

# Senator Carol Alvarado

Texas Senate District: 6



## Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2020

### 4th Wall Theatre Company (dba)

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$5,500**

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

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,362**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

### American Festival for the Arts

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$5,500**

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

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

*To support educational music workshops and instruction for underserved K-12th grade students in Houston ISD.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$2,000**

*To support afterschool and summer music residencies for at-risk students in Houston, Pasadena, Humble, and Klein Independent School Districts.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,362**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

### American Festival for the Arts (AFA)

**Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts** **\$8,000**

*To support violin and cello classes for underserved elementary students in Houston.*

### City of Pasadena/Library

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$350**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Kim Lehman to perform in Pasadena on June 3, 2020.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$440**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Bernadette Nason to perform in Pasadena on July 2, 2020.*

**FotoFest**

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

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,361**  
*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

**High Quality Arts Programming** **\$250,000**  
*To support the FotoFest Biennial 2020, African Cosmologies-Photography, Time, and the Other, celebrating photography and new media, to attract visitors to the Washington Avenue Cultural District.*

**Fresh Arts (dba)**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$7,500**  
*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 two-day intensive professional development conference for regional visual and performing artists designed to help them succeed in the business of art.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,361**  
*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

**Houston East End Cultural District**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,800**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Los Aztex to perform at the East End Street Fest Cultural Festival in Houston on October 19, 2019.*

**Indo American Association**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$5,500**  
*To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,361**  
*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

**Isobel Perez**

**Commission Initiative -Young Masters** **\$5,000**  
*Support for the costs of advanced arts training and other expenses for this Texas Young Master (first year of two).*

**Multicultural Education & Counseling Through the Arts**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$11,500**  
*To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.*

**Arts Respond Natural ResourcesAgriculture** **\$4,500**

*To support a six-part workshop series, Sacred Soil: How Agriculture, Ancestry, and Art Align, for all ages, culminating in a community planting event with ballet folklorico and Aztec dance groups in Houston.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$5,500**

*To support a summer program in various art forms with science, technology, engineering and math components for at-risk youth in Houston.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,361**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

**High Quality Arts Programming** **\$38,000**

*To support the Dia de los Muertos Celebration that includes an altar exhibition, the Retablos<sup>32</sup> exhibition, and a cultural festival designed to attract visitors to the Washington Avenue Cultural District.*

## **Musiq**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$10,500**

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

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

*To support educational concerts, music workshops, and school residencies for K-12th grade students in the Houston metropolitan area.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,362**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

## **Nameless Sound**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$3,500**

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

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$4,500**

*To support tuition-free music workshops for young people served by social service centers and students whose families reside in homeless shelters in Houston.*

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

*To support yearly music enrichment workshops for at-risk youth in Houston.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,361**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

## **Orange Show Center for Visionary Art**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$11,500**

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

**Arts Respond Economic Development** **\$4,000**

*To support the Art Car Parade in Houston, the world's oldest and largest art car parade that attracts over 250 vehicles from across the nation and an international audience of over 300,000.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,362**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

**Pyburn Elementary/Galena Park ISD**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$695**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller to perform in Houston on January 17, 2020.*

**Washington Avenue Arts District**

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$3,500**

*To support a series of alternating artist talks, nature walks, and self-guided bike tours in Houston, highlighting the ecology of the district's natural boundaries of White Oak and Buffalo Bayous.*

**Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act** **\$1,361**

*To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.*

**Promotion and Marketing** **\$250,000**

*To support a marketing campaign that includes the creation of insider guides, murals, a new interactive website, and Houston-based partnerships to attract visitors to the Washington Avenue Cultural District.*

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**Number of Awards: 38**

**Award Total: \$673,899**