

PLATFORM PROJECTS/WALKS
2020: ecologies of the local

Speedwell Projects
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PROMPTS FOR WALKING

on your own

Kim Beck, *prompt for walking*

Take a walk with a dog.

Stop when they stop.

Smell when they smell.

Notice what they notice.

Todd Shalom, *Fabstractions*

Get as close as you can to the waterfall while minding your safety.

You'll notice that if you move your ears, it filters the sounds that you hear. If you turn your head, you can instantly change your stereo mix.

Try this out by literally bending the upper and lower parts of your ear and moving your head from side to side.

Over the next three minutes, please make a composition for yourself just by moving your head and your ears. You might want to have a dramatic beginning or a soft ending. That's up to you. You're the only one who can hear it. I'd recommend starting with your palms over your ears, effectively clogging them, and then going from there.

Julie Poitras Santos, *an empty lot*

Carry a glass
Of water
To an old lot
Walk

Broken
Line drawings
On tar
Study

The ground
Tend weeds
And freedoms
Found there