

Senator Brent Hagenbuch

Texas Senate District: 30



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas Senate District

Fiscal Year 2025

Archer County Museum and Arts Center

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$4,340**

To support an evening celebration of a four-day archeological dig of the Archer County Jail, featuring vendors, educational activities, and a bluegrass performance.

Art Room Denton (dba)

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

To support the Arts for Veterans program, which provides referred veterans with weekly, therapeutic art classes to assist with stress reduction, finding self-connection, and fostering a community through art.

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

To support the Studio 416 project, working with at-risk adolescents with mental health problems by offering a safe art studio environment and art activities.

Arts Council of Wichita Falls/Kemp Center

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 **\$6,000**

To support the annual Artzeum summer exhibition, featuring interactive arts activities and related educational programming, to engage children and families of Wichita Falls and the surrounding area.

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

To support Art In Transition, which provides in-person art classes for youth and adults in Texas Department of Criminal Justice facilities, in Wichita County.

City of Lewisville/MCL Grand

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$4,200**

Artistic fee subsidy for The Grand Ol' Production Company to perform at Lewisville Grand Theater in Lewisville, 12/07/24 - 12/07/24.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$2,286**

Artistic fee subsidy for Bruce Robison to perform at Lewisville Grand Performance Hall in Lewisville, 02/08/25 - 02/08/25.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$2,295**

Artistic fee subsidy for Sue Foley to perform at Lewisville Grand Performance Hall in Lewisville, 04/12/25 - 04/12/25.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$3,219**

Artistic fee subsidy for The Grand Ol' Production Company to perform at Lewisville Grand Performance Hall in Lewisville, 06/21/25 - 06/21/25.

CYT (Christian Youth Theater) Dallas-Fort Worth

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

To support a theater performance tour and associated educational materials for students in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Denton Black Film Festival Institute

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$14,000**

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 annual Denton Black Film Festival, including screenings, panels, and multidisciplinary performances, to attract a variety of audiences to Denton.

Denton Community Theatre

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

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

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$11,088**

To support the work of live musicians performing as part of mainstage musicals in the Original Denton District.

Denton Festival Foundation

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

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

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

To support the Denton Arts and Jazz Festival, a free, annual festival in the Original Denton District.

Gracelyn Weber

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).

Hudson Pletcher

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).

Liscano Elementary PTA

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$697**
Artistic fee subsidy for the Yuck Show to perform at Liscano Elementary School in Frisco, 03/14/25 - 03/14/25.

McKinney Philharmonic Orchestra (dba)

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 **\$5,000**
To support an educational tour of Dallas-area public schools by a string quartet and a woodwind quintet made up of principal musicians of the McKinney Philharmonic.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$4,500**
To support performances by the Youth Orchestra Chamber Music Program for seniors living in assisted senior living homes in Denton.

Melody of Hope

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

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,500**
To support a new live performance initiative in the newly constructed Kaleidoscope Park in Frisco to boost economic development, increase access to the arts, and drive cultural tourism.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$6,000**
To support the expansion of a music therapy program, which serves individuals at a safe house, hospital, and additional facilities across North Texas.

Minett Elementary PTA

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,140**
Artistic fee subsidy for the Yuck Show to perform at Minett Elementary School in Frisco, 02/11/25 - 02/11/25.

Muenster Volunteer Fire Department

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$3,600**
Artistic fee subsidy for Alex Meixner to perform at Heritage Park in Muenster, 04/25/25 - 04/27/25.

Pearson Middle School PTA

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$597**
Artistic fee subsidy for Yuck Show to perform at Pearson Middle School in Frisco, 04/02/25 - 04/02/25.

Pecan Creek Elementary PTA

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$747**
Artistic fee subsidy for the Yuck Show to perform at Pecan Creek Elementary in Denton, 02/12/25 - 02/12/25.

Sherman Community Players

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$4,500**
To support the musical production of 'Hello, Dolly!', attracting large crowds and generating economic activity for the Sherman area.

Cultural District Project - Promotion and Marketing **\$5,000**
To support attendance-boosting radio marketing campaigns for the theater's five main stage productions in the Sherman Cultural District.

Sherman Symphony Association

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 the annual Children's Educational Concerts for fifth-grade students in North Texas.

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$9,000**
To support an exhibition and concert that celebrate the history of performing arts in Grayson County, in the Sherman Cultural District.

Silver Creek Elementary PTO

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,000**
Artistic fee subsidy for David Cox, Rhythm Path Interactive Drumming, to perform at Silver Creek Elementary School in Azle, 12/17/24 - 12/17/24.

Springtown Intermediate/Springtown ISD

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$930**
Artistic fee subsidy for Chris Barton to perform at Springtown Intermediate School in Springtown, 11/21/24 - 11/21/24.

Tejas Storytelling Association

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$7,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$2,872**
To support providing American Sign Language interpretation for the Texas Storytelling Festival in Denton to eliminate barriers to spoken word art for people who are Deaf or hard of hearing.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,100**
Artistic fee subsidy for Elizabeth Ellis to perform at Holiday Inn Energy Corridor Eldridge in Houston, 09/20/24 - 09/22/24.

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$3,500**
To support venue rental for the Texas Storytelling Festival in the Original Denton District.

Texas Filmmakers

Cultural District Project - High Quality Arts Programming **\$12,000**
To support the Thin Line Fest, a free five-day arts festival with a focus on documentary films, live music, and photography in the Original Denton District.

Weatherford Square Initiative

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$3,000**
Artistic fee subsidy for The Bike Zoo to perform in Downtown Weatherford, 11/02/24 - 11/02/24.

Wichita Falls Alliance for Arts and Culture

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$8,000**
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 creation of three new murals in Bridwell Park that celebrate the Southland neighborhood to increase foot traffic and economic development in the area.

Wichita Falls Museum of Art

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$7,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Wichita Falls Symphony Orchestra

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$7,000**
To advance the creative economy of Texas by investing in the operations of this arts organization.

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$5,000**
To support performances at the After Hours Artwalk in downtown Wichita Falls on the first Thursday of each month, designed to attract visitors to experience the arts and cultural offerings of the city.

Arts Respond Education **\$3,000**
To support 'The Conductor's Spellbook,' a free educational concert for local and rural fifth grade students.

Wichita Falls Youth Symphony Orchestra

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 the Gail Key Academy of Music, a community music school providing subsidized private and small group Suzuki string instruction to students in the Wichita Falls area.

Number of Awards: 51

Award Total: \$270,111