

# Senator Sarah Eckhardt

Texas Senate District: 14



## Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2023

### American Short Fiction

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

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

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

*To support the Insider Prize, an annual, adjudicated writing contest for incarcerated adults across Texas.*

### Anthropos Arts

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

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

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

*To support free music lessons, workshops, and mentorships for middle and high school students from low-income families in Austin.*

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

*To support the annual Real World Music Showcase, which provides music lessons, mentorship, rehearsals, and performance opportunities to at-risk teenagers from Title I schools in Austin.*

### ARCOS Foundation for the Arts

**Commission Initiative - Rural Tour** **\$5,000**

*Support for this Texas Touring Roster artist to give at least one performance in Crane County. Five more in Brewster, Crane, Pecos, Presidio, Terrell, and/or Upton counties.*

### Armstrong Community Music School

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

*To support early childhood music education programs, which serve underserved communities with interactive music-making activities, in Austin.*

## Art Spark Texas

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

*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 Audio Description and Accessible Performance Creation Workshop, a multi-day workshop training participants to describe dance, increasing access for blind and visually impaired audiences, in Austin.*

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$2,500**

*To support Women Veterans Strong, a hybrid eco-arts retreat involving ecological and place-based activities for female veterans in and around Bastrop.*

**Commission Initiative - Texas Poetry Out Loud** **\$20,000**

*Art Spark Texas will administer the financial portion of the Texas Poetry Out Loud program for the Texas Commission on the Arts. The National Endowment for the Arts provides this \$20,000 to the state. TCA will retain oversight of expenditures.*

## Artly World

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$2,500**

*To support Meditative Arts For Seniors, a program which will provide arts classes free of charge to low-income seniors in Austin.*

## Austin Area Art From The Streets

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$1,800**

*To support a program that will provide art therapy services for Austin-area artists who are experiencing homelessness.*

## Austin Asian American Film Festival

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

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

## Austin Bat Cave (dba)

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

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

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$2,250**

*To support after-school and summer writing programs for at-risk youth.*

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

*To support during and afterschool writing programs for at-risk youth in Austin, Del Valle, and the surrounding area.*

## Austin Book Arts Center

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

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

## **Austin Chamber Music Center**

**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** **\$3,500**

*To support the annual Austin Chamber Music Festival, attracting visitors and residents to concerts, open rehearsals, master classes, lectures, and other events featuring acclaimed musicians.*

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

*To support instructional chamber music residencies in Austin-area middle and high schools, including concert performances at the end of each semester.*

## **Austin Civic Orchestra**

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

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

## **Austin Classical Guitar Society**

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

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

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

*To support classroom-based guitar education programs for Central Texas students during the 2022-23 school year.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$800**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Azul Barrientos to perform at Captain Quackenbush's Soundspace and the Rosette in Austin, 11/16/22 - 11/17/22.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$6,000**

*To support classical guitar classes for incarcerated and court-involved youth in Dallas, Travis, and Williamson counties.*

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

*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.*

## **Austin Community Radio**

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

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

## **Austin Creative Alliance**

**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 Universal Human Rights Arts Summit, a two-weekend exhibition open to the public during the Austin Studio Tour.*

## Austin Dance Ensemble

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

*To support an annual production of The Nutcracker, and related programming in libraries, throughout Austin.*

## Austin Film Festival

**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** **\$7,000**

*To support the Austin Film Festival & Writers Conference, which showcases the work of filmmakers and attracts screenwriters and film lovers from Austin and across the nation.*

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

*To support screenwriting and film classes for students ages 9-18 in Austin Independent School District.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$13,500**

*To support the 21st annual Summer Film Camp Program in the Six Square Cultural District.*

## Austin Film Society

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

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

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

*To support an internship program for young adults which trains participants and facilitates job placement in the film production business.*

## Austin Jazz Workshop

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

*To support a season of programming centered on Harry Warren, featuring assemblies and classroom workshops serving grades three to five in Austin, Round Rock, and Manor.*

## Austin Lyric Opera

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

*To support the presentation of Bizet's 'The Pearl Fishers,' at the Long Center in Austin, to attract and engage audiences.*

**Arts Respond Education** **\$4,000**

*To support Austin Opera's K-12 education programs, offering Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills-aligned curriculum and live opera performances to guide students in social-emotional learning via the arts.*

## **Austin Playhouse**

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

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

## **Austin Scottish Rite Community and Childrens Theater**

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

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

## **Austin Shakespeare Festival**

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

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

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$1,000**

*To support the Young Shakespeare program, a teen theater program culminating in a performance in Austin.*

## **Austin Symphony Orchestra 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 Education** **\$4,500**

*To support the Young People's Concert Series, consisting of multimedia events for fourth and fifth graders in Austin Independent School District, at the Long Center for the Performing Arts.*

## **Austin Theatre Alliance**

**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 Summer Classic Film Festival, which features over 100 films and attracts audiences to downtown Austin.*

**Arts Respond Education** **\$7,000**

*To support Literacy to Life and Student Matinees, a residency for third graders that uses innovative arts-integrated teaching techniques and performance exposure to help students in the Austin area connect to the writing process.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$6,000**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Ruthie Foster to perform at the Paramount Theatre in Austin, 11/19/22 - 11/19/22.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$250**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Kelly Willis to perform at Stateside Theatre in Austin, 09/29/22 - 09/29/22.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$325**

*Artistic fee subsidy for SaulPaul to conduct a youth songwriting workshop at The Paramount Theatre in Austin, 06/20/23 - 06/20/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$325**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Patricia Vonne to conduct a youth songwriting workshop at The Paramount Theatre in Austin, 06/22/23 - 06/22/23.*

**Ballet Austin**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$18,500**

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

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

*To support EduMoves, a movement program that offers an introduction to dance, supports academic growth, and helps youth build social-emotional skills, for students in prekindergarten through second grade at Title I schools in Austin.*

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$2,000**

*To support EduMoves Virtual, a program of video dance and movement lessons for elementary students to independently maintain their physical and mental well-being, distributed to Central Texas school districts.*

**Ballet East Dance Theatre**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$3,000**

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

**Barton Creek Elementary/Eanes ISD**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,059**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Indigenous Cultures Institute to perform at Barton Creek Elementary in Austin, 11/18/22 - 11/18/22.*

**Beat 4 Beat (dba)**

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$2,000**

*To support free, therapeutic music classes for adults with disabilities at the McBeth Recreation Center in Austin.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$5,000**

*To support afterschool music and rock band lessons for at-risk students in Austin.*

**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.*

**Big Medium**

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

*To support the annual Austin Studio Tour, a free event over multiple weekends which showcases the work of local artists throughout Austin with open studios, exhibitions, and events.*

## **Black Fret**

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

## **Blue Lapis Light**

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

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$3,500**  
*To support aerial dance and movement workshops for youth served by Austin area social service organizations, including SAFE Alliance, LifeWorks, Boys & Girls Club of Austin, and Leap of Joy.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$2,000**  
*To support Youth Taking Flight, a comprehensive dance instruction program for at-risk youth in the Austin area, culminating in a performance.*

## **Brookhollow Elementary/Pflugerville ISD**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$281**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for MCP Shows/Margaret Clauder to perform at Brookhollow Elementary in Pflugerville, 02/22/23 - 02/22/23.*

## **Capitol View Arts**

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

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$5,000**  
*To support a Juneteenth event celebrating Black culture through music and visual art in the Six Square Cultural District.*

## **Center for Women & Their Work**

**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** **\$4,000**  
*To support It Takes Art to Spell SmArt, a series of contemporary art workshops and gallery visits for K-12th grade students in Austin Independent School District Title I schools.*

## **Cine Las Americas**

**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** **\$3,000**  
*To support the annual Cine Las Americas International Film Festival and associated programs, aimed at attracting residents and visitors to Austin.*

## City of Pflugerville/Community Library

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$335**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Tiny Tails to You to perform at Pflugerville Public Library in Pflugerville, 04/06/23 - 04/06/23.*

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

*Artistic fee subsidy for Kim Lehman to perform at Pflugerville Public Library in Pflugerville, 03/15/23 - 03/15/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$300**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and The Wilderness to perform at Pflugerville Public Library in Pflugerville, 04/13/23 - 04/13/23.*

## City of Sunset Valley

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,500**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Hot Club of Cowtown to perform at Toney Burger Center in Sunset Valley, 04/29/23 - 04/29/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$3,750**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Los Texmaniacs to perform at Toney Burger Center in Sunset Valley, 04/29/23 - 04/29/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,250**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Joe McDermott Bouncing Ball Music, LLC to perform at Toney Burger Center in Sunset Valley, 04/29/23 - 04/29/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,250**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and the Wilderness to perform at Toney Burger Center in Sunset Valley, 04/29/23 - 04/29/23.*

## Classical Guitar Alive (dba)

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

*To support Music In Medicine, a series of musical performances and interviews for terminally ill patients at hospitals and hospices in Austin, and broadcasted nationally and online.*

## Co-Lab Projects

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

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

## Collide

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

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

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

*To support Wild Sounds, a season of performances, workshops, and interactive sound art installations at Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center that amplify the importance and beauty of native plants, in Austin.*

## Conspirare

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

## Creative Action (dba)

**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** **\$3,500**  
*To support Brave Schools, a comprehensive arts-based suite of interactive classroom performances, artist residencies, teacher trainings, and family engagements for PreK-12th grade students and educators in Central Texas.*

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$6,000**  
*To support the Changing Lives Youth Theater Ensemble program, an ensemble of teen artists that creates and tours original performances about dating violence and healthy relationships, in Austin.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$500**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Lannaya Drum & Dance to perform at Creative Action in Austin, 03/25/23 - 04/23/23.*

**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.*

## Dripping Springs Community Library District

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$459**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Storybook Theatre of Texas to perform at Dripping Springs Community Library in Dripping Springs, 07/11/23 - 07/11/23.*

## Ensemble VIII

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

## Forklift Danceworks (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 Health & Human Services** **\$3,500**  
*To support Dances for Dogs And People Who Walk Them, a collaborative participatory community performance to raise public awareness about the services offered by the Austin Animal Center.*

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$3,000**  
*To support the second phase of a series of community engagement activities addressing water conservation and floodplain management through a partnership with the City of Austin Watershed Protection Department.*

**Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts** **\$2,000**

*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.*

**Fusebox Austin**

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

*To support a series of public performances, installations, and events during the Fusebox Festival to attract both residents and visitors and inspire spending in support of artists and local businesses.*

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

*To support the development of a more environmentally friendly model for producing the annual Fusebox Festival that can be shared with other festivals, fairs, performances and exhibitions across Texas.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$6,000**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Steve Parker to produce an installation and perform at Atlassian Wonderspace in Austin, 03/15/23 - 04/02/23.*

**Gilbert & Sullivan Society/Austin**

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

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

**Good Shepherd Episcopal School**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$650**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Lannaya Drum & Dance to perform at Good Shepherd School in Austin, 03/24/23 - 03/24/23.*

**Great Promise for American Indians**

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

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

**Ground Floor Theatre**

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

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

**Hispanic Alliance for the Performing Arts**

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

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

**Arts Respond Education** **\$3,625**

*To support El Sistema-inspired music lessons, mentoring, and performances at Title I high schools in Austin Independent School District.*

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$1,000**  
*To support the Draylen Mason Fellows Program, a musicianship and wellness-directed fellowship program for high school students in Central Texas.*

#### **Honk-TX**

**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 a free, family-friendly music festival featuring community street bands and solo performers, to attract participants and audiences from Austin and beyond.*

#### **Hyde Park Theatre**

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

#### **Hyperreal Film Club**

**Arts Respond Economic Development** **\$1,500**  
*To support Hyperreal Hotel, a weekly screening series curated to showcase the work of local filmmakers and featured films, at Hotel Vegas in East Austin.*

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$1,500**  
*To support Wild Blue Yonder, a free, weekly series of environmentally-focused films and guest scientist lectures offered to audiences in Austin.*

#### **Imagine Art**

**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** **\$1,000**  
*To support programmatic offerings to local Austin artists and tourists, offering free public studio spaces, supplies, and audience services.*

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$1,000**  
*To support a series of free arts instruction and professional development classes provided to artists with and without disabilities, in Austin.*

#### **India Fine Arts**

**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 75th anniversary celebration of India's independence from Britain, including music, dance, and a Bollywood theatrical production, attracting visitors to the Austin area.*

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

*To support a nada yoga-based music therapy program that combines Indian classical music with Indian traditional healing systems to help reduce stress and improve quality of life for seniors at Austin Groups for the Elderly of Central Texas.*

**Ishida Dance Company**

**Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts** **\$2,000**

*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.*

**Kathy Dunn Hamrick Dance Company**

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

*To support the Austin Dance Festival, a multi-day event featuring live dance performances, artist interviews, film screenings, directors' chats, masterclasses, community pop-up dances, and a dance fair.*

**Kindness Campaign (dba)**

**Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts** **\$2,000**

*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.*

**KMFA**

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

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

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,250**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Montopolis Productions to perform at KMFA Studios in Austin, 09/22/22 - 09/22/22.*

**KOOP Radio (dba)**

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

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

**La Follia Austin Baroque**

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

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

**Latinitas**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$750**

*Artistic fee subsidy for J Mużacz to conduct a workshop at Latinitas in Austin, 07/24/23 - 07/28/23.*

## Leap of Joy

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

*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 training video production, and summer dance classes and camps for Pre-K through 2nd grade students and teachers in Austin Independent School District.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$4,000**

*To support production and instruction for Care to Dance, a performance event at the Scottish Rite Theater for Title I elementary school students in Austin.*

## Line Upon Line Percussion

**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 reprised performances of Mauricio Pauly's 'Fream ad wall,' a complex work of percussion, electronics, and dual video projection, attracting audiences to the Austin area.*

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

*To support the Winter Composer Festival, providing junior and senior high school students with free, individual composition lessons culminating in a live performance, in Austin.*

## Long Center (dba)

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

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

## Mainspring Schools

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,000**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Forklift Danceworks to perform at Mainspring Schools in Austin, 03/15/23 - 06/1/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,350**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Forklift Danceworks to perform at Mainspring Schools in Austin, 09/01/22 - 12/14/22.*

## Mass Gallery

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

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

## Mexic-Arte Museum

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

*To support the Viva la Vida Festival, which incorporates traditions from Dia de los Muertos, and engages local and regional groups to draw Austin residents and visitors from across the state.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,800**

*Artistic fee subsidy for the Bike Zoo to perform in downtown Austin, 10/29/22 - 10/29/22.*

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

*To support Screen It!, a program offering screen print workshops and garment making for students from Title I schools in Austin.*

### **Mina Elementary/Bastrop ISD**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$957**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Main Street Theater to perform at Mina Elementary School in Bastrop, 02/24/23 - 02/24/23.*

### **MindPOP**

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

*To support integrating a dance residency program in Austin Independent School District elementary school classrooms, in partnership with educators and teaching artists.*

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

*To support a project targeting Austin Independent School District special education teachers, providing creative teaching strategies and a conference with the Kennedy Center Very Special Arts program.*

### **Moss Pieratt Foundation**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$750**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and The Wilderness to perform at Zilker Park in Austin, 04/01/23 - 04/01/23.*

### **Motion Media Arts Center**

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

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

### **Museum of Human Achievement**

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

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

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

*To support a series of public performances, events, and installations during the 2022 East Austin Studio Tour, attracting residents and tourists, and generating income for artists, grass-roots organizations, and local businesses.*

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

*To support Peanut and Friends, consisting of two days of collaborative community drive-in movie screenings, arts education, and block parties in Dove Springs and Kingsbury, using sustainable resources.*

## Outsider Film & Arts Festival

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

*To support the OUTsider festival, featuring local, national, and international LGBTQ+ artists presenting dance, film, music, theater, visual, and educational arts, in Austin.*

## Panoramic Voices (formerly Texas Choral Consort)

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

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

## Patton Elementary PTA

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$325**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Anuradha Naimpally to perform at JA Patton Elementary School in Austin, 03/10/23 - 03/10/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$212**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Sue Young to perform at JA Patton Elementary School in Austin, 03/10/23 - 03/10/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$450**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and the Wilderness to perform at JA Patton Elementary School in Austin, 03/10/23 - 03/10/23.*

## Penfold Theatre Company

**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 Penfold in the Park, featuring a free, family-friendly outdoor production of William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream in downtown Round Rock, encouraging visitor and resident spending in local businesses.*

## Polari

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

*To support aGLIFF, an annual film festival that spans full-length features, documentaries, and short films, exploring stories of identity from all over the world, in Austin.*

## Pollyanna Theatre Company

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

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

## Print Austin Collective

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

*To support PrintEXPO, a free, annual print fair that brings together artists, galleries, print shops, and universities from across the US to sell artwork and demonstrate printmaking to residents and visitors, in Austin.*

## **Puerto Rican Folkloric Dance**

**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 the Celebrando Heritage & Festival Project, celebrating the exchange between Texas' Puerto Rican and Colombian communities in Austin.*

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

*To support a series of interactive workshops that utilize music, dance, and storytelling to explore living in relationship with nature, culminating in an Earth Day celebration in Austin.*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$5,762**

*To support the first annual Indigenous Heritage Celebration in Austin, a free public event including indigenous participants from Hawai'i, Guam, Mexico, Boriken and Central Texas.*

## **Raasin in the Sun**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$3,600**

*Artistic fee subsidy for J Muzac̄ to perform at Seabrook Square in Austin, 03/15/23 - 05/31/23.*

## **Rancho Alegre Radio**

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

*To support the Rancho Alegre Conjunto Music Festival, a multi-day event in Austin showcasing conjunto musicians from across the state, that attracts residents and visitors.*

## **Rude Mechanicals**

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

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

## **Salon Concerts**

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

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

## **Salvage Vanguard Theater**

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

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

## **ScriptWorks (dba)**

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

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

## **St. Elmo Elementary/Austin ISD**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$562**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Creative Action to perform at St. Elmo Elementary in Austin, 03/15/23 - 05/15/23.*

## St. Matthews Episcopal Day School

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$600**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and the Wilderness to perform at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Austin, 10/21/22 - 10/21/22.*

## Suhaas Patil

**Commission Initiative - Young Masters** **\$5,000**

*Support for the costs of advanced arts training and other expenses for this Texas Young Master (year two of two).*

## Texans for the Arts Foundation

**Commission Initiative - Arts Advocacy Day** **\$3,000**

*Support to conduct Arts Advocacy Day in Austin, February 8, 2023. TCA funds will support speaker and artist fees, and associated costs.*

## Texas Accountants and Lawyers 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 Economic Development** **\$3,000**

*To support the production of seminars aimed at arts nonprofit leaders, that address nonprofit management fundamentals and best practices with the purpose of building capacity and increasing economic vitality, in Austin.*

## Texas Association of Museums

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

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

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$2,000**

*To support a series of workshops to help museums engage their audiences effectively through the use of digital platforms, provided to rural and underserved museum professionals in West Texas.*

## Texas Book Festival

**Arts Respond Economic Development** **\$7,000**

*To support the Texas Book Festival in Austin, featuring over 200 authors, live music and vendors, to connect writers with readers and provide a statewide celebration of literacy, ideas, and imagination.*

## Texas Comedies

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

*To support the Moonlight Tower project, a series of events on electrification in Texas featuring history talks and a musical theater performance to attract visitors to the Austin area.*

## Texas Early Music Project

**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** **\$3,000**  
*To support When Max was the Emperor: Musical Splendor for the Holy Roman Court, an early music concert employing local artists and contributing to Austin's cultural offerings for residents and visitors.*

**Texas Folklife**

**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** **\$4,000**  
*To support the Big Squeeze Youth Accordion Program of workshops, meetings, and performances which draw local and national media coverage and contribute to cultural tourism in the state.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,400**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Brave Combo to perform at Elisabet Ney Museum in Austin, 10/30/22 - 10/30/22.*

**Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice** **\$1,500**  
*To support a songwriting and storytelling workshop for at-risk youth in Austin, culminating in the creation of an original film score for the documentary 'La Santa Muerte: A Folk Saint in Texas.'*

**Designated Funding - Texas Folk Arts** **\$35,000**  
*Support to conduct the statewide folk arts apprenticeships program and related documentation, September 1, 2021-August 31, 2023.*

**Texas Library Association**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$175**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Elizabeth Kabura to perform at Hilton Austin in Austin, 04/21/23 - 04/21/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$175**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for State Artist Sara Hickman to perform at Hilton Austin in Austin, 04/21/23 - 04/21/23.*

**Texas State History Museum/State Preservation Board**

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,350**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for Great Promise for American Indians to perform at Bullock Texas State History Museum in Austin, 09/30/22 - 09/30/22.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,350**  
*Artistic fee subsidy for the Peterson Brothers to perform at the Bullock Museum in Austin, 06/15/23 - 06/15/23.*

**The Contemporary Austin (formerly AMOA-Arthouse)**

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

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

*To support the creation of Strange Faces, an in-person performance by a company of actors with disabilities at the Violet Crown City Church, in Austin.*

**Travis Heights Art Trail**

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

*To support the annual Art Trail, an interactive art, music, and literary event in the historic neighborhood of Travis Heights, attracting visitors to communities and businesses in the Austin's South Congress area.*

**Umlauf Sculpture Garden and Museum**

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

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

**Unlisted Projects**

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

*To support an exhibition featuring resident artists from Guadalajara, Mexico and Eastern Europe, as part of the 2022 East Austin Studio Tour.*

**UT Austin/Blanton Museum**

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

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

**UT Austin/Landmarks Art**

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

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

**Vortex Repertory Company**

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

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

**Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture** **\$2,000**

*To support Garden Party, an event that includes painting, sculpture, photography, dance and music activities in the Vortex's nationally certified butterfly garden in Austin.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,500**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Guy Forsyth to perform at the Vortex in Austin, 04/22/23 - 04/22/23.*

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

*To support the Summer Youth Theater, a theater program for at-risk Austin youth, culminating in a performance of the play 'The Memorandum.'*

**Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming** **\$150,000**

*To support the world premiere of i see you, you're seen in Six Square - Austin's Black Cultural District.*

## Waterloo Greenway (formerly Waller Creek Conservancy)

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$8,000**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Forklift Danceworks to perform at Waterloo Park in Austin, 11/10/22 - 11/12/22.*

## Welcome Table

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$1,848**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Lannaya Drum & Dance to conduct workshops at Norman Simms Elementary School in Austin, 06/20/23 - 07/31/23.*

## Wells Branch Community Library District

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$175**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Great Promise for American Indians to perform at Wells Branch Library in Austin, 10/07/22 - 10/07/22.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$187**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Kim Lehman to perform at Wells Branch Library in Austin, 11/19/22 - 11/19/22.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$400**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and The Wilderness to perform at Wells Branch Community Library in Austin, 06/16/23 - 06/16/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$260**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mark Shelton Solo Percussionist to perform at Wells Branch Community Library in Austin, 07/29/23 - 07/29/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$200**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Joe McDermott Bouncing Ball Music, LLC to perform at Wells Branch Community Library in Austin, 06/24/23 - 06/24/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$287**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller, the Singing Zoologist to perform at Wells Branch Community Library in Austin, 07/15/23 - 07/15/23.*

## Westbank Community Library District

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$400**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and the Wilderness to perform at Westbank Library in Austin, 12/31/22 - 12/31/22.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$200**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Kim Lehman to perform at Westbank Library in Austin, 04/29/23 - 04/29/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$400**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Mr. Will/Will and The Wilderness to perform at Westbank Library in Austin, 03/16/23 - 03/16/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$287**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller, the Singing Zoologist, to perform at Westbank Community Library in Austin, 07/27/23 - 07/27/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$225**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Elizabeth Kabura to perform at Westbank Library in Austin, 06/21/23 - 06/21/23.*

**Arts Respond Performance Support** **\$200**

*Artistic fee subsidy for Kim Lehman to perform at Westbank Library in Austin, 07/13/23 - 07/13/23.*

**Women in Jazz Association**

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

*To support a series of jazz concerts in Austin, providing residents and visitors an opportunity to experience traditional and contemporary jazz performed by musicians from across the US.*

**Arts Respond Health & Human Services** **\$2,500**

*To support jazz concerts and jazz education programs for greater Austin-area senior citizen communities and nursing home facilities, with the goal of uplifting spirits and improving quality of life.*

**Writers' League of Texas**

**Arts Create - Operational Support** **\$12,500**

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

**Zachary Scott Theatre 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 Education** **\$3,500**

*To support the Family and School Series, providing three discounted educational theater productions for Title I elementary schools in Austin.*

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

*To support theater arts summer camps for at-risk youth in Central Texas.*

**Zilker Theatre Productions**

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

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

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