

RESOLUTION NO. 20150917-020

WHEREAS, the City allocates fifteen percent of the funds received from the hotel occupancy tax to the Cultural Arts Fund for the encouragement, promotion, improvement, and application of the arts, including instrumental and vocal music, dance, drama, folk art, creative writing, architecture, design and applied fields, painting, sculpture, photography, graphic and creative arts, motion pictures, radio, television, tape and sound recording and other arts related to the presentation, performance, execution and exhibition of a major art form; and

WHEREAS, the City, through its Economic Development Department Cultural Arts Division, serves to encourage, develop, and facilitate an enriched environment of artistic, creative, cultural activity in the City; and

WHEREAS, the Cultural Arts Division manages the Cultural Arts Fund in compliance with Chapter 351 of the Texas Tax Code which authorizes funds to be spent to encourage the promotion of tourism and the hotel and convention industry; and

WHEREAS, the City Arts Commission, along with the Cultural Arts Division, developed a funding plan based on the model adopted by the City Council on August 18, 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Commission and the Division have recommended the cultural arts services contracts for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to be funded in the

amounts shown in Exhibit "A," and forwarded their recommendation for City Council approval as required by the August 18, 2005 Council action; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Zachary Scott Theatre have entered into an operation agreement in which the City pays the Theatre \$60,000 for maintenance, and it is sourced from the Cultural Arts Funds; **NOW THEREFORE**,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

The City Council approves the award of contracts for cultural arts services for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 to the contractors listed in the attached Exhibit "A" in the corresponding amounts, subject to adjustment as set out below, in a total amount not to exceed \$6,365,587, and authorizes the City Manager to negotiate and execute these contracts with terms and conditions as may be favorable, necessary, or required; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

The Council authorizes payment in the amount of \$60,000 for Zachary Scott Theatre Center for maintenance and operations per a separate current operations agreement to be paid from the Cultural Arts Fund; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

The City Manager or his designee is authorized to make formula-based adjustments to funding amounts not to exceed the amount of his administrative authority, based on the arts funding matrix approved by Council and as necessary

to correct mathematical or categorization errors, or based on updated financial information.

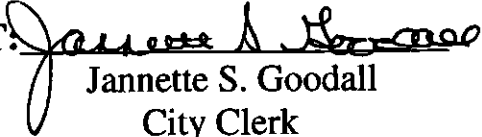
ADOPTED: September 17, 2015 ATTEST: 
Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk

EXHIBIT A
FY 2016 Cultural Funding Allocations

APPLICANT	FY 2016 ALLOCATION
Allison Orr Dance Inc	\$84,849
Anthropos Arts	\$61,905
Austin Celtic Assn	\$76,753
Austin Chamber Music Center	\$91,200
Austin Children's Museum DBA Thinkery	\$185,600
Austin Classical Guitar	\$172,700
Austin Creative Alliance	\$401,933
Austin Creative Alliance (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$165,800
<i>Sponsored Projects:</i> 7 Towers Theatre Company	\$3,250
A'lante Flamenco	\$5,975
Amphion Youth Choir	\$4,951
Anuradha Naimpally	\$13,625
Austin Baroque Orchestra	\$1,045
Austin Children's Theater	\$14,300
Austin Theatre Project	\$5,000
B. Iden Payne Awards Council	\$2,269
Balcones Community Orchestra	\$12,900
Bob Livingston	\$14,175
Busker Festivals, Inc	\$5,000
Buzz Productions	\$10,600
Cosmic Intuition Productions	\$5,500
Crank Collective	\$2,250
Dystheatre	\$4,172
Glass Half Full Theatre	\$14,450
Grapes of Wrath 75 Project	\$5,000
HONKITX	\$17,254
Jason Phelps & Co	\$5,000
John Pointer	\$3,094
Last Act Theatre Company	\$2,643
Lucky Chaos	\$4,528
Mother Falcon's Music Laboratory	\$5,000
paper chairs	\$13,900
Present Company	\$5,000
Punchkin Repertory Theatre	\$3,724
Ready Set Go!	\$3,616
Shrewd Productions	\$22,900
Sky Candy	\$5,000
The City Theatre Company	\$11,100
Theatre en Bloc	\$8,912
Austin Film Festival Inc	\$185,600
Austin Film Society	\$237,512
Austin Film Society (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$190,400
<i>Sponsored Projects:</i> Anne Lewis	\$10,600
Karen Kocher	\$12,612
Karen Skloss	\$13,900
Mike Blizzard	\$5,000
Normies, LLC	\$5,000
Austin Fine Arts Alliance, Inc. AKA Art Alliance Austin	\$93,400

APPLICANT	FY 2016 ALLOCATION
Austin Lyric Opera	\$190,400
Austin Music Foundation	\$60,501
Austin Playhouse	\$138,865
Austin Scottish Rite Community & Children's Theatre Inc	\$84,600
Austin Shakespeare Festival Co Inc AKA Austin Shakespeare	\$86,800
Austin Symphony Orchestra	\$190,400
Austin Theatre Alliance (The)	\$190,400
Austin Visual Arts Assn	\$60,600
Austin Visual Arts Assn (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$47,800
Sponsored Project: Dr. Christopher Adejumo	\$12,800
Ballet Austin	\$195,200
Ballet East Dance Co	\$73,025
Ballet East Dance Co (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$39,500
Sponsored Projects: Proyecto Teatro	\$18,800
UpRise! Productions	\$14,725
Big Medium	\$122,406
Big Medium (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$100,000
Sponsored Projects: Allyson Lipkin	\$2,406
Museum of Human Achievement	\$5,000
Pastelegram	\$10,000
Print Austin	\$5,000
Blue Lapis Light	\$71,200
Chorus Austin AKA Austin Civic Chorus	\$66,651
Conspirare Inc	\$190,400
Fuse Box Austin AKA Fusebox Festival	\$108,250
Fuse Box Austin (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$100,000
Sponsored Projects: Andrew Brown	\$8,250
Great Promise for American Indians	\$105,925
Great Promise for American Indians (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$93,400
Sponsored Project: Sergey Vashchenko	\$12,525
Greater Austin Performing Arts Center Inc AKA The Long Center	\$195,200
Hyde Park Theatre Frontera	\$101,200
Hyde Park Theatre Frontera (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$76,200
Sponsored Projects: Capital T Theatre	\$25,000
Imagine Art	\$69,900
La Pena	\$63,394
Mexic-Arte Museum	\$186,372
Mexic-Arte Museum (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$158,847
Sponsored Projects: Daniel Llanes	\$13,075
Johnny Degollado	\$14,450
Motion Media Arts Center aka The Austin School of Film	\$64,600
One World	\$263,486
One World (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$190,400
Sponsored Projects: Austin Troubadors - Slobodan Vujisic	\$6,871
Emily Dedear-The Love of China	\$13,900
Mohammad Firoozi	\$12,525
Nada Stearns	\$14,175
Oliver Rajamani	\$13,900
Sevylla del Mazo	\$11,715

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Rude Mechanicals	\$97,800
Salvage Vanguard Theater	\$96,997
Salvage Vanguard Theater (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$64,100
Sponsored Projects: Church of the Friendly Ghost	\$13,197
Trouble Puppet Theater Company	\$19,700
Shay Tree Studios	\$72,131
Texas Folklife Resources	\$115,239
Texas Folklife Resources (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$93,400
Sponsored Projects: Andrew Garrison	\$13,900
Michelle Alany	\$2,939
WobeeonFest, LLC	\$5,000
The Contemporary Austin Museum Inc	\$192,800
Theatre Action Project AKA Creative Action	\$190,400
Visions in Rhythm AKA Tapestry Dance Co	\$163,500
Vortex Repertory Co	\$151,243
Vortex Repertory Co (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$86,800
Sponsored Projects: Electronic Planet Ensemble	\$13,900
Epistrophy Arts	\$11,100
Ethos	\$14,725
Ingebrigt Haker Flaten	\$10,600
Katherine Wilkinson	\$5,000
Lorella Loftus	\$9,118
VSA arts of Texas	\$107,575
VSA arts of Texas (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$93,400
Sponsored Projects: Mindy Moore	\$14,175
Women & Their Work (Center For)	\$290,875
Women and Their Work (<i>Fiscal Sponsor</i>)	\$93,400
Sponsored Projects: Alyssa Taylor Wendt	\$5,000
Art of the Pot	\$10,925
Asian American Community Partnership	\$14,450
Bob Hoffnar	\$13,625
Chris Cogburn	\$14,175
Denise Prince	\$13,900
Elizabeth McQueen	\$5,000
Experimental Response Cinema	\$2,241
Generic Ensemble Company	\$10,568
Heloise Gold	\$10,675
Jayson Oaks	\$8,625
Jennifer Sherburn	\$9,717
Joel Laviolette and Rattletree Marimba	\$13,900
Jules Buck Jones	\$5,000
Julie Nathanielsz	\$10,300
Katelena Hernandez Cowles	\$3,551
Lauren Gurgio	\$9,000
Lauren Tietz	\$1,000
Protos Festival	\$5,000
Rino Pizzi	\$6,150
Shay Ishii Dance Co.	\$4,948
Women Printmakers of Austin	\$14,725
Yuliya Lanina	\$5,000
Writer's League of Texas	\$66,800
Zachary Scott Theatre Center	\$200,000

APPLICANT	FY 2016 ALLOCATION
Zachary Scott Theatre Center Maintenance	\$60,000
Zilker Theatre Productions	\$89,000