

Mural Art Trail

M 1: 'Off to War' World War II Tribute
Mid block of Moore and Carthage Streets

M 2: Herb Thomas and the Fabulous Hudson Hornet
West side of mid-block of N. Steele Street

M 3: Silent Wings
North wall at corner of Wicker and S. Steele Streets

M 4: Sanford Spinners
West wall at Corner of Wicker Street and S. Horner Blvd.

M 5: Tobacco Mural
South wall of 526 Wicker Street

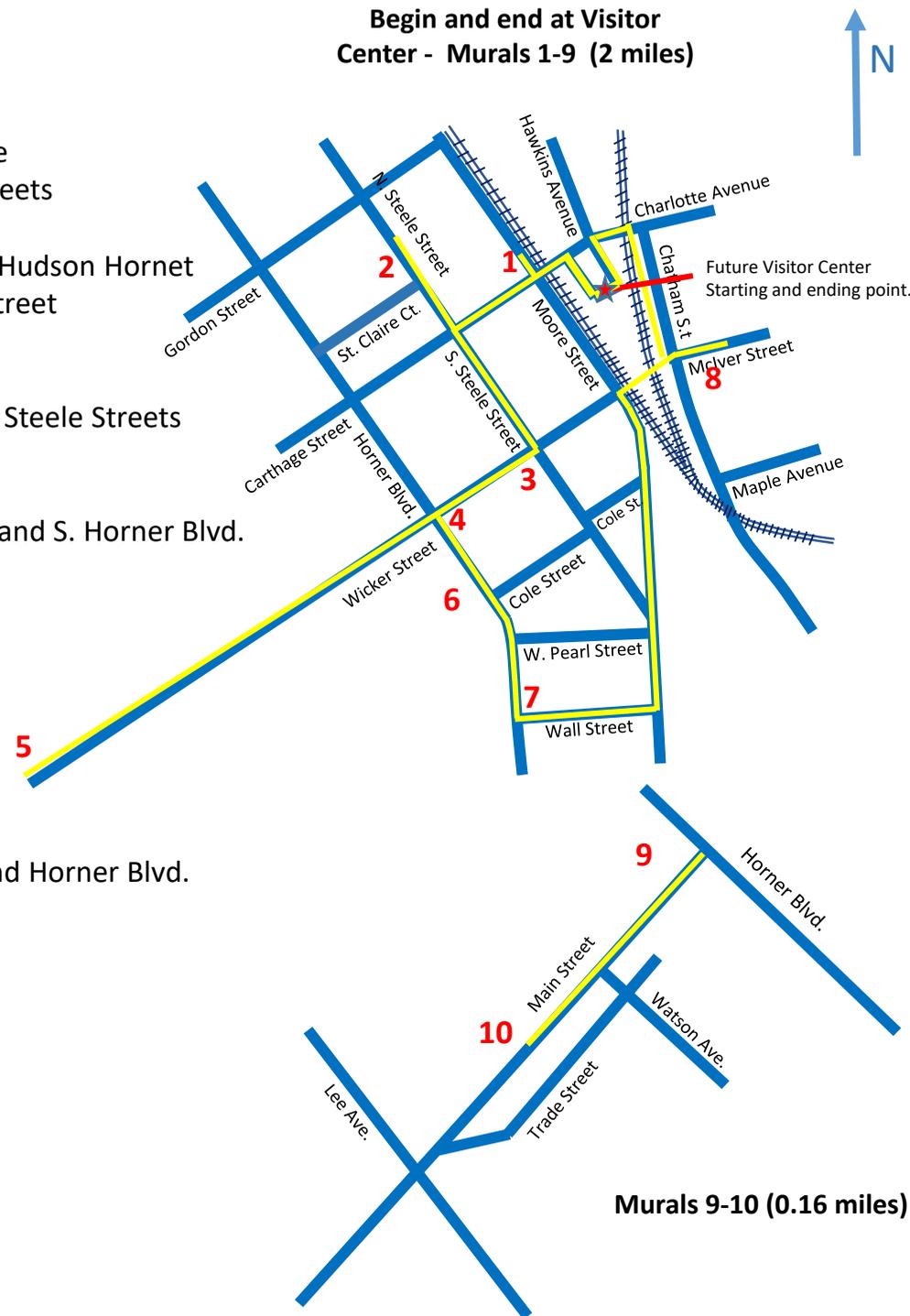
M 6: Bringing the Arts Together
North facing wall of 220 N. Horner

M 7: Visionary Builders
South wall of corner of Wall Street and Horner Blvd.

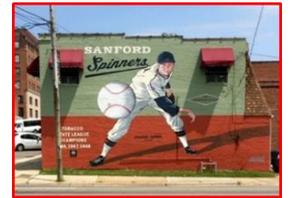
M 8: Fairview Dairy
West wall of 132 McIver Street

M 9: Dream
South wall of 2412 S. Horner Blvd.

M 10: Jonesboro Cornet Band
West wall of 108 E. Main Street



City of Sanford Mural Art Trail





1. 'Off to War' World War II Tribute

Sponsor: Chris Dalton.

This mural honors all the men and women of Sanford and Lee County who have and continue to serve and protect our country. Muralist: Chris Dalton



2. Herb Thomas and the Fabulous Hudson Hornet

Sponsor: Central Carolina Enterprise Park

This mural honors Herb Thomas and his Fabulous Hudson Hornet. Herb was instrumental in the birth of NASCAR and was inducted into the National Motorsports Press Association Hall of Fame in Darlington in 1965 and the International Motorsports Hall of Fame in Talladega in 1994. He was named one of NASCAR's 50 Greatest Drivers in 1998 and was inducted into the NASCAR Hall of Fame in Charlotte in 2012. Muralist: Scott Nurkin



3. Silent Wings

Sponsors: Blalock, Perry and Williams families. This mural honors Lee Roy Perry, Frank Blalock Sr., and Edward 'Bucky' Williams, who were glider pilots during World War II. Muralist: Scott Nurkin



4. Sanford Spinners

Sponsor: Sanford Contractors.

This mural honors all the athletes who played for the Sanford Spinners in the Tobacco State League during the late 1940s. The Spinners played at Temple Park on the corner of McIver and Seventh streets. The mural depicts Howard Auman, who pitched the Spinners to a state championship in 1946.

Muralist: Scott Nurkin



5. Tobacco Mural

Sponsor: Grant from the Honorable John Sauls of the House of Representatives and the State of North Carolina

This mural celebrates Sanford's rich agricultural past, present and future.

Muralist: Chris Dalton



6. Bringing the ARTs Together

Sponsor: Sanford Brush and Palette Club

This mural celebrates over 50 years of Art in Sanford

Muralist: Chris Dalton

Mechanical Fabricator and Installer: Jeff Buchanan



7. Visionary Builders

Sponsors: Knott's Funeral Home, Downtown Sanford Inc., Lee County Arts Council, Wilson and Reives, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, and citizen donations. This mural honors Link Boykin and W.B. Wicker. Boykin was a builder and business owner in the 1900s who built many of Sanford's historic homes and buildings. Wicker was a much-beloved educator who was the first principal of the South Sanford Graded School.

Muralist: Scott Nurkin



8. Fairview Dairy

Sponsors: Grants from the Honorable John Sauls of the N. C. House of Representatives, the Duke Energy Foundation, Carol and Ann Yarborough, Paradise Towing, and citizen donations. The Yarborough family began the Fairview Dairy in the early 1900s with ten cows, which provided all the milk for the city of Sanford. The family later opened the Fairview Dairy store to sell milk and ice cream. The store eventually became today's Yarborough's Ice Cream. Muralists: Chris Dalton



9. DREAM

Sponsors: Grant from the Honorable John Sauls of the House of Representatives and the State of North Carolina, and the Cameron Shopping Center. This mural is to spark the imagination in old and young alike.

Muralist Chris Dalton



10. Jonesboro Cornet Band

Sponsors: Jonesboro Historical Society, Dr. Larry O'Connell, Descendants of the Cornet Band, and citizen donations. This mural honors historic Jonesboro's popular musical group, formed when Sanford and Jonesboro were still separate cities. The depiction is from 1905. Muralist: Scott Nurkin