

Senator Carol Alvarado

Texas Senate District: 6



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2024

4th Wall Theatre Company (dba)

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$12,000**

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

American Festival for the Arts

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$11,000**

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

Arts Respond Education **\$6,000**

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

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

To support DeLUXE KIDS In Harmony, a partnership with the Houston Symphony and the DeLuxe Theater, providing beginner violin instruction to students in Houston's Fifth Ward.

Aperio

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$12,000**

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

Arts District Houston (formerly Washington Ave)

Cultural District Project - Promotion and Marketing **\$77,488**

To support a tenth-anniversary marketing campaign, employing local artists and businesses, for the Arts District Houston.

Classical Theatre Company

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

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

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

To support Shakespeare in the House, which provides educational outreach performances of Romeo and Juliet for 9-12th grade students attending Title I schools in the Houston Independent School District.

FotoFest

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$15,000**

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

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$225,000**

To support FotoFest 2024 in Arts District Houston.

Fresh Arts (dba)

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$13,000**

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

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$18,197**

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 Create - Operational Support **\$9,000**

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 Love Project Live, a multidisciplinary performance that delves into the intricate phases of love created by Sha Davis, working to address the intersection of love, heartbreak, and intergenerational trauma, in Houston.

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.

Houston Botanic Garden

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

Artistic fee subsidy for Open Dance Project to perform at Houston Botanic Garden in Houston, 09/30/23 - 10/01/23.

Houston Contemporary Dance Company

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$11,000**

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

Houston East End Cultural District

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$6,000**

To support a performing arts program hiring local artists to participate in monthly residencies at the recently-established Music Box at Esplanade on Navigation in the East End Cultural District.

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$92,216**
To support 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 **\$15,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$5,000**
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 **\$35,868**
To support the purchase and installation of a new fence along the north, east, and south perimeters of the organization's campus in Arts District Houston.

Nameless Sound

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$8,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$5,000**
To support Creative Music Communities, free music workshops for at-risk youth focused on providing life skills through collaboration, in Houston.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$7,500**
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 **\$9,000**
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 Houston Art Car Parade, the world's oldest and largest art car parade, attracting over 250 vehicles from across the nation and an audience of over 310,000.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$2,250**
Artistic fee subsidy for The Bike Zoo to perform at MacGregor Park in Houston, 05/11/24 - 05/11/24.

Pomeroy Elementary/Pasadena ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$750**
Artistic fee subsidy for Lucas Miller, the Singing Zoologist, to perform at Pomeroy Elementary in Pasadena, 01/18/24 - 01/18/24.

Rhodes School for the Performing Arts (dba)

Designated Funding-Texas Women for the Arts **\$4,000**
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.

Writespace

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$5,000**

To support the annual Writefest, bringing nationally housed agents and editors to Houston for a week-long event and supporting Houston's hotels, restaurants, and bookstores while serving the writing community.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,300**

Artistic fee subsidy for State Artist Ire'ne Lara Silva to perform at Sabine Street Studios in Houston, 10/28/23 - 10/28/23.

Number of Awards: 32

Award Total: \$635,569