

Retro Supply Co.

PHANTOM PAPER



INK SOAKS IN LIKE MAGIC!



PAPER NEVER ENDS, BUT HOW?

PAPER

DOTS PER INCH

21

300

FREE

STAINS, FOLDS
& CREASES PACK

PAPER PROPERTIES

PHANTOM PAPER: A unique blend of different classic archival papers designed to expand endlessly and made to let your work take on the ink and paper textures.

AFFINITY USER GUIDE

PHANTOM PAPER FOR AFFINITY

Give all your projects the exact look and feel you’re after!

Phantom Paper is a versatile library of 21 high-definition, truly seamless paper textures for Procreate.

Each paper texture has its own unique qualities which makes it flexible whether you need to add just a touch of analog goodness or rich depth and

texture. Our two-layer system gives you fine-grain control over the intensity and shadow of the paper.

Plus, you can easily resize textures to any size, adjust blending modes, and convert to greyscale for your own unique look and feel.

Enjoy!

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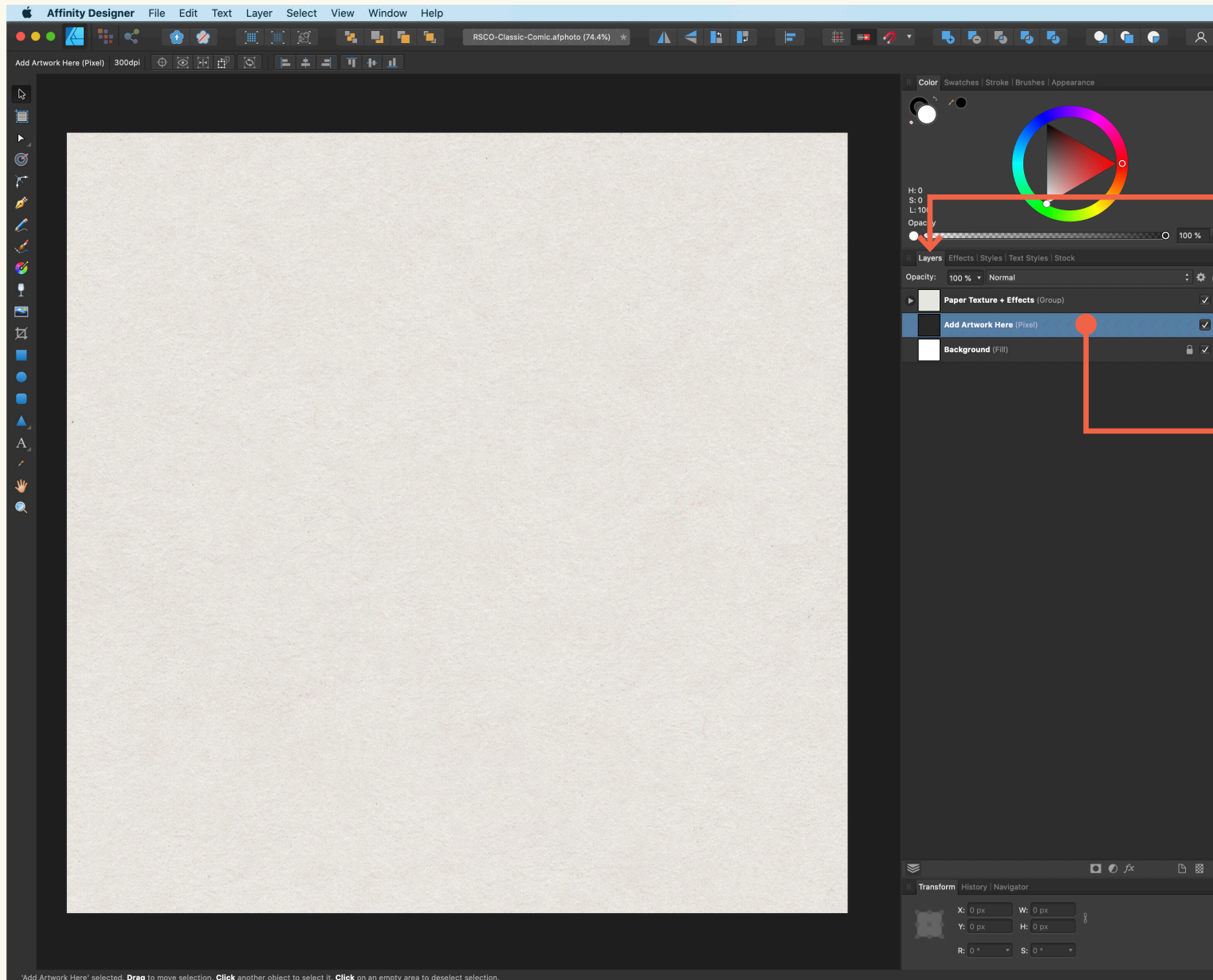
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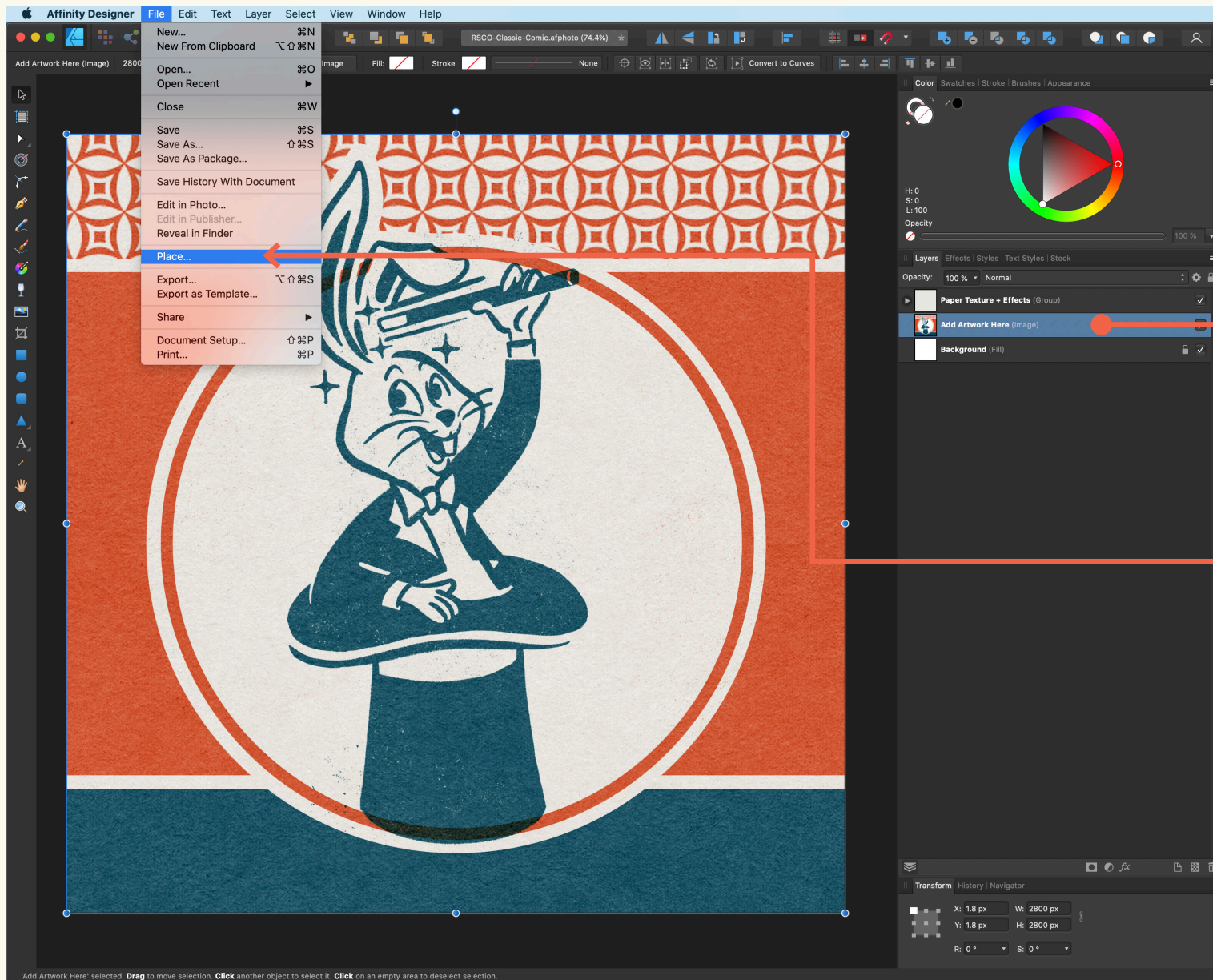
STEP 1:

Start by opening one of the .afphoto files.

Open the **Layers Panel**.

Select the layer labeled **Add Artwork Here**.

NOTE: These files can be used in both Affinity Designer and Affinity Photo.



STEP 2:

Add your artwork to this layer.

You can either:

- A. **Draw** directly on this layer.
- B. Click **File** > **Place** and insert your artwork from an existing file.
- C. **Copy and Paste** your artwork from another document in Photoshop.



STEP 1:

Open the **Layers Panel**.

Expand the group titled **Paper Texture + Effects** by clicking the arrow.



STEP 2:

This is your paper texture.

The paper texture layer will always have the same name as the file.

We do not recommend making changes to this layer's opacity or blending mode.

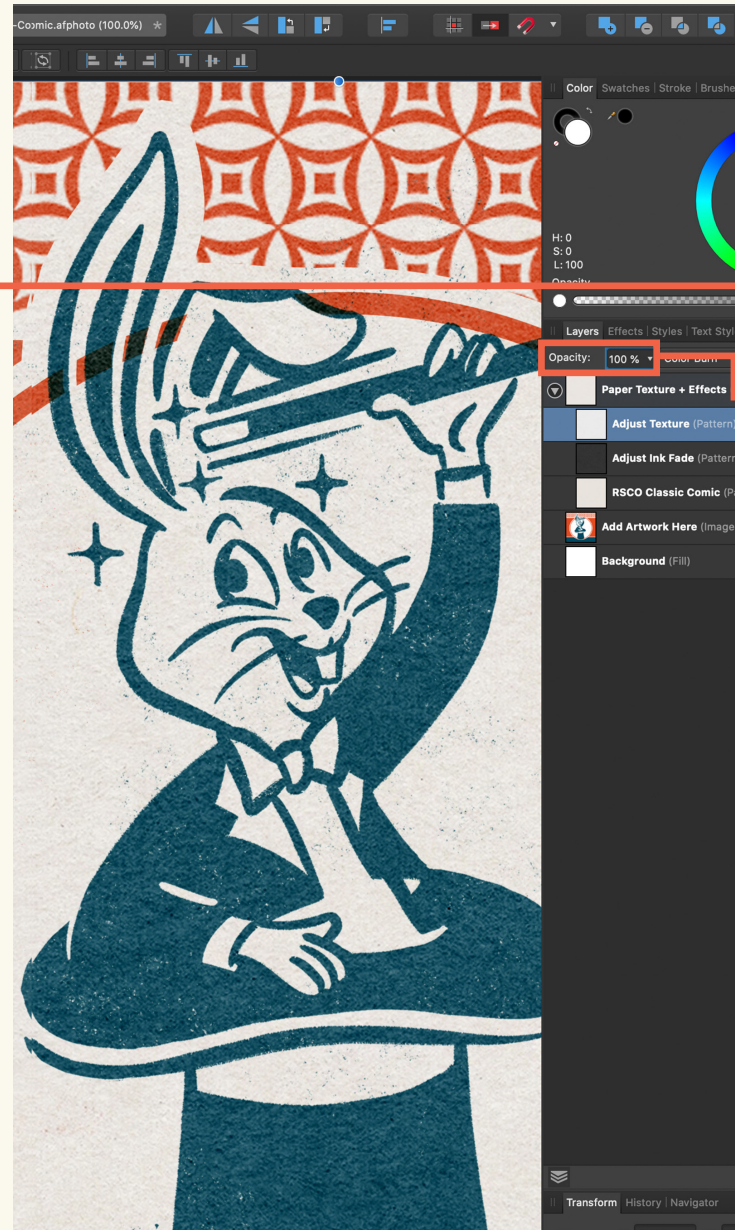
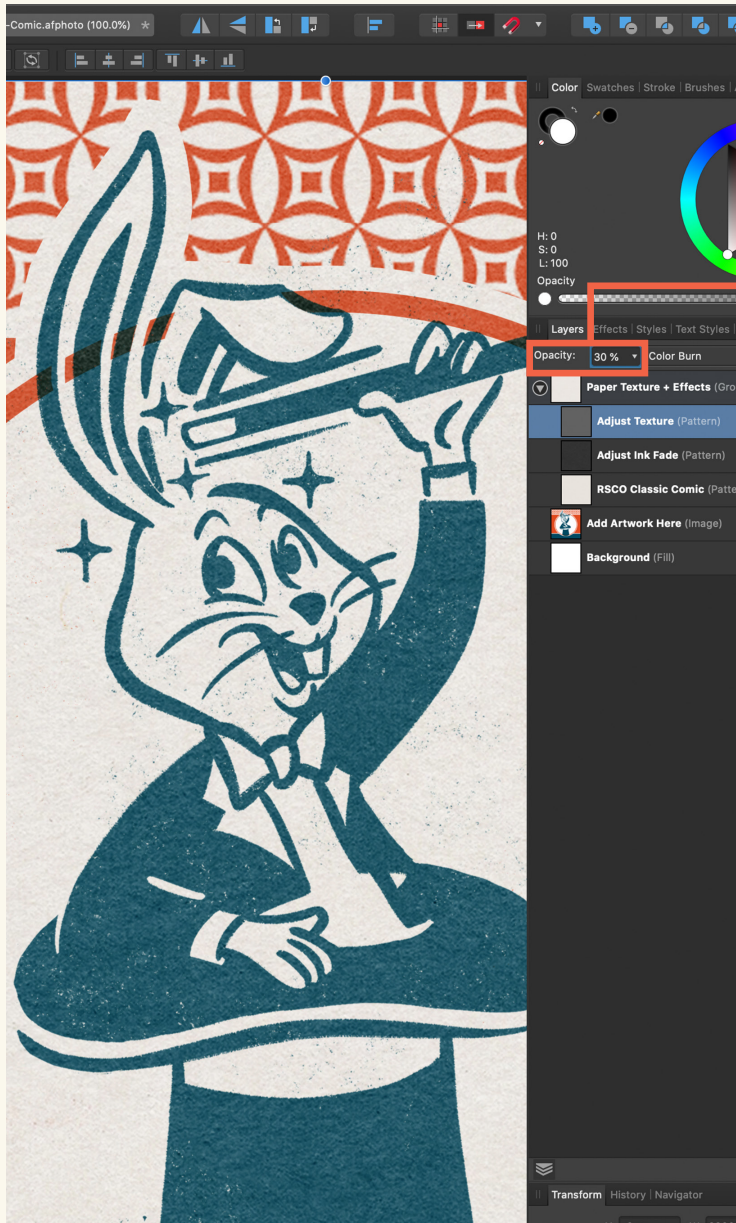


STEP 3:

This layer allows you to **adjust the intensity of the depth of the paper texture.**

Select the layer.

Adjust the Opacity slider until you get your desired effect.



STEP 3 (CONT):

In this example, you can see how adjusting the opacity of this layer affects the texture depth.

On the left, the opacity set at 30%.

On the right, the opacity set at 100%.

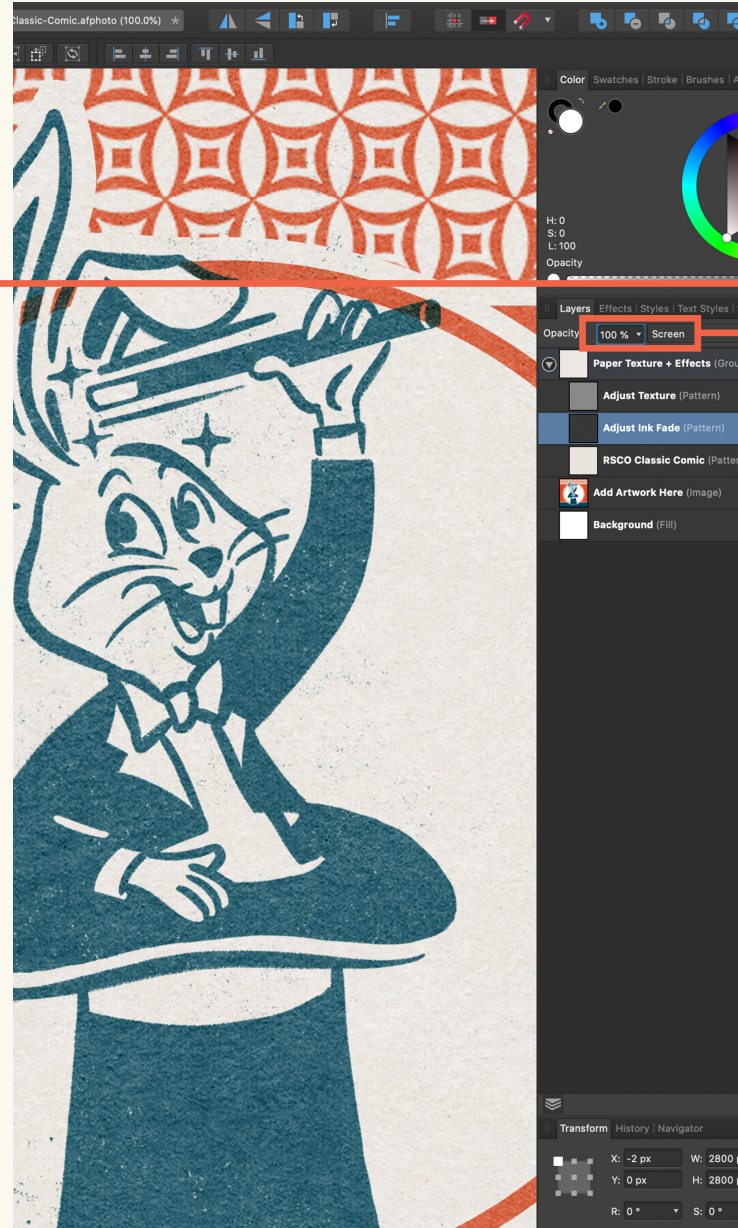
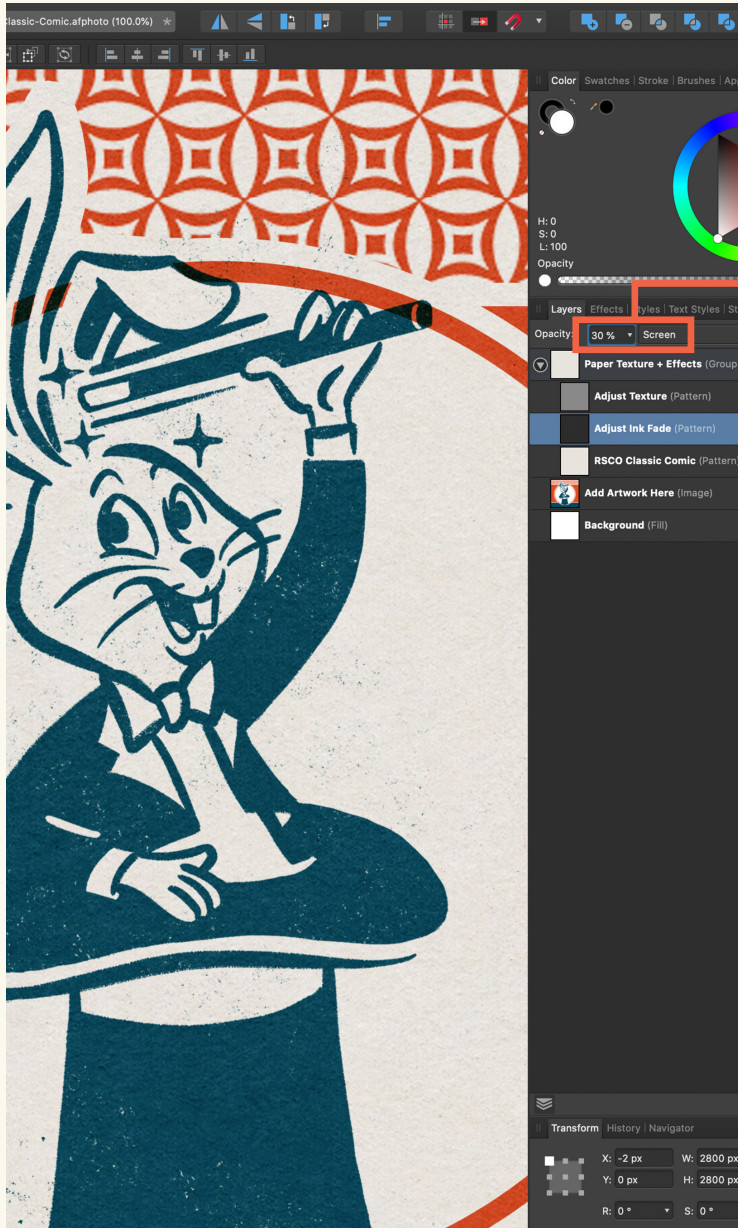


STEP 4:

This layer allows you to **adjust the ink effects** and how the ink interacts with the paper.

Select the layer.

Adjust the Opacity slider until you get your desired effect.

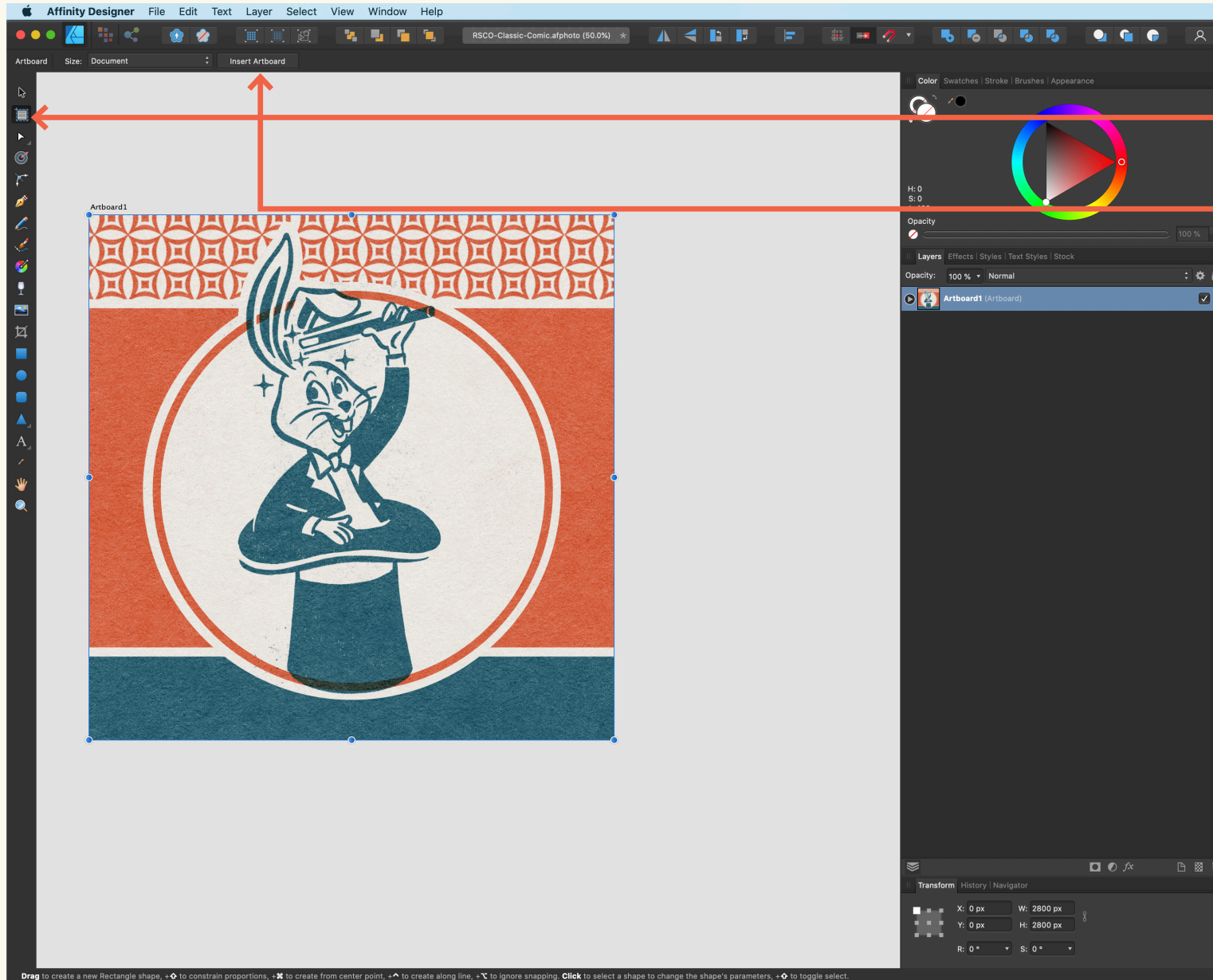


STEP 4 (CONT):

In this example, you can see how adjusting the opacity of this layer affects how the ink interacts with the paper.

On the left, the opacity set at 30%.

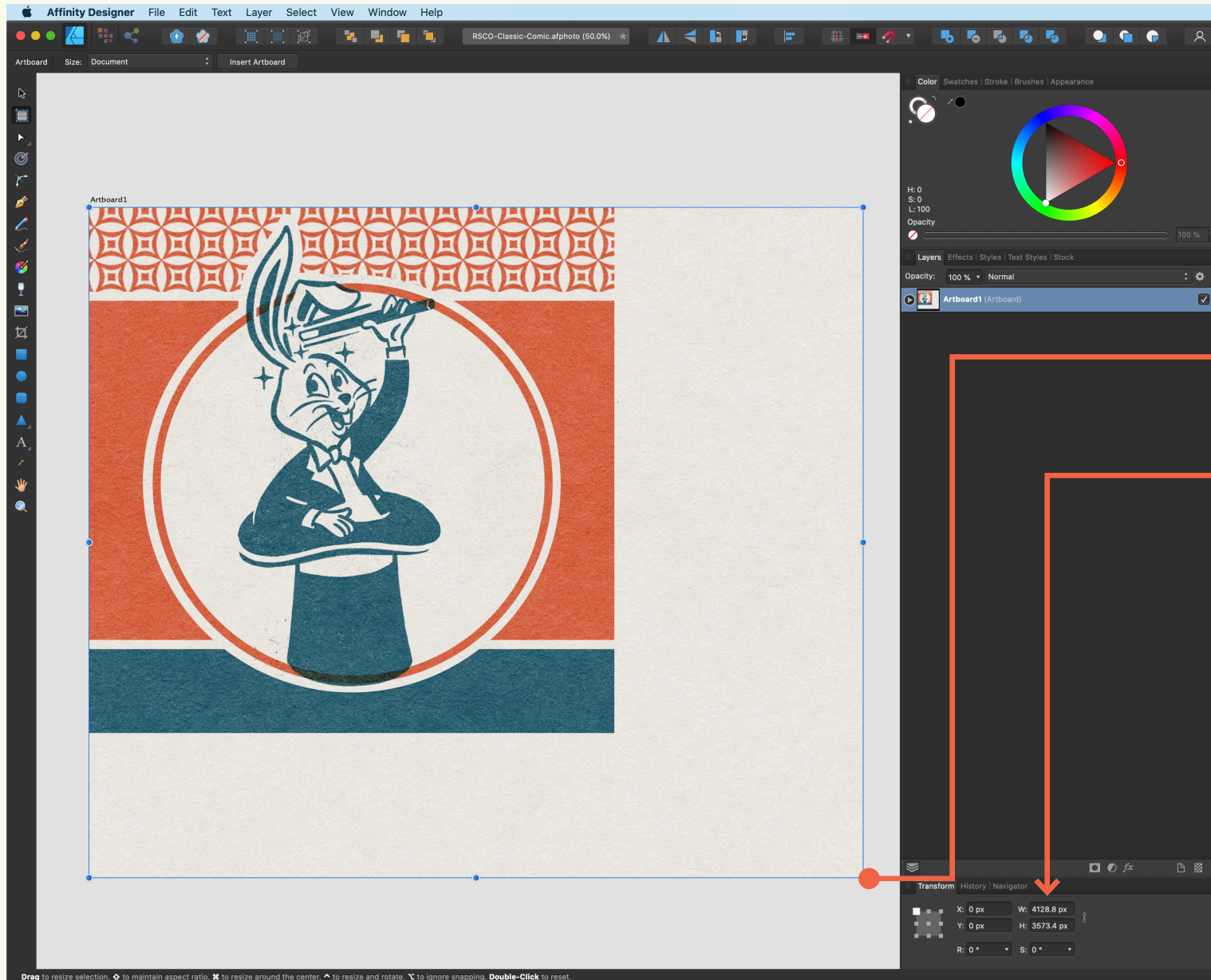
On the right, the opacity set at 100%.



STEP 1:

Select the **Artboard Tool**.

Click **Insert Board**.



STEP 2:

You can **scale your Artboard** by either:

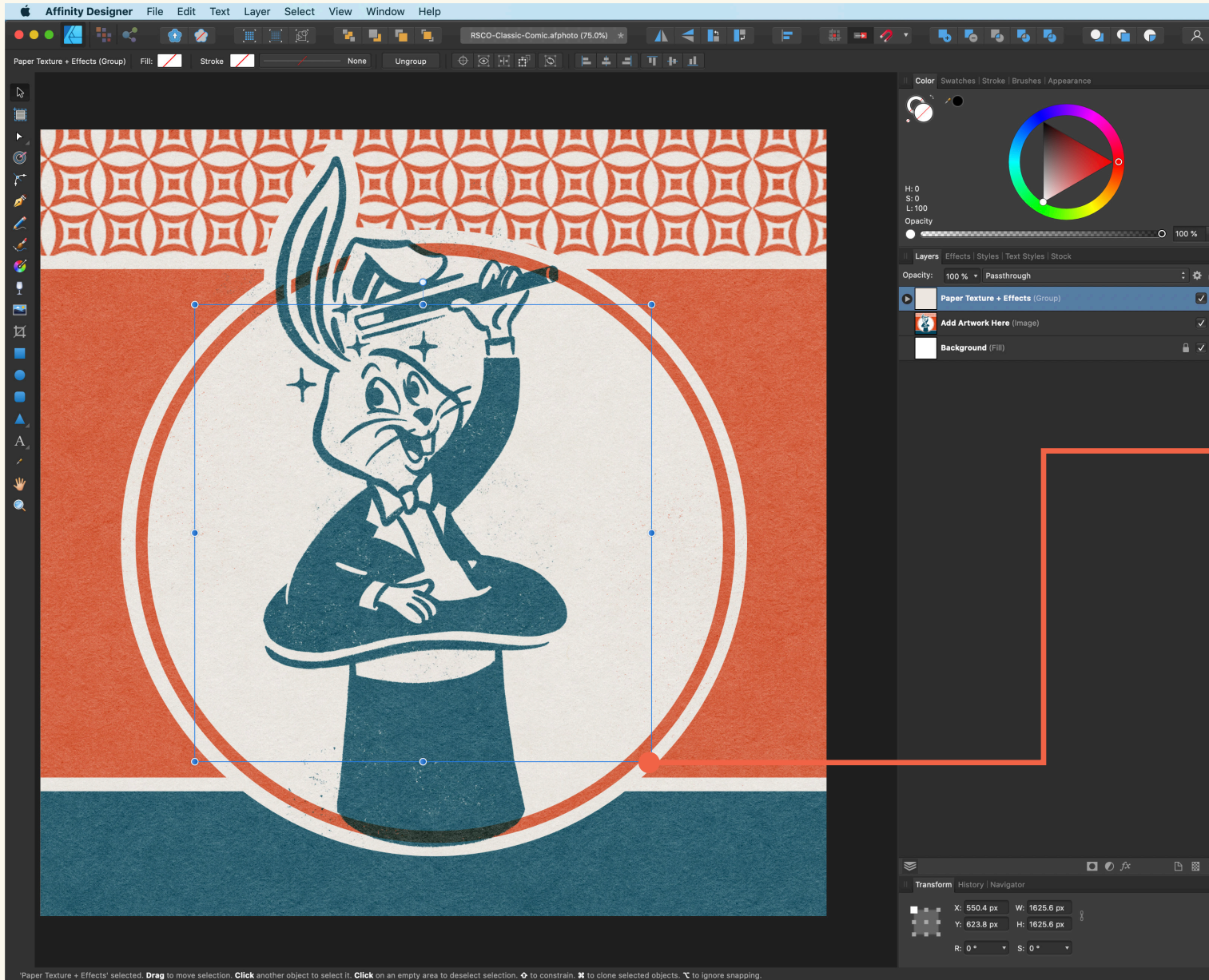
- A. **Dragging the sides of the Artboard** out to your desired size.
- B. **Typing in your desired ratio in the Transformation Panel.**

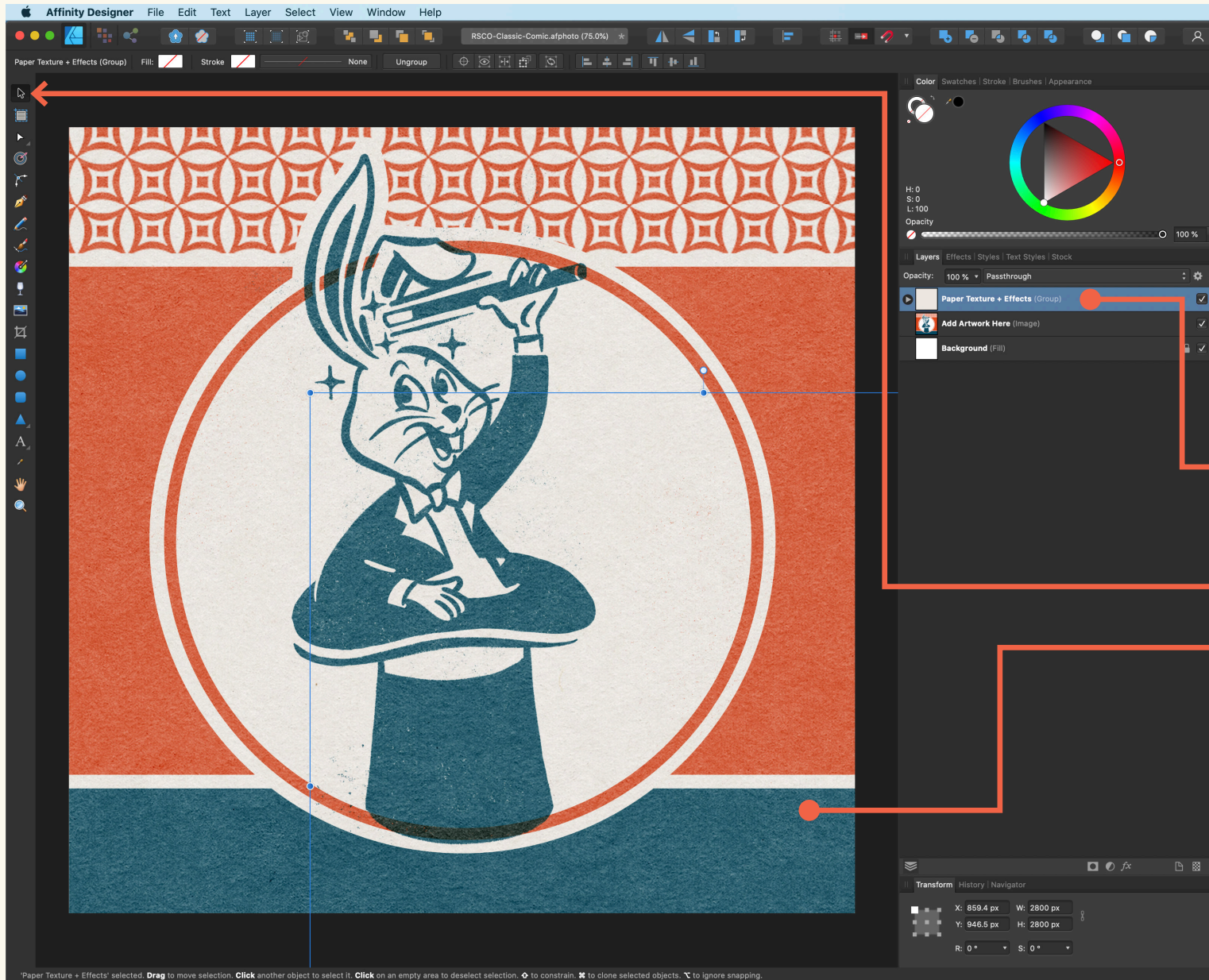


STEP 1:

- Open the **Layers Panel**.
- Select the **Paper Texture + Effects group**.
- Select the **Move Tool**.

"Paper Texture + Effects" selected. **Drag** to move selection. **Click** another object to select it. **Click** on an empty area to deselect selection.





Select the **Paper Texture + Effects** folder in the Layers Panel.

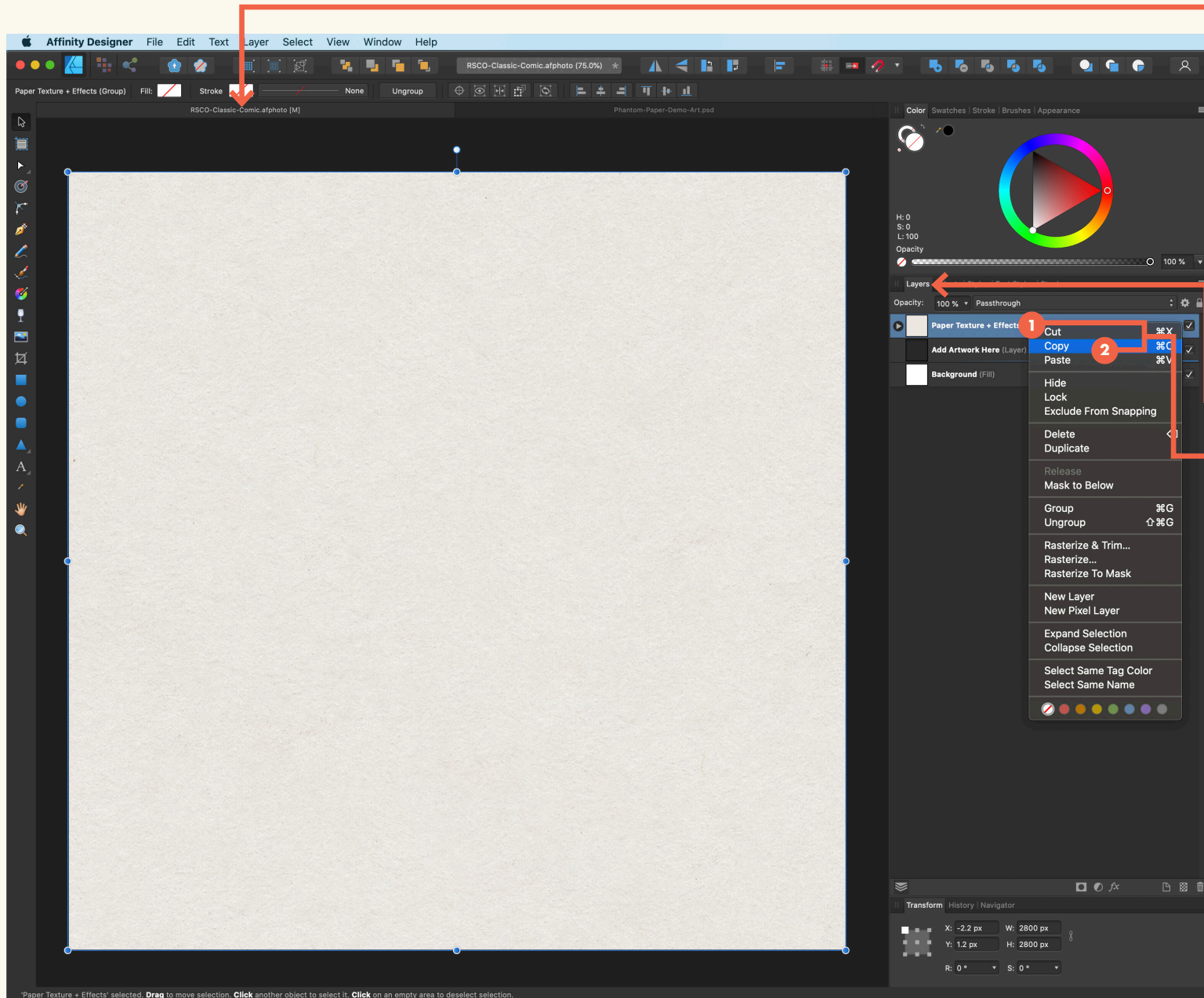
Select the **Move Tool**.

Click and hold anywhere on your canvas and move the paper around.



STEP 1:

Open your existing artwork file as well as the paper texture file you want to use.



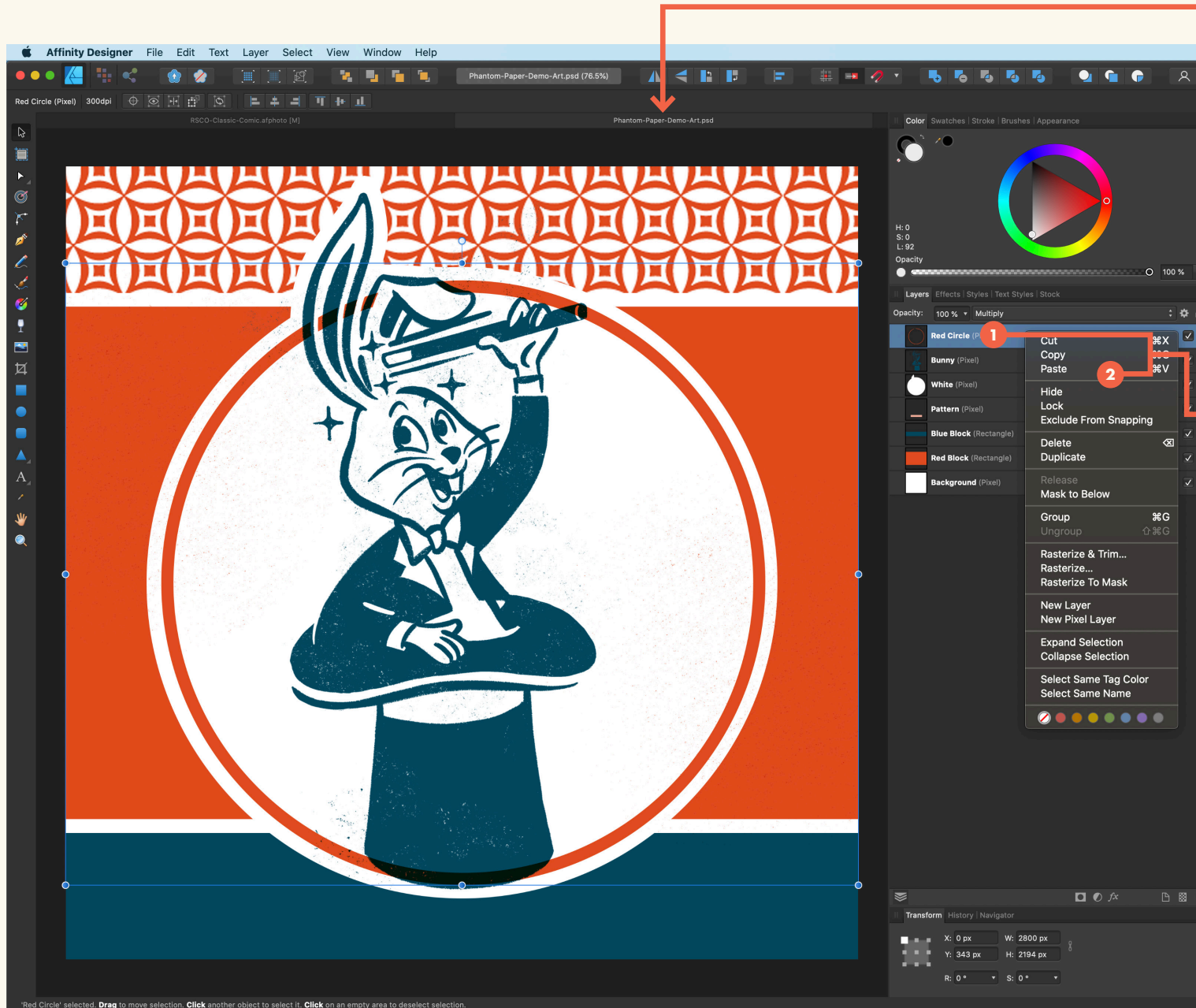
STEP 2:

Toggle to the paper texture file.

Open the **Layers Panel**.

Right click on the **Layer Group** titled **Paper Textures + Effects**.

Choose **Copy**.



STEP 3:

Toggle back to your
artwork file.

Right click the top
layer and choose **Paste**.



STEP 4:

The layer group should paste above your artwork layers.

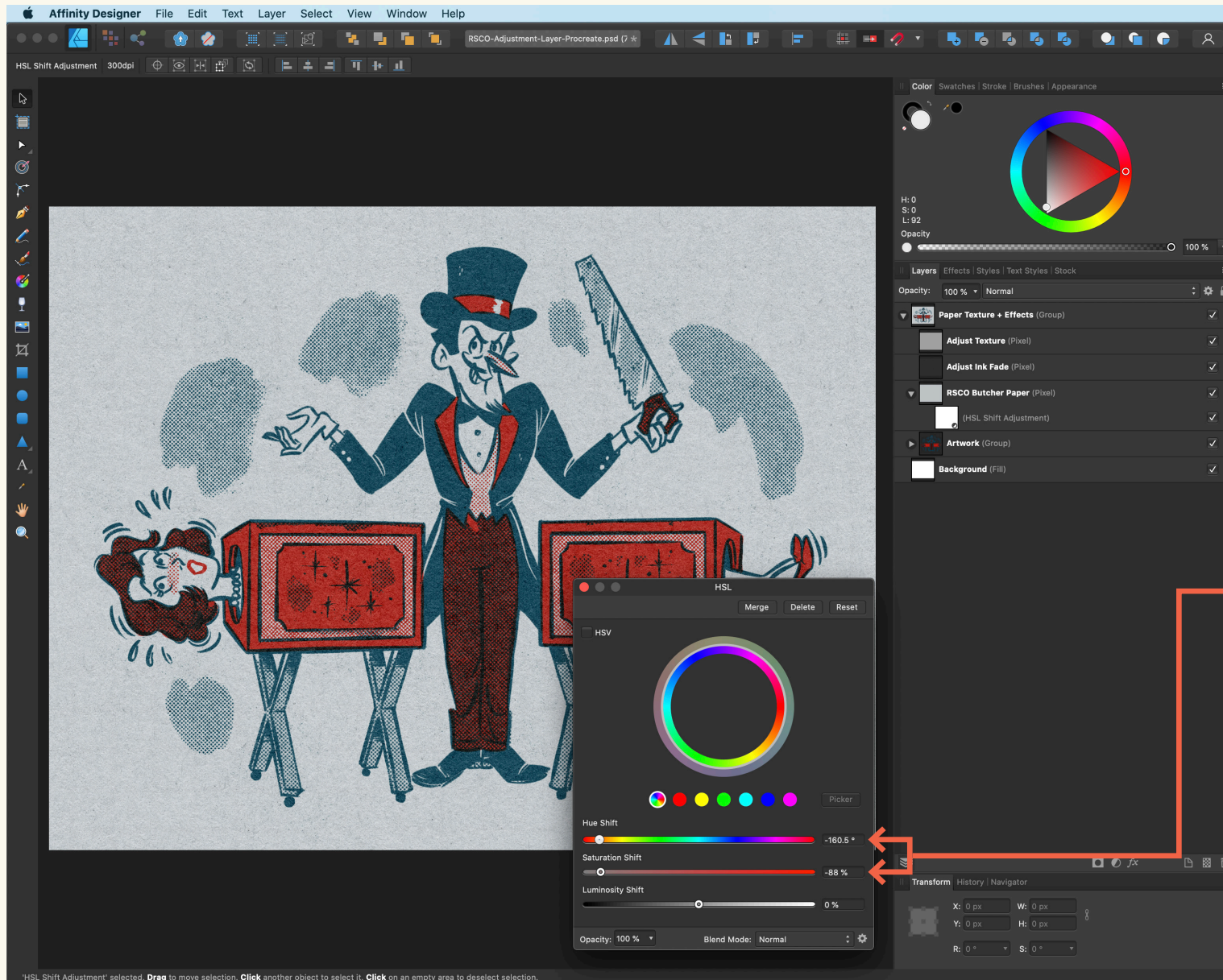
If it is not, simply **click and drag the Paper Texture + Effects group to the top**, above all your existing layers.



STEP 1:

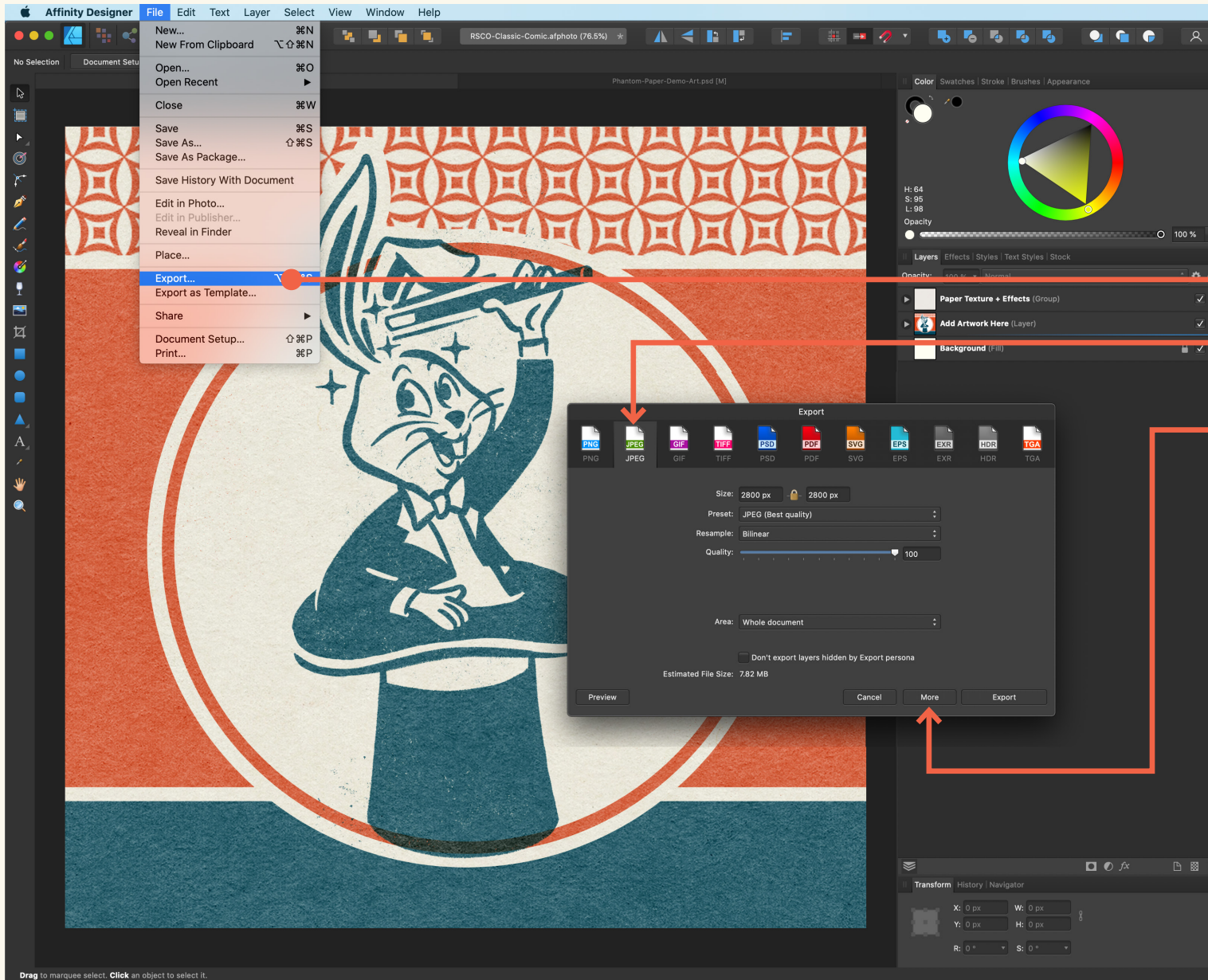
Select the paper layer in the Layers Panel.

Click the **Adjustments** icon at the bottom of the Layers Panel and choose **HSL**.



STEP 2:

Adjust the **Hue** slider and **Saturation** slider until you get your desired paper color.



STEP 1:

Once you have made all final edits to your image, **export a raster version** for printing.

Go to **File > Export**.

Choose your desired **raster file type**.

Click **More**.



STEP 2:

Choose **CMYK** from the Pixel format menu.

Click **Export**.