

Senator Royce West

Texas Senate District: 23



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2020

AHA Art House Dallas

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

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.

American Baroque Opera Company

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

To support performances and education outreach programs at Title I schools in Dallas ISD.

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

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

Art and Beyond

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$1,500**

To support summer art camps for economically disadvantaged youth in the Dallas area, focusing on creating green art by using recycled materials.

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice **\$1,000**

To support afterschool programs targeting at-risk youth in southwest Dallas County.

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

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

AT&T Center for the Performing Arts (dba)

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$17,500**

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.

Avant Chamber Ballet

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$5,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$2,500
<i>To support ballet performances for students at the Rhoads Learning Center in Dallas ISD.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,362
<i>To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.</i>	

Big Thought

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$18,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Health & Human Services	\$3,000
<i>To support a long-term therapeutic program of visual and performance art instruction for youth in the Letot Center of the Dallas County Juvenile Department, to enhance the development of problem-solving, critical thinking, and communication skills.</i>	
Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice	\$3,500
<i>To support Creative Solutions, a summer performing and visual arts program which targets youth in the Dallas County juvenile system.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,361
<i>To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.</i>	
Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts	\$10,000
<i>To support Soars, a program of hands-on arts education activities serving west Dallas youth.</i>	

Bruce Wood Dance Company

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$7,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Economic Development	\$4,500
<i>To support the 10 year anniversary of the company with 'Elemental Brubeck' choreographed by Lar Lubovitch and works by Bruce Wood that will attract audiences from across the nation to the Dallas Arts District.</i>	
Arts Respond Health & Human Services	\$3,000
<i>To support therapeutic dance and movement education workshops for people with mental illness, substance abuse problems, and people recovering from domestic violence and conflict, conducted in partnership with social service organizations in Dallas.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,361
<i>To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.</i>	

Cara Mia Theatre

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$9,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice **\$3,500**

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

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

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

Chamber Music International

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$4,500**

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

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

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Children's Chorus of Greater Dallas

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

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

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

To support Outreach Chorus, a series of educational concerts for 3-6 grade students in Dallas, Richardson, and Garland public schools.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$750**

Artistic fee subsidy for Dallas Black Dance Theatre to perform in Dallas on October 6, 2019.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$925**

Artistic fee subsidy for Decee Cornish to perform in Dallas on April 18-26, 2020.

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

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

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

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Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts **\$5,000**

To support a chorus program serving students in the Dallas area.

City of Cedar Hill/Zula B. Wylie Library

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$300**

Artistic fee subsidy for Will Dupuy and Friends to perform in Cedar Hill on July 30, 2020.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$187**

Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller to perform in Cedar Hill on July 9, 2020.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$175**

Artistic fee subsidy for Toni Simmons to perform in Cedar Hill on June 18, 2020.

City of Dallas/Office of Cultural Affairs

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

Color Me Empowered

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$1,500**
To support the West Side Stories art festival aimed at bringing attention and audiences to the developing art scene in the Oak Cliff neighborhood of Dallas.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$3,500**
To support afterschool and summer visual arts programming in the Oak Cliff area of Dallas.

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

Creative Arts Center of Dallas

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$8,500**
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 ArtAbility, an inclusive program that provides free studio opportunities and art instruction to Dallas teens and adults with developmental and intellectual disabilities.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$3,000**
To support Camp MetalHead, a six-week program in metal working and jewelry making for at-risk teens in North Texas.

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

Cry Havoc Theater Company

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$4,500**
To support two summer stage productions co-created by at-risk youth in Dallas.

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

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$4,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$5,000**
To support the Changing Perspectives Block Party, featuring the internationally renowned Brooklyn Jumbies, Afro-Caribbean stilt dancers, who will use the traditional dance form to attract residents and visitors to downtown Dallas.

Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act **\$1,362**
To provide Texas CARES Act relief support to arts organizations impacted by the COVID-19 virus.

Enhancements to the District **\$135,000**

To support the Routh Street Gateway project which will enhance the Dallas Arts District by improving street-scape standards for pedestrian safety with new sidewalks, lighting, and accessibility compliance.

Dallas Bach Society

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

To support a program of free chamber music concerts offered to area senior centers and the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Children in Dallas.

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

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Dallas Black Dance Theatre

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$9,500**

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$5,000**

To support the DanceAfrica festival and performance series in the Dallas Arts District that includes an outdoor cultural festival and outreach activities.

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

To support the Summer Youth Enrichment program, providing dance instruction for at-risk youth in Dallas.

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

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Dallas Contemporary

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$4,500**

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 contemporary art workshops and museum visits for Dallas-area K-12th grade students.

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

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Dallas Museum of Art

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$16,500**

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

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

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

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

To support a program of dance classes for people with Parkinson's disease, designed in partnership with Dance for PD, that interprets the artwork in the museum collection and culminates in a public performance at the galleries.

Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act **\$1,361**
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High Quality Arts Programming **\$250,000**
To support 'Speechless', a participatory exhibition that uses research, aesthetics, and innovative design to explore sensory experiences and new approaches to accessibility and communication and attract visitors to the Dallas Arts District.

Dallas Opera

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$19,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Education **\$5,000**
To support educational opera performances for K-12 grade students in Dallas area public schools.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$2,500**
To support Opera Boot Camps for at-risk youth in Dallas.

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

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$18,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice **\$5,000**
To support the Southern Dallas Residency, providing weekly music instruction for at-risk youth in southern Dallas.

Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act **\$1,362**
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High Quality Arts Programming **\$100,000**
To support the SOLUNA International Music and Arts Festival, a three-week event featuring visual arts, music, dance and theater that attracts visitors to the Dallas Arts District.

Dallas Theater Center

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$10,500**
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 Public Works Dallas, a program of theater education workshops for economically disadvantaged seniors that culminates in the performance of a play at the Beckley Saner and Janie C. Turner Recreation Centers.

Arts Respond Public SafetyCriminal Justice **\$3,500**
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.

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

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$12,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$2,000**
To support the Invitational Windband Festival, a week-long educational band camp for middle and high school students, culminating in a free public concert at the Meyerson Center.

Arts Respond Education **\$5,000**
To support a live concert experience to introduce fifth graders to band.

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

Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts **\$2,500**
To support a music arts education program serving special needs students in the Dallas area.

Dance Council

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$4,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$2,000**
To support Dallas Dances 2020: Women Powering the Moves, a unique festival that marks the 100th anniversary of women's suffrage, builds community, and provides access to dance through free master classes and performance showcases.

Arts Respond HealthHuman Services- Military **\$3,000**
To support free adaptive dance and movement therapy sessions for north Texas veterans and their families, conducted in partnership with Veterans Resource and Outreach Center in Rowlett.

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

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,500**
To support From Texas to the World, a book publishing and author discussion series centered around five books written by Texas residents at various venues that will attract visitors from across the state to Dallas.

Arts Respond Education **\$4,000**
To support training in interview and writing techniques for English III students at low-income high schools in Dallas.

Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act **\$1,361**
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Fine Arts Chamber Players

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$6,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$2,000**
To support the Basically Beethoven Festival that takes place in the Dallas Arts District and attracts audiences from Texas and surrounding states.

Arts Respond Education **\$2,500**
To support a chamber music residency, providing specialized instruction in voice and piano, for 9th-12th grade students at Carter and Wilmer-Hutchins High Schools in Dallas ISD.

Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act **\$1,361**
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Greater Dallas Youth Orchestras

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$12,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Education **\$5,000**
To support free orchestral coaching and mentoring for elementary school students in Dallas ISD.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$4,900**
To support a program of free musical concerts performed by a youth chamber ensemble for seniors at Avalon Memory Care, Iris Senior Living, and Belmont Village Senior Living at Turtle Creek.

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

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

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

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$6,500
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Nasher Sculpture Center

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$12,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Economic Development	\$2,500
<i>To support 'til Midnight at the Nasher, an event that attracts people to enjoy art, film, music, and nearby institutions and amenities in the Dallas Arts District.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$7,000
<i>To support docent-led tours of the sculpture collection for K-12th grade students from the Dallas metropolitan area.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,362
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High Quality Arts Programming	\$250,000
<i>To support the installation and marketing of Elmgreen & Dragset: Sculptures, an exhibition of Scandinavian artists Michael Elmgreen and Ingar Dragset with performance and video works, in the Dallas Arts District.</i>	

New Texas Symphony Orchestra

Arts Respond Economic Development	\$2,500
<i>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.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,362
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Orpheus Chamber Singers

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$9,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,361
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Sammons Center for the Arts

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$7,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,362
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Shakespeare Festival of Dallas

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$5,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Economic Development	\$4,000
<i>To support marketing the Dallas Shakespeare Festival more widely to gain a larger audience from Dallas and across the state.</i>	
Arts Respond Education	\$6,000
<i>To Shakespeare on the Go, a series of theater workshops and TEKS-aligned classroom programs for K-12th grade students in the Dallas metropolitan area.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,362
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TACA, Inc.

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$7,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,361
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Teatro Dallas (dba)

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$7,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Economic Development	\$4,500
<i>To support marketing and production costs for the International Performance Festival, featuring performing groups from Germany, Mexico, Peru, Columbia, and the United States, that will attract Dallas residents and visitors.</i>	
Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice	\$2,000
<i>To support Conversations with Diego, a bilingual touring show to be presented to Latinx populations in Dallas community colleges and neighborhoods.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,361
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TeCo Theatrical Productions

Arts Create - Operational Support	\$5,500
<i>To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.</i>	
Arts Respond Health & Human Services	\$1,500
<i>To support the provision of ASL interpreters for designated theatrical productions to broaden access and diversify audiences in Dallas.</i>	
Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act	\$1,362
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Texas International Theatrical Arts Society

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$14,500**

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

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

To support Dance Unbound Dance Festival and monthly master classes that will bring national visibility and audiences to the Dallas Arts District.

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

To support a series of movement classes designed for Dallas area people with Parkinson's disease conducted by renowned dance artists in partnership with Dance for PD.

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

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Promotion and Marketing **\$100,000**

To support a public relations and communications project, in partnership with Project Mockingbird, to elevate brand identity, build powerful marketing strategies, and increase ticket revenues in the Dallas Arts District.

Turtle Creek Chorale

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 **\$1,362**

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Undermain Theatre (dba)

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$6,500**

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

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

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Verdigris Ensemble

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

To support a series of performances and private music lessons for 6-8th grade students in Dallas ISD.

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

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

Video Association of Dallas

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$8,500**

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

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

To support create a stand-alone event to present the 2019 Ernie Kovacs Award to actor, writer, and comedian John Cleese and attract visitors to Dallas.

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

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$6,500**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

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Women's Chorus of Dallas

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$8,500**
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 an outreach program that provides social service agencies with onsite music concerts along with free tickets to enable clients to attend concerts at the Moody Performance Hall in Dallas.

Commission Initiative-Texas CARES Act **\$1,362**
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Writer's Garret

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$9,500**
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 a program of therapeutic creative writing workshops conducted at the Cancer Support Community, Trinity River Mission, and social service organizations serving veterans and vulnerable populations in Dallas.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$4,500**
To support Rail Writers, a series of free 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: 150

Award Total: \$1,457,004