

Representative Carol Alvarado

Texas House District: 145



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2018

Alley Theatre

Arts Create **\$14,000**

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

Arts Respond Education **\$4,000**

To support Staging STEM, an educational residency that teaches core subjects through theater concepts and skills, for elementary school students in Houston and Fort Bend ISD.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,000**

To support a production of Agatha Christie's 'The Mousetrap' as a part of the Summer Chills series that will attract audiences from the greater Houston area and across the state.

Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief **\$20,000**

To provide disaster recovery support to arts organizations impacted by Hurricane Harvey.

FotoFest

Arts Create **\$14,000**

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

Fresh Arts (dba)

Arts Create **\$6,000**

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 for the Winter Holiday Art Market, a free art festival that enriches and invigorates Houston's First Ward and Washington Corridor community primarily aimed at getting out-of-town visitors to the event.

Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief **\$15,000**

To provide disaster recovery support to arts organizations impacted by Hurricane Harvey.

Houston Ballet Foundation

Arts Create **\$20,000**

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

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

To support a series of educational dance classes for underserved K-12th grade students in the Houston area.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$5,625**

To support Adapted Dance, a community engagement program that provides dance education specifically designed to serve children and adults in Houston with Parkinson's Disease, Down Syndrome, and autism spectrum disorders.

Designated Funding- Texas Women for the Arts **\$2,000**

To support Hurricane Harvey relief efforts after unexpected revenue loss, added expenses, and the closure of the Wortham Center in Houston.

Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief **\$40,000**

To provide disaster recovery support to arts organizations impacted by Hurricane Harvey.

Houston Chamber Choir

Arts Create **\$5,000**

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

Houston Grand Opera Association

Arts Create **\$21,000**

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

Arts Respond Education **\$2,000**

To support Opera to Go! in presenting educational, interactive opera performances for economically disadvantaged elementary and middle school students in the greater Houston area and across the state.

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$3,750**

To support the spring and summer tour of The Armadillo's Dream, set in Buffalo Bayou, to libraries, elementary schools, and community venues in the greater Houston area.

Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief **\$40,000**

To provide disaster recovery support to arts organizations impacted by Hurricane Harvey.

Houston Theater District

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,650**

To support Theater District Open House, a free opportunity for attendees to get a preview of upcoming performances and go behind the scenes of Houston's downtown performing companies, with a goal of increasing ticket sales. [This award includes an additional \$150 from a private donation that was directed to this organization.]

Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief **\$15,000**

To provide disaster recovery support to arts organizations impacted by Hurricane Harvey.

Khalil AbuSharekh**Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief** **\$1,500***To provide disaster recovery support to professional artists impacted by Hurricane Harvey.***Mildreds Umbrella Theater Company****Arts Create** **\$9,000***To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.***Commission Initiative/Harvey Relief** **\$1,500***To provide disaster recovery support to arts organizations impacted by Hurricane Harvey.***Musiqqa****Arts Create** **\$11,000***To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.***Arts Respond Education** **\$4,000***To support musical training and development for K-12th grade students in Houston.***Nameless Sound****Arts Create** **\$8,000***To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.***Arts Respond Economic Development** **\$4,500***To support a regional premiere performance of a chapter of Wadada Leo Smith's "Ten Freedom Summers" in Houston; the series traces the history of the Civil Rights Movement from 1905 through 1968 and will likely attract visitors and large audiences.***Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$3,500***To support weekly music classes for students with special challenges and learning disabilities served by educational enrichment centers and community service centers, and students whose families reside in homeless shelters in Houston.***Orange Show Center for Visionary Art****Arts Create** **\$10,000***To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.***Arts Respond Economic Development** **\$2,500***To support the Art Car Parade in Houston, the world's oldest and largest art car parade that attracts over 200 vehicles from across the nation and an international audience of over 300,000.*

Number of Awards: 30**Award Total: \$296,525**