

Representative Alfonso (Poncho) Nevarez

Texas House District: 74



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2014

Alpines Gallery Night

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$1,500**

To support the 20th annual Artwalk art and music festival in Alpine.

Arts Respond Education **\$3,000**

To support an artist residency in Alpine K-12 classrooms with Austin Bike Zoo, culminating in the creation of an original human-powered vehicle to be featured in the annual Art Walk Parade.

Ballroom Marfa

Arts Create **\$7,000**

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$4,000**

To support marketing and production costs for The Country and Western Big Band Suite, the first installment of the Marfa Triptych, a series composed by Austin-based Graham Reynolds, for audiences in Marfa and visitors from across the state.

Arts Respond Education **\$3,000**

To support a free 3-day educational workshop in audiovisual field recording techniques for students ages 13 and over in Marfa ISD.

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$1,500**

To support the Marfa exhibition of Teresa Hubbard and Alexander Birchler's video trilogy that explores the landscape of the American Southwest as portrayed in movies, including a video that explores an abandoned set piece from "Giant" as it decays in the Chihuahuan Desert.

Chinati Foundation/La Fundacion Chinati

Arts Create **\$11,000**

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$6,000**

To support Chinati Weekend 2013, which will feature two exhibitions and attract Marfa residents as well as state, national, and international visitors.

Arts Respond Education **\$1,520**

To support a summer school arts curriculum, in partnership with Marfa ISD, that provides hands-on arts workshops for students.

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$3,000**

To support Community Days activities for residents of the Marfa area, including a family art project focused on the plant life on the Chinati campus.

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

To support free children's art classes offered during school breaks for students who live in Presidio County, one of the lowest income counties in the country.

CineMarfa

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$4,500**

To support CineMarfa, a five-day film festival featuring rarely-screened cinematic gems and discussions with filmmakers designed to attract both visitors and residents.

Del Rio Council for the Arts

Arts Create **\$4,000**

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

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$1,000**

To support a community arts outreach pilot program serving elderly individuals in a Del Rio assisted living facility, including classes in drawing, painting, sculpture, and a group mural.

El Comite Cultural del Pueblo

Arts Create **\$10,000**

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

Judd Foundation

Arts Create **\$6,000**

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

Marfa Live Arts (formerly Marfa Theatre)

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$4,500**

To support "Rememberer," a weaving and musical performance based on the weaving pattern for a Danish peasant fabric, with music provided by an amplified loom, Danish musicians, and 50 amateur violinists from the Marfa community, plus related outreach events.

Marfa Studio of Arts

Arts Create **\$14,287**

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

Number of Awards: 18

Award Total: \$87,307