

Senator Jose Menendez

Texas Senate District: 26



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2019

American Indians in Texas - Spanish Colonial Missions

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

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

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,500**

To support Rites of Passage and Healing the Wounded Spirit through Arte, indigenous cultural arts programs for at-risk youth in San Antonio.

Artpace San Antonio

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$14,000**

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

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

To support a curatorial residency where the selected curators will conduct studio visits with South Texas artists; the resulting writing will be shared through publications at the local, regional and national level.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,000**

To support the Artpace Teen Council, an afterschool service-learning program in San Antonio.

Arts San Antonio

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

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

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

Artistic fee subsidy for Cliburn Competition silver medalist Kenny Broberg to perform in San Antonio on January 25, 2019.

Ballet San Antonio

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$4,500**

To support the Learning that Moves You program, offering free after-school ballet training at branches of the Boys and Girls Club and Great Hearts Monte Vista-South Elementary School in San Antonio.

Bihl Haus Arts

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$7,000**

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

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

To support the On & Off Fredericksburg Road Studio Tour in San Antonio that will attract visitors and residents to two days of open studios, featuring over 70 artists.

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

To support an exhibition of artist-made accordion books and associated programs including creative writing and poetry lessons for seniors in San Antonio.

Burke Elementary/Northside ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$425**

Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller to perform in San Antonio on January 14, 2019.

Centro Cultural Aztlan

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

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 Zonarte holiday art market, a three-day festival featuring music, food and artists of all disciplines who will show and sell their work to an audience that comes from San Antonio and across Texas.

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

To support Superheroes in the Schools, a series of Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills-aligned visual art workshops for K-12th grade students in underserved San Antonio schools.

Chamber Choir of San Antonio

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

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

Chamber Orchestra of San Antonio

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

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

Children's Chorus of San Antonio

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

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

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$2,500**

To support the Music Together program, which provides early childhood music experiences for homeless families at the Haven for Hope.

City of Converse/Public Library	
Arts Respond Performance Support	\$200
<i>Artistic fee subsidy for Magik Theatre to perform in Converse on December 15, 2018.</i>	
Arts Respond Performance Support	\$200
<i>Artistic fee subsidy for Magik Theatre to perform in Converse on March 13, 2019.</i>	
Arts Respond Performance Support	\$350
<i>Artistic fee subsidy for Storybook Theatre of Texas to perform in Converse on January 16, 2019.</i>	
Classic Theatre of San Antonio	
Arts Create - Year 2	\$5,000
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Colby Glass Elementary/Northside ISD	
Arts Respond Performance Support	\$350
<i>Artistic fee subsidy for Sue Kuentz to perform in San Antonio on December 4, 2018.</i>	
Colonial Hills Elementary/North East ISD	
Arts Respond Performance Support	\$350
<i>Artistic fee subsidy for Elizabeth Kahura to perform in San Antonio on February 1, 2019.</i>	
Conjunto Heritage Taller	
Arts Create - Year 2	\$7,000
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Health & Human Services	\$2,500
<i>To support free accordion lessons at senior centers in San Antonio, designed to improve the quality of life of the participants and promote traditional conjunto music through a culminating public performance.</i>	
Contemporary Art for San Antonio/Blue Star Art Space	
Arts Create - Year 2	\$6,000
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice	\$5,000
<i>To support professional afterschool instruction and mentorship for young artists in San Antonio ages 14-18.</i>	
Converse Elementary/Judson ISD	
Arts Respond Performance Support	\$475
<i>Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller to perform in Converse on May 9, 2019.</i>	
Esperanza Peace and Justice Center	
Arts Create - Year 2	\$14,000
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	

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

To support Paseo por el Westside Festival and Walking Tours that bring attention to San Antonio's historic Westside and give residents and visitors a vibrant experience with the culture of this community.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$5,000**

To support a series of concerts by Las Tesoros, a group of historically famous Latina singers ages 81 to 94, at elder residence centers and nutrition centers in the Westside and throughout San Antonio.

Gemini Ink (dba)

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

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

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$4,000**

To support an eight-week creative writing program for elementary students at the Ella Austin Community Center on San Antonio's Eastside.

Guadalupe Cultural Arts Center

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 **\$2,500**

To support Viva Mi Cultura, a multidisciplinary arts workshop for K-12th grade students in socio-economically disadvantaged communities in San Antonio.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$4,000**

To support a two-week summer theater arts camp for at-risk youth living in public housing and/or on San Antonio's Westside.

Howsman Elementary/Northside ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$525**

Artistic fee subsidy for Magik Theatre to perform in San Antonio on March 22, 2019.

Inspire-Community Fine Art Center for San Antonio

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

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

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,500**

To support Windows to the World, an afterschool and summer visual arts program for youth in San Antonio's Government Hill neighborhood.

Jump-Start Performance Co.

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$7,000**

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

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

To support Historias y Cuentos (Stories and Tales), an arts residency program for elementary school students in the San Antonio Independent School District.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$3,000**

To support a weekly arts therapy class in performing, visual, and media arts with residents of the Fairweather Lodge, a long-term treatment facility for individuals with mental illness, in San Antonio.

Luminaria

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

To support the annual Luminaria arts festival that focuses attention on San Antonio's Downtown Hemisfair and Southtown districts with workshops, artist events, and evening community events attracting audiences from across the state.

Magik Theatre

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

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,500**

To support Magik on the Road, an initiative taking the company's touring troupe to perform at the San Antonio Zoo, the DoSeum and the Botanical Garden with a goal of building audiences and exposing students to theater.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$1,500**

To support theater workshops for incarcerated, abused, and homeless youth in San Antonio.

Mary Burns Michael Elementary/Northside ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$475**

Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller to perform in San Antonio on May 17, 2019.

Mary Hull Elementary School/Northside ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$225**

Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller to perform in San Antonio on January 18, 2019.

National Association of Latino Arts & Culture

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

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

Opera San Antonio

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

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

Playhouse San Antonio

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$7,000**

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

Ridgeview Elementary/Northeast ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$450**

Artistic fee subsidy for Decee Cornish to perform in San Antonio on February 8, 2019.

San Anto Cultural Arts

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$7,000**

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

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$3,500**

To support the El Placazo Community Newspaper, a youth-led newspaper mentored by San Anto staff that provides tangible skills in various disciplines in San Antonio's central Westside.

San Antonio Museum of Art

Arts Respond Education **\$8,000**

To support art education activities for economically-marginalized schools in San Antonio, including classroom visits and a docent-led tour of the Museum.

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

To support START, an arts education program focusing on the low socioeconomic student population in San Antonio and Bexar County public schools.

Say Si

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

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

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$1,000**

To support Artists Building Communities, a program of workshops led by trained alumni instructors in the children's area of a San Antonio hospital to provide young patients with hands-on creative opportunities.

Southwest School of Art

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

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 Fiesta Arts Fair that features nationally recognized artists and attracts visitors to the Southwest School of Art's San Antonio campus.

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

To support Kids Initiating Design Solutions, a ten-week exploration of architecture and the built environment for 5th grade low-income students in San Antonio.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$600**

Artistic fee subsidy for Aaron Stephens to perform as part of the Fiesta Arts Fair in San Antonio on April 20, 2019.

St. Pauls Episcopal Montessori School

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$200**

Artistic fee subsidy for Magik Theatre to perform in San Antonio on January 18, 2019.

Symphony Society of San Antonio

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 **\$6,000**

To support educational orchestra performances, supported by classroom music workshops, for 3rd-5th grade students in the San Antonio metropolitan area.

Tobin Center for the Performing Arts (dba)

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$19,000**

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

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$2,550**

Artistic fee subsidy for Dallas Children's Theater to perform in San Antonio on January 14-15, 2019.

Urban 15 Group

Arts Create - Year 2 **\$9,000**

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

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

To support performances of the Holiday Laser Show, an educational light and laser art program, for San Antonio elementary school students.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$3,000**

To support outreach to at-risk youth for Mega Corazon, a live/online poetry marathon that includes nationally and internationally renowned poets in San Antonio.

UTSA/Art Galleries

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

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

Windcrest Elementary/North East ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$650**

Artistic fee subsidy for Rhythm Path to conduct a drumming workshop in San Antonio on January 23, 2019.

Woodlawn Theatre

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

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

Youth Orchestras of San Antonio

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 **\$2,000**

To support an orchestra festival that allows middle and high school students to meet and play with their peers from within 75 miles of San Antonio.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice

\$4,000

To support YOSA MAS, providing after-school orchestra lessons at Title I schools in San Antonio.

Number of Awards: 78

Award Total: \$364,445