

Representative Garnet F. Coleman

Texas House District: 147



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2012

Alley Theatre

Arts Create **\$11,157**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Education **\$2,500**

To support a series of performances and classes that encourage participation in theatre at all levels by exposing Houston area K-12 students to the many aspects that go into creating and producing a play.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,750**

To support 1.5 hour weekly theater classes after school for Houston area youth.

American Festival for the Arts

Arts Create **\$3,793**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Art League of Houston

Arts Create **\$3,793**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Children's Museum of Houston

Designated Funding- Texas Women for the Arts **\$15,000**

To support Spotlight Performances, which bring local artists to the Museum to present shows for a young and diverse audience during our peak attendance times, including Saturdays and weekly Free Family Nights. For these free shows, the Museum chooses performers who represent a broad range of cultures and art forms (theater, music, dance storytelling, and puppeteering) and whose performances are family-friendly. This activity is funded by Texas Women for the Arts.

Community Artists' Collective

Arts Create **\$2,901**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Conrad O Johnson Music and Fine Arts Foundation

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$750**

To support a Youth Orchestra and jazz workshops for at-risk youth in the underserved northeast Houston area.

Da Camera of Houston

Arts Create **\$5,579**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Education **\$1,000**

To support a program that brings university music students into Houston metropolitan area schools to lead interactive workshops and chamber music performances.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$2,500**

To support a month-long residency providing educational music programming for Monarch School students who have neurological differences, in Houston.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,500**

To support the Young Artist Program, a collaborative program that involves young professional musicians who provide music education to residents of the Boys and Girls Harbor, a facility for abused, abandoned, and neglected children ages 5-18.

Dance Houston

Arts Create **\$3,793**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$2,500**

To support Totally Fit, a free dance instruction and nutrition program meant to combat childhood obesity and targeted at economically disadvantaged children ages 8-17 whose families receive Medicaid, in Houston.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,500**

To support after school dance instruction for 450 students in ten economically disadvantaged Houston ISD schools.

Ensemble Theatre

Arts Create **\$6,025**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Gulf Coast: A Journal of Literature and Fine Art

Arts Create **\$3,793**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Houston Ballet Foundation	
Arts Create	\$9,372
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$2,228
<i>To support providing TEKS-aligned dance instruction in Houston area schools.</i>	
Houston Center for Contemporary Craft	
Arts Create	\$7,364
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Houston Chamber Choir	
Arts Create	\$3,347
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$750
<i>To support providing four unique choral workshops to address the musicianship, leadership, and choral conducting needs of Houston middle and high school choir directors.</i>	
Houston Cinema Arts Society	
Arts Create	\$3,793
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Houston Grand Opera Association	
Arts Create	\$10,265
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Health & Human Services	\$1,250
<i>To support art camps and bilingual storytelling workshops for Houston area women and children.</i>	
Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice	\$750
<i>To support a series of summer Opera camps for at-risk students in grades 3-12 in Houston.</i>	
Commission Initiative – Target Foundation	\$4,166
<i>Support for TCA Touring Roster artist Houston Grand Opera’s Opera to Go! to provide eight performances for elementary school students in Beaumont, Port Arthur, and Galveston, November 14-16, 2011.</i>	
Houston International Dance Coalition	
Arts Create	\$5,579
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$750
<i>To support providing dance education opportunities to elementary and high school students in Houston.</i>	
Houston Metropolitan Dance Company	
Arts Create	\$3,793
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	

Houston Symphony	
Arts Create	\$9,372
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Laurel Thornburg	
Commission Initiative – Young Masters	\$2,500
<i>To support the costs of advanced arts training and other expenses for this Texas Young Master (first year of two).</i>	
Multicultural Education & Counseling Through the Arts	
Arts Create	\$4,240
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice	\$750
<i>To support a six-week Summer Program involving at-risk students in the production of musical theater for youth.</i>	
Project Row House	
Arts Create	\$6,918
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Reagan Lukefahr	
Commission Initiative – Young Masters	\$2,500
<i>To support the costs of advanced arts training and other expenses for this Texas Young Master (first year of two).</i>	
Sandra Organ Dance Company	
Arts Create	\$3,793
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Society for the Performing Arts	
Arts Create	\$8,256
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Theatre Under the Stars	
Arts Create	\$10,265
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$750
<i>To provide support for TEKs aligned musical theatre workshops for K - 12 students tailored to different academic areas.</i>	
Arts Respond Health & Human Services	\$1,000
<i>To support a series of fine arts classes to special needs children and their siblings ages 2 to 19 in the Houston area.</i>	

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$2,250**

To support providing after school musical theatre instruction to some of Houston's most underserved children through the YMCA.

UH/Arte Publico Press

Arts Respond Education **\$2,250**

To support conducting TEKS-aligned author-led reading workshops at elementary schools in Brownsville, Harlingen, La Joya, McAllen, Pharr-San Juan-Alamo, San Perlita, and Weslaco.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$750**

To support the distribution of illustrated bilingual children's books that feature children as protagonists making choices about improving their health.

UH/Texas Music Festival

Arts Create **\$3,347**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

University of Houston/ Blaffer Gallery

Arts Create **\$5,132**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

University of Houston/KUHF

Arts Create **\$3,793**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Voices Breaking Boundaries

Arts Create **\$5,579**

To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Education **\$1,250**

To support providing sustained, TEKS-aligned Writing for Self-Discovery workshops for teens, including some who are war refugees, at Houston's Chavez High School.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$2,500**

To support providing Writing for Self-Discovery workshops for Houston ISD teachers, to help them serve students who are dealing with emotional struggles, including those in refugee situations.

Number of Awards: 50

Award Total: \$200,436

