

Basic Detail Report



Cut-Tyvek face mask

Date

7-1-2021

Primary Maker

Rosa Leff

Medium

Tyvek

Description

White hand cut tyvek face mask with ties. Rosa Leff is a contemporary paper-cut artist who works in the style known in German as scherenschnitte (scissor cuts). Her

usual subject matter is everyday urban scenes from Baltimore. During the pandemic, she made face masks as a nod to the rising need for personal protective equipment (PPE). “So many of us picked up creative hobbies during the pandemic as a way of finding comfort, occupying our time, and coping with stress,” Leff writes. “Those of us who were professional artists adjust[ed] our business models, move[d] our exhibitions online, and incorporate[d] the new normal into our art.”

Dimensions

3 1/2" x 4" x 8"