

Creative Mind and Hip Academy artists Aaron Sutton, Feminine, King Qlamo and J. McConnell have joined together to create this freestyle graffiti mural in honor of **Kansas City's First Annual Metro Earth Day Festival** held on April 22, 2007 produced by **StoneLion Puppet Theatre** and sponsored by The Chameleon Arts Caravan, Kansas City Parks and Recreation and The Neighborhood Tourist Development Fund.

Throughout the weekend these four graffiti artists assisted by passersby, children playing at the Brush Creek Community Center and Earth Day festival participants spent approximately 32 hours painting these representations. On one side of the trailer you can see pollution trying to conquer the environment and on the other side several Earth Mothers are standing in opposition.

The spray paint being used on this project is Greek Spray paint with no flora carbons and safe for the ozone!  
The children are using acrylic water soluble paint.

J. McConnell started the Hip Hop Academy and Creative Mind as an outlet for inner city at risk youth. They supply creative after school and weekend outlets for the talent of PS-18 year olds. Their center is based at Operation Breakthrough located at 31st and Troost Kansas City, MO and they travel to area centers and schools as well.

Special thanks to American Trailer and Container for sponsoring this activity!