

Representative Dawnna Dukes

Texas House District: 46



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2016

Anthropos Arts

Arts Create \$5,500

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

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice \$850

To support after-school and weekend musical instruction and rehearsals resulting in four public performances by low-income students in Austin.

Austin Bat Cave (dba)

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice \$850

To support free writing camps for at-risk youth in Austin.

Austin Busker Project

Arts Respond Economic Development \$850

To support producing five events in collaboration with the Austin Parks and Recreation Department in parks across the city that will focus on performing artists and their street performance skills, to attract citizens and visitors.

Austin Community Steelband

Arts Create \$10,500

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

Arts Respond Education \$1,000

To support TEKS-aligned steel band instruction for Austin area schoolchildren.

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice \$3,000

To support free afterschool steelpan drum classes for at-risk middle school students in Austin.

Austin Creative Alliance

Arts Create \$4,500
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Austin Film Festival

Arts Create \$8,500
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Economic Development \$7,500
To support the 2015 Austin Film Festival, which showcases the work of filmmakers and attracts screenwriters and film lovers from Austin and across the nation.

Arts Respond Education \$2,500
To support the Digital Storytelling Program, a series of writing and film production workshops for Austin-area high school students.

Austin Film Society

Arts Create \$13,500
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

 **Arts Create - Subgranting** \$6,500
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in subgranting for arts activities conducted by organizations within the community served by the subgranter.

Austins African American Cultural Heritage District

Arts Respond Performance Support \$8,000
Artistic fee subsidy for Forklift Danceworks to remount the production "Play Ball," in Austin on August 6, 2016. This remount comes as a special request from RBI Baseball and the Council of Mayors through Mayor Adler's office. The production features the baseball players and staff from Huston-Tillotson University, a historically African-American university.

Boys and Girls Clubs of the Austin Area

Designated Funding- Texas Women for the Arts \$15,000
Support for hands-on fine arts programs at 25 Boys and Girls Clubs in Austin.

Center Stage Texas

Arts Respond Education \$1,000
To support arts training, including dance, theater, and visual arts, for Austin-area elementary school students.

Arts Respond HealthHuman Services \$1,700
To support free acting lessons for children with autism in Austin.

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice \$1,000
To support theater classes for young men at the Gardner Betts Juvenile Justice Center in Austin.

Cine Las Americas

Arts Create **\$4,500**

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$1,700**

To support the Cine Las Americas International Film Festival and associated programs aimed at residents and visitors to Austin.

Conspirare

Arts Create **\$14,500**

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

Conspire Theatre

Arts Respond HealthHuman Services **\$5,034**

To support the play "Mothers and Daughters," performed by an ensemble of formerly incarcerated women, which will explore how incarceration impacts the mental and physical health of women, in Austin. [Award Reduction: TCA will not fund grants that exceed 25% of an organization's previous year's cash operating revenues]

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice **\$1,000**

To support the costs of "Performing Possibilities," a theater program for formerly incarcerated women aimed at reducing recidivism, empowering participants to succeed, and educating audiences about their experiences.

Goodwill Central Texas

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$8,000**

Artistic fee subsidy for Forklift Danceworks to work with Goodwill Central Texas to create a performance piece in Austin, September 1-December 13, 2015.

Kealing Junior High School

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,250**

Artistic fee subsidy for Joel Laviolette and Rattletree to perform in Austin on March 29, 2016 as part of the 6th grade science unit on sound.

KOOP Radio (dba)

Arts Create **\$3,500**

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

Lutheran Social Service Of The South, Inc.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$780**

Artistic fee subsidy for Artreach artists Corey Green, Chris Thomas, and Danny Russo to provide dance and visual arts workshops for residents of Krause Children's Center in Katy, September 20-November 23, 2015. Krause Children's Center serves girls ages 1

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

Artistic fee subsidy for ARTreach artists Corey Greene, Chris Thomas, Melba Lee, and Danny Russo to conduct art-making workshops for Krause Children's Center residents in Katy, December 26, 2015-January 31, 2016. Each workshop will be presented twice. 25% or more of the audiences expected to be served live in institutions and are at-risk youth.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,134**

Artistic fee subsidy for ARTreach artists Melba Lee, Corey Greene, and Chris Thomas to conduct three visual art and dance workshops for Krause Children Center residents in Katy, April 23-May 30, 2016. Each workshop will be offered twice. 25% or more of the audiences expected to be served live below the poverty line, live in an institution, and/ or are at-risk youth.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,400**

Artistic fee subsidy for ARTreach artists Danny Russo, Corey Greene/ Chris Thomas, and Melba Lee to conduct art-making workshops with residents of Krause Children's Center, serving children who have been abused, in Katy, June 25-August 3, 2016. 25% or more of the audiences expected to be served live in institutions and are at-risk youth.

Outreach Productions

Arts Respond Education **\$850**

To support interactive puppet workshops and performances for elementary and middle schools students in Pflugerville.

Penfold Theatre Company

Arts Create **\$3,500**

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$2,500**

To support a holiday radio production of "A Christmas Carol" that will draw a "live studio audience" to the performance, adjacent to the City of Round Rock's Rock'N Lights holiday light tour.

Pollyanna Theatre Company

Arts Create **\$4,500**

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

Ruth Barron Elementary/Pflugerville ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$200**

Artistic fee subsidy for Sue Young to perform in Pflugerville on October 16, 2015. 25% or more of the audiences expected to be served live below the poverty line and/ or have limited English proficiency.

Salvage Vanguard Theater

Arts Create **\$12,500**

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

Script Works (dba)

Arts Create **\$7,500**

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

Texas Music Museum

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$500**

Artistic fee subsidy for the Flying Balalaika Brothers to perform in Austin on September 13, 2015 as part of the museum's international music festival. 25% or more of the audiences expected to be served are adults over 65.

Vortex Repertory Company

Arts Create **\$12,500**

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

Windermere Primary/Pflugerville ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$332**

Artistic fee subsidy for Bernadette Nason to perform in Pflugerville on March 30, 2016. 25% or more of the audiences expected to be served live below the poverty line.

Number of Awards: 40

Award Total: \$181,336