

Representative Abel Herrero

Texas House District: 34



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2023

Art Center of Corpus Christi

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 **\$1,500**

To support the Avian Art Exhibit, featuring a youth art show and related programming, to engage community members and attract tourists to Corpus Christi.

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

To support arts education activities in Texas through this public-private partnership. These funds are pass-through grants designated by the Texas Women for the Arts, a philanthropic arm of the Texas Cultural Trust.

Art Museum of South Texas (formerly STIA)

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$7,500**

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

Corpus Christi Symphony Orchestra

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

To support the Pat Furley Education Concerts, virtual and in-person events exploring the orchestra, for fourth and fifth grade students in Coastal Bend school districts.

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$15,000**

To support Cirque de la Symphonie, a new circus act production in the Downtown Corpus Christi Cultural District.

Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts **\$10,000**

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Downtown Corpus Christi Cultural District

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

To support the Downtown Corpus Christi Mural Festival, where local and national artists will create public murals, coinciding with the monthly first Friday ArtWalk.

K Space Contemporary

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

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Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$3,500**

To support the Senior Outreach Program, providing arts enrichment workshops and presentations in senior recreation centers, in the Corpus Christi area.

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

To support arts education workshops and materials for at-risk youth in the Corpus Christi area.

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$11,250**

To support the Dia de los Muertos Festival, a family-friendly event in the streets of the Downtown Corpus Christi Cultural District.

Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts **\$3,000**

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Mid-America Arts Alliance

Commission Initiative - National Assembly of State Arts **\$5,000**

Agencies Conference

Support for Texas Touring Roster artist, Johnny Villarreal to perform at the National Assembly of State Arts Agencies conference in Kansas City to highlight the talent found in Texas.

Commission Initiative - Regional Services **\$25,000**

Support for MAAA's programs serving Texas, including Artistic Innovations grants, the Exhibits USA program, the Artist Inc. training program, professional development support grants, and Regional Touring Program grants, December 1, 2022-August 31, 2023.

Tuloso-Midway Intermediate PTA

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$825**

Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller, the Singing Zoologist, to perform at Tuloso-Midway Intermediate School in Corpus Christi, 12/08/22 - 12/08/22.

West Oso ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,051**

Artistic fee subsidy for Storybook Theatre of Texas to perform at two West Oso ISD elementary schools in Corpus Christi, 10/05/22 - 10/06/22.

Number of Awards: 17

Award Total: \$105,626
