

# Senator Royce West

Texas Senate District: 23



## Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2018

### 29 Pieces

**Arts Create** **\$8,000**  
*To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.*

### Anita N. Martinez Ballet Folklorico, Inc.

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

### Art and Beyond

**Arts Respond Project** **\$1,676**  
*To support summer art camps for economically disadvantaged youth in the Dallas area, focusing on creating green art by using recycled materials.*

### AT&T Center for the Performing Arts (dba)

**Arts Create** **\$19,000**  
*To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$6,500**  
*To support The Elevator Project, featuring small theater companies performing work at the AT&T Center at a deeply discounted rate in an effort to 'elevate' their work and expose them to new audiences.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$2,000**  
*To support Open Stages, a series of theater arts workshops and hands-on backstage experiences that include live professional theater performances for high school students in Dallas ISD Title 1 schools.*

### Big Thought

**Arts Create** **\$17,000**  
*To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$5,000**

*To support a long-term program of visual and performance art instruction for youth in the Letot Center of the Dallas County Juvenile Department, to enhance the development of communication, teamwork, problem-solving, and critical thinking skills.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$4,500**

*To support Creative Solutions, a summer performing and visual arts program which targets youth ages 10-18 in the Dallas juvenile system.*

**Designated Funding** **\$2,000**

*To support Red Bird Soars, an initiative to provide creative learning opportunities and ongoing cultural equity for children and their families in the Red Bird community of Dallas.*

### **Bruce Wood Dance Company**

**Arts Create** **\$11,000**

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

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

*To support therapeutic dance and movement education workshops for people with mental illness and substance abuse problems at the Nexus Recovery Center and for victims of family violence at the Family Place shelter, both in Dallas.*

### **Cara Mia Theatre**

**Arts Create** **\$13,000**

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

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

*To support the School of YES!, a multidisciplinary arts and leadership program for at-risk students in Dallas's impoverished southern sector.*

### **Chamber Music International**

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support chamber music master classes in South Dallas K-12 classrooms.*

### **Children's Chorus of Greater Dallas**

**Arts Create** **\$13,000**

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

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

*To support educational choral concerts and presentations for Dallas public school students in grades 3-5.*

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

*To support summer singing camps for economically disadvantaged children in partnership with Dallas area school districts.*

## City of Cedar Hill/Zula B. Wylie Library

**Performance Support** **\$512**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Puppet Pizzazz to perform at the Creative Arts Festival in Cedar Hill on September 23, 2017.*

**Performance Support** **\$288**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Donna Ingham to perform for senior citizens in Cedar Hill, January 17, 2018.*

**Performance Support** **\$175**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Jiaan Powers to perform at a Family Fun Night event in Cedar Hill on April 9, 2018.*

## City of Dallas/Office of Cultural Affairs

**Arts Create** **\$13,000**

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

## Color Me Empowered

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

*To support apprentice programs with teenage boys in the juvenile justice system that will create public art projects in Dallas.*

## Creative Arts Center of Dallas

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support Camp MetalHead, a six-week program in metal working and jewelry making for at-risk teens in north Texas.*

**Designated Funding** **\$10,000**

*To support arts education programs that explore ceramics, glass, photography, welding and jewelry arts instruction, as well as a series of community-based arts activities in Dallas.*

## Crow Family Foundation/Crow Collection

**Arts Create** **\$17,000**

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

**Arts Respond Project** **\$3,500**

*To support a day-long outdoor street festival celebrating the arts, traditions, and culture of China in the Dallas Arts District.*

## Dallas Arts District

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support the Changing Perspectives Block Party, featuring the internationally renowned Strange Fruit, who will use theater, dance and circus to attract residents and visitors to downtown Dallas.*

## Dallas Bach Society

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

*To support a performance of Bach's St Matthew Passion at the Meyerson Symphony Center in collaboration with the Children's Chorus of Greater Dallas; this work is rarely performed in its entirety and will attract visitors from across the state and beyond.*

## Dallas Black Dance Theatre

**Arts Create** **\$18,000**

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

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

*To support the DanceAfrica festival and performance series that includes an outdoor festival featuring artists and vendors offering African food, crafts, and fashion as well as outreach activities in the Dallas Arts District.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$7,500**

*To support the Summer Youth Enrichment program, providing dance instruction in Dallas and serving students from low-income families.*

## Dallas Contemporary

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support a series of contemporary art workshops and museum visits for Dallas-area K-12th grade students.*

## Dallas Film Society

**Arts Create** **\$5,000**

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

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

*To support the Dallas International Film Festival, a celebration of filmmaking that includes 130+ films in seven venues, opportunities to meet filmmakers, and a variety of workshops and panel discussions.*

## Dallas Museum of Art

**Arts Create** **\$15,000**

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

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

*To support Go Van Gogh, a series of interactive visual arts presentations for K-6th grade students in the Dallas metropolitan area.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$4,500**

*To support DMA Access Programs, a diverse suite of programs designed to provide people with disabilities the opportunity to experience and benefit from the museum's collections, exhibitions, programs, and events in a safe and comfortable environment.*

## Dallas Opera

**Arts Create** **\$19,000**

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

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

*To support a combination of educational opera performances at the Winspear Opera House and in north Texas K-12th grade classrooms.*

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

*To support Opera Boot Camps for at-risk youth in Dallas.*

## Dallas Symphony

**Arts Create** **\$20,000**

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

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

*To support Young Strings, a series of interactive arts integration workshops and music lessons for 2nd-12th grade students in the Dallas metropolitan area.*

## Dallas Theater Center

**Arts Create** **\$19,000**

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

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

*To support an advanced acting class for students from Booker T. Washington High School for the Performing and Visual Arts in Dallas.*

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

*To support Project Discovery, an award-winning afterschool program, which provides free in-depth theater experiences for at-risk teens from 30 North Texas high schools.*

## Dallas Wind Symphony

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

*To support a live concert experience to introduce fifth and sixth graders to band.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$4,500**

*To support a week-long educational band camp for middle and high school students in the Dallas metropolitan area, culminating in a free public concert at the Meyerson Center.*

## Dance Council

**Arts Create** **\$13,000**

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

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

*To support Dancers Network: Preparing for Today's Performing Arts, a professional development opportunity for young and mid-career dancers.*

## Fine Arts Chamber Players

**Arts Create** **\$4,000**

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

**Arts Respond Project** **\$5,000**

*To support the Basically Beethoven Festival at that takes place in the Dallas Arts District and attracts audiences from Texas and surrounding states.*

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

*To support a chamber music residency, providing specialized instruction in voice and piano, for 9th-12th grade students at Carter High School in Dallas ISD.*

## Friends of the Dallas Public Library

**Performance Support** **\$1,386**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Dallas Black Dance Theatre to perform at the 2018 Dallas Book Festival in Dallas on April 7, 2018.*

**Performance Support** **\$675**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Johnny Villarreal to conduct a stop-motion animation workshop for children in Dallas on August 7, 2018.*

## Greater Dallas Youth Orchestras

**Arts Create** **\$11,000**

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

**Arts Respond Project** **\$5,000**

*To support private orchestral instruction for 5th grade students in Dallas ISD.*

## Kitchen Dog Theater

**Arts Create** **\$10,000**

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

**Arts Respond Project** **\$6,500**

*To support playwriting workshops and master classes for high school students in the Dallas metropolitan area.*

## Latino Cultural Center/City of Dallas

**Arts Create** **\$5,000**

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

## McKinney Avenue Contemporary

**Arts Create** **\$5,000**

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

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

*To support the MAC POP Garden's educational activities and programming, focusing on how flowers, roots, and other plant materials can be used to produce natural dyes and other art-making materials.*

## **Nasher Sculpture Center**

**Arts Create** **\$12,000**

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

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

*To support docent-led tours of the sculpture collection for K-12th grade students from the Dallas metropolitan area.*

**Arts Respond Project** **\$1,686**

*To support HopeKids Art Experience Days, a free program which provides museum tours and interactive art activities for children with life-threatening medical conditions and their families, in Dallas.*

## **New Texas Symphony Orchestra**

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

*To support the Community Concerto and Aria Competition for adult amateur musicians who participate in local community ensembles, which attracts participants from across the state to Dallas.*

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

*To support a summer outreach program for at-risk youth as part of the premiere of a new symphony by Quinn Mason in Dallas.*

## **Orpheus Chamber Singers**

**Arts Create** **\$5,000**

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

## **Riley Canterbury**

**Commission Initiative** **\$5,000**

*Support for the costs of advanced arts training and other expenses for this Texas Young Master (first year of two).*

## **Sammons Center for the Arts**

**Arts Create** **\$11,000**

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

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

*To support Sammons Jazz Outreach, free summer jazz education programs for at-risk youth in Dallas.*

## **Second Thought Theatre**

**Arts Create** **\$4,000**

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

## **Shakespeare Festival of Dallas**

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

**Arts Respond Project** **\$5,500**

*To support marketing the Dallas Shakespeare Festival more widely to gain a larger audience from Dallas and across the state.*

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

*To support a variety of theater workshops and TEKS-aligned classroom programs for K-12th grade students in the Dallas metropolitan area.*

### **South Dallas Cultural Center/City of Dallas**

**Arts Create** **\$8,000**

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

### **Teatro Dallas (dba)**

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support *An Evening With Two Giants*, featuring the work of Juan Rulfo and Alfredo Cardona Pena, during the celebration of Dia de los Muertos that will also provide an opportunity for local artists to sell their wares.*

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

*To support a five-week summer theater program for at-risk youth in Dallas.*

### **TeCo Theatrical Productions**

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

*To support educational storytelling performances for K-6th grade students in the Dallas metropolitan area.*

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

*To support *Silver Stories*, a program of workshops on creative writing, improvisation, visual art, and storytelling for economically disadvantaged seniors at the Bishop Arts Theatre Center in Dallas.*

### **Texas International Theatrical Arts Society**

**Arts Create** **\$16,000**

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

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

*To support educational dance performances and workshops for high school students in the Dallas metropolitan area.*

### **Turtle Creek Chorale**

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support an in-school program that includes lesson plans, a video, arts instruction, and a choral concert for Dallas area elementary school students.*



## Undermain Theatre (dba)

**Arts Create** **\$6,000**

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

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

*To support the Emerging Artist Program, providing early career artists with in-depth and hands-on experience in professional nonprofit theater with a focus on mentorship, artistic growth, and institutional immersion, in Dallas.*

## Video Association of Dallas

**Arts Create** **\$14,000**

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

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

*To support expenses associated with creating a stand-alone event to present the 2017 Ernie Kovacs award to The Kids in the Hall and the cult film 'Brain Candy' for their work expanding the understanding of video as a creative medium.*

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

*To support the 17th annual 24 Hour Video Race, which incorporates environmental themes into its required topics, cross-promotes with environmental and sustainable food organizations, and promotes green filmmaking methods, in Dallas.*

## Voices of Change

**Arts Create** **\$5,000**

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

## Women's Chorus of Dallas

**Arts Create** **\$4,000**

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

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

*To support the costs of presenting collaborative concerts with Metropolitan Winds at senior centers and providing free tickets to seniors and homeless individuals for a December seasonal music concert at the Moody Performance Hall in Dallas.*

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

*To support a Mother's Day concert at Texas Discovery Gardens, with a focus on hosting women and children served by more than 50 community social service agencies, and including a free children's concert.*

## Writer's Garret

**Arts Create** **\$9,000**

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

**Arts Respond Project** **\$5,000**

*To support a program of therapeutic creative writing workshops conducted at the Cancer Support Community, Trinity River Mission, Alley's House, Promise House, and the Cohen Military Family Clinics, serving veterans and vulnerable populations in Dallas.*

**Arts Respond Project**

**\$2,000**

*To support Rail Writers, a series of summer writing workshops conducted onboard commuter trains for economically disadvantaged Dallas students, connecting them to points of cultural and historic interest.*

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**Number of Awards: 101**

**Award Total: \$574,398**