

# **Artist: Marjorie Hall Bicker**

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Maggie started painting murals quite by accident. One day while shopping at Joe's Carpet Warehouse, she learned that a gift shop "The River's Edge" was moving into the old Santa Fe station master's house. She had always felt sad about the house being within four feet of a warehouse. So she and Floid McCord, owner of Joe's, put their heads together and "Wrap Around Winfield" was the result. Generally, in the beginning stages of a project Maggie will work with the patron to develop the plan. One idea will lead to another, and many planning sketches are completed before the final work is begun. After the warehouse was painted, calls began to come to paint other murals in Winfield; so she left

