

Representative Mano DeAyala

Texas House District: 133



Arts and Cultural Grants

Listed by Texas House District

Fiscal Year 2026

Group Acorde

Arts Respond Health & Human Services **\$4,000**

To support Gasp, a collaborative work of contemporary dance and live music that explores the role of breath in physical movement, music-making, and tension, in Houston.

Arts Respond Natural Resources & Agriculture **\$4,500**

To support Representation of Form, a performance collaboration with photographer Christopher Peddecord that explores water and its cycles through original sound scores, dance, photography, and video, in Houston.

Iconoclast Artists

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

To support in-school creative writing and poetry programming for 6th-12th graders in Alief, Houston, Galveston, and Spring Branch independent school districts to strengthen reading proficiency rates.

Virtuosi of Houston

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

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

Wolfe Elementary PTO

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

Artistic fee subsidy for David Cox, Rhythm Path Interactive Drumming, to perform at Wolfe Elementary in Houston, 05/06/26 - 05/06/26.

Young Audiences of Houston

Arts Create - Operational Support **\$19,000**

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

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

To support the Arts Integration Project, teaching artist residencies at three local high-needs schools that support student achievement through standards-aligned programming.

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

Artistic fee subsidy for Brave Little Company to conduct theater classes at Braeburn Elementary in Houston, 09/01/25 - 12/14/25.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$1,476**

Artistic fee subsidy for Brave Little Company to perform at Thrive Center for Success in Magnolia, 09/01/25 - 12/14/25.

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

Artistic fee subsidy for Brave Little Company to conduct theater instruction at Braeburn Elementary in Houston, 12/15/25 - 03/06/26.

Arts Respond Performance Support **\$3,324**

Artistic fee subsidy for Brave Little Company to conduct theater workshops at Braeburn Elementary and Thrive Center for Success in Houston, 03/15/26 - 06/14/26.

Arts Respond Public Safety & Criminal Justice **\$7,500**

To support arts activities designed to address behavioral choices for incarcerated youth in Fort Bend and Harris County Juvenile Detention Centers and Hall Success Academy.

Number of Awards: 12

Award Total: \$71,000