American Style* magazines, noted that his pieces “feature simple but elegant designs in warm tones,” and the “goblets provoke the viewer to look beyond the works as functional, utilitarian pieces.” Furthermore, “His work adds flair to the recognizable forms of goblets and vessels, creating objects that exist beyond their mere usefulness.”

The exhibition, running from December 1st through January 28th, rounds out an exciting year for Sizelove. His work has appeared in numerous publications including Lark Books’ release *500 Glass Objects*. HGTV’s program *That’s Clever!* aired a segment in October showing Sizelove creating a Venetian-themed goblet. He has participated in juried and invitational exhibitions at galleries around the country and has been honored as a 2006 and 2007 Niche Award finalist. Sharing his love for theamework process, Sizelove has taught workshops from Philadelphia to Berkeley, California. Laughing at his hectic schedule, Steve, also a husband and father of three, says that he wouldn’t change a thing!

To view Sizelove’s work and learn more about the artist, please visit his website at www.stevesizelove.com. You may also contact him through info@stevesizelove.com or at (765)960-5148. High resolution images are available upon request.

The Indianapolis Art Center is located at 820 E 67th Street, Indianapolis. The phone number is (317)255-2464. Hours of operation are M-F 9 a.m.-10 p.m., Sat 9 a.m.-6 p.m., and Sun Noon-6 p.m.

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