

Senator Brandon Creighton

Texas Senate District: 4



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2015

Art Museum of Southeast Texas

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$12,000**

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

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$1,250**

To support free Family Arts Days, which are quarterly mini-fests consisting of gallery talks, demonstrations and hands-on activities for children and families, with a reduce/reuse/recycle theme.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$2,000**

To support Art After School, a program that introduces the museum's exhibitions, collections and art to children from Title 1 schools surrounding the museum.

B. B. Rice Elementary/Conroe ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$700**

Artistic fee subsidy for Michael (Mr. Blue Shoes) Dyson to perform in Conroe on May 29, 2015. B. B. Rice Elementary is a Title 1 school.

Ben Bowen Early Childhood Center/Huffman ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$418**

Artistic fee subsidy for Main Street Theater to perform in Huffman on April 29, 2015. Ben Bowen Early Childhood Center is a Title 1 school.

Boomtown Film and Music Festival

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$2,000**

To support the costs of the Boomtown Film and Music Festival, encouraging cultural tourism in Southeast Texas.

Cajun French Music Association - Golden Triangle Chapter

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$1,250**
To support Cajun and zydeco music and film during the first annual Carnival Des Cajuns at the downtown Port Arthur pavilion, April 11-12, 2015.

Katja Yanko

Commission Initiative- Young Masters FY2015 **\$2,500**
Support the costs of advanced arts training and other expenses for this Texas Young Master (second year of two)

Southeast Texas Arts Council

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$4,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

★ **Arts Create- Subgranting - Year 2** **\$8,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in subgranting for arts activities conducted by organizations within the community served by the subgranter.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$5,500**
To support the artistic, production, and marketing costs associated with Montage: A Southeast Texas Arts Festival in downtown Beaumont that will attract audiences from across the Golden Triangle region.

Symphony of Southeast Texas

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$6,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

The Woodlands Waterway Arts Council

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$1,000**
To support the costs associated with presenting the Woodlands Waterway Arts Festival, featuring over 200 professional artists as well as recognized student artisans.

Arts Respond Education **\$1,000**
To support the costs of Because Art Matters, providing visual and performing arts programs for Title 1 schools in Conroe and Magnolia ISDs.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**
Artistic fee subsidy for Vickie McMillan to provide a series of workshops at Grangerland Intermediate School, September 1-December 14, 2014 in Conroe. Through the workshops, students will create a 60' x 40' art project that aligns with the TEKS. Grangerland Intermediate School is a Title 1 school.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**
Artistic fee subsidy for Vickie McMillan to provide a series of master artist training workshops, September 1-December 14, 2014 in The Woodlands. At the workshop, master artists, participating artists, children, and staff at The Woodlands Children's Museum will create a 60' x 40' art project. Workshops will also include training to expand the Arts Council's Master Artist roster.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**

Artistic fee subsidy for Vickie McMillan to provide visual arts workshops in Spring, December 15, 2014-March 14, 2015. These workshops will serve seniors in need in The Woodlands and the south Montgomery County area.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**

Artistic fee subsidy for Vickie McMillan to provide visual workshops at the Montgomery County Juvenile Justice Center in Spring, December 15, 2014-March 14, 2015.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**

Artistic fee subsidy for Vickie McMillan to conduct a series of four visual art workshops with at-risk children and youth transitioning from the foster care system into adulthood, culminating in a mural, in Conroe, March 15-June 14, 2015.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**

Artistic fee subsidy for Vickie McMillan to provide a month-long visual art workshop with youth at the Montgomery County Juvenile Probation Department, culminating in a mural, in Conroe, March 15-June 14, 2015.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,250**

To support drumming workshops in youth detention and treatment centers in Montgomery County.

Young Audiences of Southeast Texas

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$10,000**

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 arts workshops, including storyteller performances and visual arts projects, for Beaumont-area 4th grade students.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$1,250**

To support a program of music, dance, writing, and visual arts designed to help economically disadvantaged children build positive self-esteem and healthy personal images.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$288**

Artistic fee subsidy for Express Children's Theatre to perform at the Port Arthur Public library for children and their families on October 4, 2014.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,350**

Artistic fee subsidy for Mark Shelton to perform thirteen shows for schools in Jefferson, Hardin, and Orange counties, January 20 to February 26, 2015.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$250**

Artistic fee subsidy for Hope Shiver to perform for schools in the Beaumont area, February 16, 2015.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,800**

Artistic fee subsidy for Michael (Mr. Blue Shoes) Dyson to perform at schools in Jefferson, Hardin, and Orange counties, April 6-7, 2015.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,406**

Artistic fee subsidy for Storybook Theatre of Texas to perform at schools in Jefferson, Hardin, and Orange counties, April 27-29, 2015.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$600**

Artistic fee subsidy for Drusilla Woods to perform at schools in Jefferson, Hardin, and Orange counties, May 11-13, 2015.

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

To support afterschool arts programming at several schools in the Beaumont area.

Number of Awards: 31

Award Total: \$77,162