

# Representative Evelina (Lina) Ortega

Texas House District: 77



## Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2019

### Binational Independent Film Festival

**Arts Respond Education** **\$1,500**

*To support educational film screenings and lectures by filmmakers for at-risk K-12th graders in the El Paso metropolitan area.*

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

*To support the Binational Independent Film Festival, which showcases filmmakers from the US and Mexico, attracts visitors to El Paso and offers local at-risk youth opportunities to learn about the film business.*

### City of El Paso/Museums & Cultural Affairs Dept

**Arts Create - Year 2** **\$13,000**

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

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

*To support the annual Chalk the Block downtown public art festival in the El Paso Downtown Art District that will attract artists, exhibitors and visitors to the city.*

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$2,500**

*To support the Downtown Art and Farmers Market's Earth Celebration Festival, teaching the importance of renewable resources from consumer items that fill the ecosystem.*

### El Paso Museum of Art/City of El Paso

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

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

### El Paso Museum of History Foundation

**Designated Funding- Texas Women for the Arts** **\$2,014**

*To support arts education programs inspired by artifacts and ancient works of art in the El Paso museum, including tours and hands-on demonstrations of crafting for children.*

## El Paso Opera

**Arts Create - Year 2** **\$5,000**

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

## El Paso Pro-Musica

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$1,500**

*To support the costs of free chamber music performances by professional musicians at hospitals, Alzheimer's care centers, and hospice facilities throughout the El Paso area.*

## El Paso Symphony Orchestra

**Arts Create - Year 2** **\$8,000**

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

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

*To support educational orchestra performances for 5th grade students in the El Paso metropolitan area.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$6,000**

*To support the Tocando Music Project, an afterschool program serving at-risk kids at elementary and middle schools in El Paso.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$2,846**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Cliburn Gold Medalist Yekwon Sunwoo to perform in El Paso, September 21-22, 2018.*

## Kids Excel El Paso

**Arts Create - Year 2** **\$6,000**

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

**Arts Respond Education** **\$1,500**

*To support in-school residencies that teach health and wellness through dance for 4th grade students in El Paso public schools.*

**Designated Funding- Texas Women for the Arts** **\$2,014**

*To support dance classes in public elementary schools in the El Paso area.*

## UTEP/Art Galleries

**Arts Create - Year 2** **\$11,000**

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

**Arts Respond Education** **\$6,000**

*To support a series of gallery tours, artist demonstrations, and activities for high school students in El Paso.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$2,300**

*To support summer camps for at-risk youth at the Rubin Center for the Visual Arts.*

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**Number of Awards: 19**

**Award Total: \$90,174**

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