## For Immediate Release

Judi Forman solo spotlight show of metal jewelry opens

Canal Street Art Gallery presents: *Judi Forman solo spotlight*, showing the artist's newest work creating one-of-a-kind artist jewelry. The *Judi Forman Solo Spotlight* show opens December 15th and is on view through February 10th. Join the gallery for 3rd Friday Gallery Night in Historic Downtown Bellows Falls, Vermont, from 5-7pm on December 15th to celebrate and meet the artists. All gallery events are free, open to the public, and family friendly. For wheelchair access call 802-289-0104 upon arrival.

Judi Forman, based in Westminster, Vermont, is a metal artist working with silver, copper, niobium, and steel, using techniques such as anodizing, imprinting texture, and drawing with colored pencil. The artist uses patinated copper with colored pencil along with silver to create works such as "Three Birds Brooch and Pendant" Forman designs compositions often inspired by nature on and with the multiple surfaces she has shaped. Multiple pieces are often riveted together to present the final work. Forman's most recent work using colored pencil on copper, adds both bright color and texture to the artist's jewelry.

"I find inspiration in the work of my teachers and other jewelry artists, but then it boils down to just what happens between me and the materials. I love the synergy between the metal, my ideas and the tools. Some of my favorite pieces are the result of serendipity such as how a particular piece of copper responds to the heat of a torch on a particular day and acquires a one-of-a-kind patina." -Judi Forman

Canal Street Art Gallery is located at 23 Canal Street, in Historic Downtown Bellows Falls, Vermont, and is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00am to 5:00pm. For more information about the *Judi Forman solo spotlight* show or Canal Street Art Gallery, go to canalstreetartgallery.com online, call Mike by phone at 802-289-0104, or send emails to artinfo@canalstreetartgallery.com.