

Did you spot a dot?

You may be wondering why there are dots around Jackson County. The Ella Sharp Museum of Art and History is celebrating the 20-year history of the neighborhood art project called the Heidelberg Project in Detroit by hosting the exhibition, *Street Sense: Celebrating 20 Years of the Heidelberg Project*.



Photo by Donna Terek

The exhibition is on display March 7, 2009 through May 23, 2009.

Tyree Guyton, the Heidelberg Project's creator, has a continual theme of "Connecting the Dots," which symbolizes a harmony between art, politics, community spirit and love. Guyton's vision of using art to transform an environment can be carried into communities like Jackson County. His thought-provoking art transformed a deteriorated neighborhood into one of hope and possibility.

The Ella will host a *Connection Reception* on March 6 from 6 to 8 pm, where Tyree will be previewing the exhibition. Make your reservations now!



Breaking News, Tyree Guyton, 1995

Tyree will return to Jackson as part of the County National Bank Lecture Series on April 16 at 7 pm.

Visit the Ella Sharp Museum
of Art and History
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