# Senator Carol Alvarado

**Texas Senate District: 6** 



# **Arts and Cultural Grants**

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2023

#### 14 Pews

## **Arts Create - Operational Support**

\$5,500

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

#### 4th Wall Theatre Company (dba)

## **Arts Create - Operational Support**

\$5,500

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#### American Festival for the Arts

# **Arts Create - Operational Support**

\$5,500

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#### **Arts Respond Education**

\$3,000

To support Engage AFA, consisting of free in-school clinics and masterclasses for band and orchestra students across the greater Houston area.

#### Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice

\$2,500

To support tuition-free, private instruction in violin, viola, or cello for students in kindergarten through eighth grade in the Gulfton area of southwest Houston.

#### 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.

## City of Pasadena/Library

# **Arts Respond Performance Support**

\$425

Artistic fee subsidy for Kim Lehman to perform at two Pasadena Public Library facilities in Pasadena, 06/21/23 - 06/21/23.

## **Arts Respond Performance Support**

\$487

Artistic fee subsidy for Bernadette Nason to perform at two Pasadena Public Library facilities in Pasadena, 06/28/23 - 06/28/23.

## **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.

#### **FotoFest**

# Arts Create - Operational Support

\$8,500

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## **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.

# 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.

#### Harris County Cultural Arts Council

# Arts Respond Economic Development

\$2,500

To support the Greens Bayou Art, Food, and Wine Festival, a celebratory event coinciding with Hispanic Heritage Month, to attract audiences to east Harris County.

#### Arts Respond Health & Human Services

\$1,500

To support MENTAL, a collaborative mixed media visual art project, consisting of art works, sculptures, and a short documentary film, which highlights the prevalence of mental health challenges in the Black community, in Harris County.

# **Arts Respond Performance Support**

\$750

Artistic fee subsidy for Jolie Rocke to perform at Harris County Cultural Arts Council in Houston, 06/16/23 - 06/16/23.

## Houston Contemporary Dance Company

## Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture

\$3,500

To support the creation of a new dance work by choreographer Yoshito Sakuraba that focuses on global soil erosion, to be performed at the Asia Society Texas Center in Houston.

#### Houston East End Cultural District

# Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming

\$162,500

To support the unification of the East End Street Fest and Calle de Colores mural programs under the guidance of the Houston East End Cultural District.

# 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 atrisk, 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.

#### 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

\$2,500

To support Creative Music Communities, providing year-round improvisational music classes for at-risk students, in Houston.

#### Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice

\$6,000

To support the Creative Music Communities workshop, a weekly music enrichment activity for at-risk youth in Houston.

#### 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

\$6,000

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 310,000.

Number of Awards: 29 Award Total: \$629,817