

# Representative Jolanda Jones

Texas House District: 147



## Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2023

### 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.*

### Apollo Chamber Players

**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** **\$1,500**

*To support Silk Threads, a multicultural concert and related programming featuring commissioned music by Chinese-American composer Wang Jie, in Houston.*

### Art League of Houston

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

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

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

*To support the Healing Art Program, providing art instruction to Houston-area adults living with chronic illnesses or physical disabilities.*

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

*To support the High School Studio Art Intensive program, which provides affordable studio art courses for economically disadvantaged students in Houston Independent School District.*

### Arts District Houston (formerly Washington Ave)

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

*To support a series of artist-led Sip 'n' Stroll tours spotlighting public art, artist studios, restaurants, and other businesses, attracting visitors to the district.*

**Cultural District Project - Promotion and Marketing** **\$67,675**

*To support arts programming, physical enhancements, and a marketing campaign in the Arts District Houston.*

## Asia Society Texas Center

**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** **\$5,000**

*To support Night Market, a one-night, community-based event celebrating arts and culture in Houston.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$3,150**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Riyaaq Qanwali to perform at Asia Society Texas Center in Houston, 11/12/22 - 11/12/22.*

## Catastrophic Theatre

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

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

## Classical Theatre Company

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

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

## Community Artists' Collective

**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** **\$1,500**

*To support the ARTSummer Program, which provides visual arts and performing arts instruction for students ages 12 - 24 enrolled in summer programs at community centers in Houston's 3rd and 5th wards.*

## Community Music Center of Houston

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

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

## Dance Source Houston

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

*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 Barnstorm Dance Fest that showcases local and regional choreographers at the Midtown Arts and Theater Center Houston.*

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

*To support the Dancer Health and Wellness Initiative, including a day of free health screenings for dance workers and a series of wellness workshops, in Houston.*

## DiverseWorks

**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** **\$2,000**

*To support the Fall 2022 Diverse Discourse Lecture & Studio Visit Program with Daniela Lieja Quintanar, presenting a public lecture and studio visits with Houston area artists.*

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

*To support A Gift from the Bower, an outdoor sculpture exhibition and performance series conceptualized by James Surls, featuring works by multiple artists about local flora and fauna, in Montgomery County.*

### **Ensemble Theatre**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$15,500**

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

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

*To support the creation and presentation of a new, STEAM-influenced, holiday-themed play and study guide for K-12th grade students in Houston.*

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

*To support the performance of 'Brother Toad,' which will include a post-show discussion and workshops for at-risk youth and adults in Houston.*

### **FotoFest**

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

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

**Arts Respond Education** **\$2,000**

*To support Literacy Through Photography, a series of in-school residencies that blends literacy and student photography, for first through twelfth grade students in Houston.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$187,500**

*To support If I Had a Hammer, FotoFest's 2022 Biennial of Photography and New Media in Arts District Houston.*

### **Freneticore (Pilot Dance)**

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

*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 Houston Fringe Festival, a multidisciplinary showcase at the Midtown Arts and Theater Center Houston in the Midtown Houston 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.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$24,480**

*To support the Space Taking Artist Residency, a program supporting local emerging artists and collectives in Arts District Houston.*

## **Glasstire**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$13,500**

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

## **Gordon Education Initiatives PA**

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

*To support Take the Stage, a filmmaking and acting residency for at-risk teens in the Harris County Juvenile Department of Probation.*

## **Gulf Coast: A Journal of Literature and Fine Art**

**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** **\$1,500**

*To support the Gulf Coast Reading Series, featuring readings and community workshops at Lawndale Art Center in the Midtown Houston Cultural District.*

## **Houston Arts Alliance**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$13,500**

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

## **Houston Cinema Arts Society**

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

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

## **Houston Early Music**

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

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

## **Houston Symphony**

**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** **\$6,000**

*To support educational orchestra performances for K-12th grade students in the Houston metropolitan area.*

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$6,000**

*To support residencies offering bedside musical performances to patients at Houston Methodist Hospital, MD Anderson Children's Cancer Hospital, Texas Children's Cancer and Hematology Centers, and CarePartners Dementia Day Center.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$125,000**

*To support the Holiday Concert Series, a season celebration running from Thanksgiving to mid-December in the Houston Theater District.*

## **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.*

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

*To support an international artist residency program, featuring educational workshops, masterclasses, and demonstrations to engage audiences in the Houston area and cultivate an understanding of Indian classical music.*

## **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 Economic Development** **\$4,000**

*To support the Dia de los Muertos Festival, featuring an altar exhibition, cultural festival, visual arts exhibition, and auction, to attract visitors to the Arts District Houston.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$2,500**

*To support the Sunburst Summer Arts program, a summer intensive arts camp that focuses on supporting at-risk, underserved youth from Houston and the surrounding areas.*

**Cultural District Project - Enhancements to the District** **\$85,000**

*To support auditorium renovations at Multicultural Education & Counseling through the Arts, for improved audience experiences in Arts District Houston.*

## **Musiqqa**

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

*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 commission of four new works by emerging composers for FotoFest's 2022 Biennial exhibition If I Had a Hammer, attracting new audiences to Houston.*

**Arts Respond Education** **\$2,000**

*To support interactive educational concerts and music workshops for economically-disadvantaged 9th-12th grade students in the Houston metropolitan area.*

## **NobleMotion Dance**

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

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

## **Performing Arts Houston**

**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** **\$4,500**

*To support the Houston Artist Commissioning Project, providing artistic, technical, and marketing support to local artists, and growing Houston's cultural sector through a more robust artist and audience base.*

**Arts Respond Education** **\$2,500**

*To support the Collaborative Arts Project, an in-school arts residency program that enriches fine arts classroom instruction while improving literacy instruction.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$2,254**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Cliburn medalist Yunchan Lim to perform at Cullen Theater, Wortham Theater Center in Houston, 10/18/22 - 10/18/22.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$21,987**

*To support two performances by Dance Theatre of Harlem at the Jones Hall for the Performing Arts in the Houston Theater District.*

### **Project Row Houses**

**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** **\$4,000**

*To support the Project Row Houses Archive, including collecting oral histories and digitizing assets to provide deeper cultural and artistic context for visitors to the Third Ward in Houston.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$25,000**

*To support the Founders Art Bus Tour, including the development of additional tours focused on local arts, culture, and history in the Third Ward Cultural District.*

### **Rothko Chapel**

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

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

**Cultural District Project - Enhancements to the District** **\$137,500**

*To support the Opening Spaces site development project, featuring a new Program Center that includes additional facilities and green spaces, in Houston.*

### **Sanskriti**

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

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

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

*To support a production of the English-language play 'BUDDHA,' produced in partnership with the Indian Council for Cultural Relations, to attract audiences from across the greater Houston area and international visitors from India.*

### **Silambam Houston**

**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** **\$1,500**

*To support the ArtStream concert series, presenting traditional and experimental Indian classical art performances to live and virtual audiences at the new Silambam Houston Cultural Arts Center.*

## South Asian Folk Arts Council

**Arts Respond Economic Development** **\$1,000**

*To support the Spiritual Music of South Asia Festival, which will put communities across the greater Houston area in dialogue with each other in a celebration of cultural, religious, and creative diversity.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$3,000**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Riyaaq Qanwali to perform at Shalimar Banquet Hall in Houston, 09/11/22 - 09/18/22.*

## Theatre Under the Stars

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

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

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

*To support the River, which provides high quality, inclusive arts education programs for children and young adults with physical and mental disabilities, in the greater Houston area.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$125,000**

*To support a stage production of Disney's Mary Poppins at the Hobby Center for the Performing Arts in the Houston Theater District.*

## Third Ward Cultural District (The Tre)

**Cultural District Project - Promotion and Marketing** **\$50,000**

*To support promotion and marketing of the Third Ward Cultural District - The Tre.*

## UH/Arte Publico Press

**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** **\$2,500**

*To support Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills-aligned author presentations at public elementary schools in the Rio Grande Valley.*

## UH/Blaffer Art Museum

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

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

## UH/Houston Shakespeare Festival

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

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

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**Number of Awards:** 77

**Award Total:** \$1,228,546