

Representative Stan Gerdes

Texas House District: 17



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2024

Bastrop Cultural Arts Commission

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$8,000**

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

Bastrop Cultural Arts District

Cultural District Project - Enhancements to the District **\$16,200**

To support Birds of Bastrop, a public art project to beautify, and attract visitors to, the Bastrop Cultural Arts District.

Elgin Elementary/Elgin ISD

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

Artistic fee subsidy for Chris Barton to perform at Elgin Elementary School in Elgin, 01/22/24 - 01/22/24.

First United Methodist Church Elgin

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$400**

Artistic fee subsidy for Decee Cornish to perform at First United Methodist Church in Elgin, 06/19/24 - 06/19/24.

Smithville Cultural District

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

To support the creation of a postcard mural in Riverbend Park by middle schoolers and a local artist.

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$2,750**

To support Nature of the Arts, a community-forward public art project that will beautify the Mary Nichols Art Center and educate the community about Smithville's agricultural history through the creation of collages made from natural materials.

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$3,000**

To support the Dickens With A Twist Festival in the Smithville Cultural District.

Soldier Songs and Voices

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$400**

Artistic fee subsidy for George Enslie to perform at TR Ranch in Moulton, 11/04/23 - 11/09/23.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$200**

Artistic fee subsidy for George Enslie to perform at the Sagebrush in Austin, 07/04/24 - 07/04/24.

Number of Awards: 9

Award Total: \$34,950