

Representative Morgan Meyer

Texas House District: 108



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2026

AHA Art House Dallas

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

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

Ayden Yang

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

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

Ballet North Texas

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

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 'Celebration of Maria Tallchief,' a Dallas production for youth honoring the United States' first titled prima ballerina, using dance and narration to inspire young audiences to pursue wellness through dance.

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

To support 'My First Classic: Cinderella,' an interactive performance for Dallas-area at-risk youth that will engage them with ballet and the production.

Caroline McGowan

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

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

Greater Dallas Choral Society

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$18,000**

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

Jenny Chu

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

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

Lone Star Circus Arts Center

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

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

Orpheus Chamber Singers

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

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Arts Respond Education **\$5,500**

To support a choir and competition coaching series for high school students throughout the Dallas-Fort Worth metroplex.

Second Chance Players

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,500**

To support a production of John Patrick Shanley's 'The Prodigal Son,' a play encouraging community discussion of identity, class, and youth mental health, in Dallas.

Second Thought Theatre

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

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Southern Methodist University

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.

Texas Association for Symphony Orchestras

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

To support an annual conference in Corpus Christi, held concurrently with the Texas Medical Association Alliance conference, that will stimulate the economy through exploration of the intersection of music and wellbeing.

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

To support the Juanita Miller Concerto Competition, a high-quality music competition open to all Texas high school students, to be held at Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

The Artist Outreach

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$17,000**

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

Arts Respond Education **\$5,000**

To support arts integration programs for Title I schools in Dallas and Tarrant counties, helping teachers incorporate musical and creative experiences into math and literary curricula for preK-2nd grade students.

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

To support STREAMliners, an after-school multidiscipline arts and education program for at-risk and economically disadvantaged youth from Title I schools in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

Theatre Frisco (dba)

Arts Respond Economic Development **\$3,000**

To support multiple performances of 'Big Fish,' a musical production that provides paid employment for Texas-based directors, designers, actors and musicians while delivering accessible, high-quality live theater to the Frisco community.

Uptown Players

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

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

USA Film Festival

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

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

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

To support KidFilm Arts-in-Education, a multi-day in-theater program and subsequent in-class workshop serving students from Title I schools in the Dallas area.

Number of Awards: 23

Award Total: \$186,000