



2024 Grants Announcement November 15, 2023

Cuyahoga Arts & Culture's mission is to inspire and strengthen the community by investing in arts and culture. **Cuyahoga Arts & Culture is pleased to announce more than \$10.75 million in grants to 300 nonprofit organizations in 2024.** CAC will invest:

- \$1.3 million in public funds to 214 organizations through 2024 Project Support grants,
- \$220,442 in 13 organizations through 2024 Cultural Heritage grants, and
- nearly \$9.2 million to 73 organizations through 2024 General Operating Support grants.

The following pages detail the grant amounts. To connect with our grant recipients and thousands of cultural experiences each month, we invite you to visit our websites: ClevelandArtsEvents.com or cacgrants.org.

Next Steps for Grant Recipients

Cuyahoga Arts & Culture is proud to support hundreds of nonprofit organizations bringing millions of arts and culture experiences to Cuyahoga County residents each year. We look forward to providing resources to help you strengthen your organization and serve your community, including continued technical assistance and access to promote your events at ClevelandArtsEvents.com. Look for an email from your grant manager with next steps, including information about grant agreements and disbursement schedules.

Congratulations, and thank you for your time and efforts. We look forward to working together in 2024.

Sincerely,

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2024 Grants

The following organizations will receive funding through Cuyahoga Arts & Culture's 2024 grants.

Grant Recipient	Grant Amount
Abrepaso Flamenco	\$4,265
Achievement Centers for Children	\$4,265
AfricaHouse International [†]	\$19,780
America Asian Pacific Islander Organization [†]	\$4,265
America SCORES Cleveland	\$14,880
American Hungarian Friends of Scouting	\$8,685
American Slovenian Polka Foundation	\$3,410
Apollo's Fire Baroque Orchestra	\$102,914
Aradhana Committee [†]	\$15,790
Art House	\$25,225
Art of Me [†]	\$13,135
Art Therapy Studio	\$44,753
Artful	\$3,410
Artists Archives of the Western Reserve	\$23,028
Arts Impact	\$42,668
Arts in Strongsville	\$3,410
Arts Renaissance Tremont (ART)	\$3,410
Arts Without Borders	\$3,410
Assembly for the Arts	\$42,649
Association of African American Cultural Garden [†]	\$4,265
Babel Box Theater ^{†*}	\$3,410
Baldwin Wallace University	\$15,815
Baseball Heritage Museum	\$2,730
Bay Village Community Band	\$2,730
BA Yarts	\$42,579
Beachwood Arts Council	\$4,265
Beck Center for the Arts	\$115,525
Bedford Historical Society	\$2,455
Benjamin Rose Institute on Aging	\$4,265
Berea Arts Fest	\$7,615
BigHearted Blooms	\$4,265
BlueWater Chamber Orchestra	\$12,890

BorderLight	\$15,305
Boys & Girls Clubs of Northeast Ohio*	\$4,265
Brite Cleveland	\$15,305
Broadway School of Music and the Arts	\$24,967
Brooklyn Heights Service Clubs	\$3,410
Buck Out Foundation†	\$15,075
Canalway Partners	\$3,410
Carolyn L. Farrell Foundation	\$12,960
Case Western Reserve University	\$3,410
Cassidy Theatre	\$14,395
Cedar Fairmount Special Improvement District	\$3,410
Celebrate the Arts Performance Academy†	\$4,265
Center for Arts-Inspired Learning	\$83,621
Center for Employment Opportunities*	\$4,265
Cesear's Forum	\$3,410
Chagrin Arts	\$15,345
Chagrin Documentary Film Festival	\$31,383
Chagrin Valley Little Theater	\$25,182
ChamberFest Cleveland	\$14,425
Children's Museum of Cleveland	\$91,210
Choral Arts Cleveland	\$3,410
City Ballet of Cleveland	\$9,975
City Club of Cleveland	\$15,090
CityMusic Cleveland	\$16,270
Cleveland Association of Black Storytellers†	\$5,000
Cleveland Ballet	\$73,954
Cleveland Botanical Garden	\$149,843
Cleveland Chamber Choir	\$9,740
Cleveland Chamber Collective	\$4,265
Cleveland Chamber Music Society	\$11,285
Cleveland Chamber Symphony	\$5,885
Cleveland Classical Guitar Society	\$32,816
Cleveland Composers Guild	\$3,410
Cleveland Contemporary Chinese Culture Association†	\$9,385
Cleveland Dance Project Company	\$4,265
Cleveland Grays Armory Museum	\$3,410

Cleveland Inner City Ballet [†]	\$3,410
Cleveland Institute of Art	\$486,867
Cleveland Institute of Music	\$472,791
Cleveland International Film Festival	\$106,206
Cleveland Jazz Orchestra	\$17,263
Cleveland Leadership Center	\$3,410
Cleveland Museum of Natural History	\$437,584
Cleveland Opera Theater	\$4,265
Cleveland Philharmonic Orchestra	\$3,410
Cleveland Photo Fest	\$4,265
Cleveland Play House	\$264,669
Cleveland Pops Orchestra	\$51,196
Cleveland Pride Band	\$4,265
Cleveland Print Room	\$36,742
Cleveland Public Theatre	\$86,632
Cleveland Rape Crisis Center	\$4,265
Cleveland Repertory Orchestra	\$3,410
Cleveland Restoration Society	\$75,733
Cleveland Rocks: Past Present and Future	\$14,750
Cleveland School of the Arts Board of Trustees	\$14,610
Cleveland Seed Bank	\$3,410
Cleveland Shakespeare Festival	\$3,410
Cleveland Silent Film Festival and Colloquium	\$3,410
Cleveland TOPS Swingband	\$3,410
Cleveland Treatment Center	\$4,075
Cleveland Uncommon Sound Project	\$4,265
Cleveland Winds	\$3,410
Cleveland Women's Orchestra	\$3,410
Collective Arts Network	\$23,551
CollectivExpress [†]	\$8,542
Colors+ Youth Center	\$4,265
Community Cup Classic Foundation	\$3,410
Connecting for Kids	\$4,265
Contemporary Youth Orchestra	\$23,704
convergence-continuum	\$10,895
Coventry PEACE Campus	\$3,410

Coventry Village Special Improvement District	\$3,410
Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad	\$3,410
Dance Evert	\$4,265
DANCECleveland	\$38,611
Dancing Classrooms Northeast Ohio	\$2,935
Dancing Wheels	\$39,212
Diversity Center of Northeast Ohio	\$3,410
Djapo Cultural Arts Institute†	\$19,389
Doan Brook Watershed Partnership	\$33,053
Dobama Theatre	\$39,797
Downtown Cleveland Alliance	\$14,920
DuffyLit†	\$15,711
Dunham Tavern Museum & Gardens	\$15,670
East Cleveland Farmers' Market Preservation Society	\$2,140
Edward E. Parker Museum of Art†	\$3,410
Empowering Epilepsy	\$4,265
Encore Chamber Music Institute	\$6,340
Ensemble Theatre	\$15,226
Environmental Health Watch†	\$15,815
Euclid Beach Park Now	\$3,410
Far West Center	\$4,265
Folknet	\$3,410
Foluke Cultural Arts†	\$30,000
Food Strong	\$4,265
Fostering Hope	\$4,265
Friends of the East Cleveland Public Library†	\$3,410
Friends of the McGaffin Carillon	\$6,310
From Me 2 U†	\$4,265
FRONT International	\$82,204
Front Steps Housing and Services	\$4,265
FrontLine Service	\$4,265
FutureHeights	\$4,265
Gardening in the District†	\$3,410
German Central	\$3,070
German Music Society	\$1,365
Golden Ciphers Youth Development & Cultural Arts Center†	\$4,265

Good Company: A Vocal Ensemble	\$4,265
Graffiti HeArt	\$3,410
Great Lakes Science Center	\$216,921
Great Lakes Theater	\$139,572
Greater Cleveland Film Commission	\$4,265
Greater Cleveland Neighborhood Centers Association	\$14,710
Greater Cleveland Urban Film Festival	\$30,000
GroundWorks DanceTheater	\$40,117
Group Plan Commission	\$4,265
Harvard Community Services Center†	\$3,410
Hasani Management Inc†	\$3,410
Heights Arts	\$23,572
Heights Youth Theatre	\$13,970
Henry Johnson Center†	\$4,265
Historic Gateway Neighborhood Corporation	\$9,920
Hospice of the Western Reserve	\$13,030
ICA - Art Conservation	\$63,512
Ideastream Pubic Media	\$537,116
In Harmony Therapeutic Services	\$9,040
India Fest USA†	\$3,410
Ingenuity	\$34,724
Inlet Dance Theatre	\$26,025
InMotion*	\$3,410
International Community Council	\$3,410
International Women's Air & Space Museum	\$3,410
Italian Cultural Garden	\$3,410
Jennings Center for Older Adults	\$14,750
Jewish Family Service Association of Cleveland Ohio	\$4,265
Jewish Federation of Cleveland	\$12,960
John Carroll University*	\$4,265
Jones Road Family Development Corporation	\$10,810
Julia De Burgos Cultural Arts Center†	\$30,000
Kaboom Collective	\$13,675
Karamu House†	\$113,918
Kings & Queens of Art†*	\$3,410
Kulture Kids	\$14,725

Lake Erie Ink	\$26,583
Lake Erie Nature & Science Center	\$63,683
Lakewood Young Filmmakers Academy	\$7,185
LakewoodAlive	\$4,265
LAND studio	\$152,738
Larchmere PorchFest	\$3,410
LatinUs Theater Company [†]	\$23,828
Les Délices	\$15,345
LGBT Community Center Greater Cleveland	\$4,265
Literary Cleveland	\$23,208
Little Italy Redevelopment Corporation	\$2,730
Little Lumpy's Center for Educational Initiatives [†]	\$11,165
Local 4 Music Fund	\$15,475
LYLESART [†]	\$4,265
M.U.S.i.C.	\$10,670
Maelstrom Collaborative Arts	\$13,675
Malachi Center	\$4,050
Maltz Museum	\$109,938
Mandel JCC	\$13,300
Mantles and Makers ^{†*}	\$3,410
May Dugan Center	\$3,410
Men of Independence	\$3,410
MidTown Cleveland	\$4,265
Mojuba! Dance Collective [†]	\$8,820
Morgan Conservatory	\$30,665
Museum of Contemporary Art Cleveland	\$104,387
Museum of Creative Human Art ^{†*}	\$4,265
Music and Art at Trinity	\$11,770
Musical Theater Project	\$34,744
Naach Di Cleveland [†]	\$3,410
NAMI Greater Cleveland	\$4,265
Nature Center at Shaker Lakes	\$73,516
Near West Theatre	\$47,702
New Avenues to Independence	\$2,970
NewBridge Cleveland Center for Arts & Technology	\$14,970
No Exit	\$3,410

North Coast Men's Chorus	\$19,884
North East Ohio Musical Heritage Association	\$4,265
North Pointe Ballet*	\$4,265
North Union Farmers Market	\$4,265
Northeast Ohio Hispanic Center for Economic Development†	\$3,070
Northwest Neighborhoods CDC	\$8,235
OCA Greater Cleveland†	\$4,265
Oh Sew Powerful†	\$4,265
Ohio City Incorporated	\$4,265
Ohio Contemporary Ballet	\$35,516
Old Brooklyn Community Development Corporation	\$4,265
One South Euclid	\$4,265
Open Doors Academy	\$15,475
Open Tone Music†	\$12,790
Pakistani Cultural Garden†	\$3,410
PALS for Healing	\$14,535
Parma Area Fine Arts Council	\$3,410
Piano Cleveland	\$58,031
Playhouse Square	\$872,438
Polish Village Parma	\$3,410
Praxis Fiber Workshop	\$15,280
Radio on the Lake Theatre*	\$3,410
Rainey Institute	\$70,645
Reaching Heights	\$3,410
Refresh Collective	\$15,970
Refugee Response	\$14,120
Renovare Music	\$8,520
Restore Cleveland Hope	\$3,410
Ridna Shkola Cleveland*	\$4,265
Roberto Ocasio Foundation†	\$3,410
Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum	\$670,975
Rollin' Buckeye†	\$4,265
Roots of American Music	\$21,447
Sankofa†	\$7,714
Schmooze Ohio†	\$1,705
School of Cleveland Ballet	\$14,770

Sculpture Center	\$15,384
Shaker Arts Council	\$3,410
Shaker Historical Society	\$13,381
Shore Cultural Centre	\$3,410
Singing Angels	\$16,505
Slavic Village Development	\$3,410
Slovenian Museum and Archives	\$6,583
SOS: Strengthening Our Students [†]	\$3,410
SPACES	\$34,003
St. Clair Superior Development Corp.	\$4,265
Stellar Acrobatic Dance Academy [†]	\$3,410
Studio Institute*	\$4,265
STV Bavaria	\$4,265
Suburban Symphony Orchestra	\$4,265
Talespinner Children's Theatre	\$15,655
Tender Hearts Crusades [†]	\$4,265
The Cleveland Museum of Art	\$869,265
The Cleveland Opera	\$11,760
The Cleveland Orchestra	\$863,659
The Foundry*	\$4,265
The Gathering Place	\$4,265
The Harvard Square Center	\$3,410
The Movement Project	\$12,795
The Music Settlement	\$177,229
Thea Bowman Center [†]	\$3,410
Tremont West Development Corporation	\$7,640
Trobár Medieval	\$4,265
Ukrainian Cultural Arts Association of Greater Cleveland	\$2,560
Ukrainian Museum Archives	\$16,047
Union Miles Development Corporation [†]	\$4,265
University Circle Inc.	\$13,580
Upcycle Parts Shop	\$4,265
UpStage Players	\$3,410
Ursuline College	\$4,265
Valley Art Center	\$28,499
VIVA Bavaria	\$3,410

Wake Up and Live's Actor's Studio [†]	\$3,410
Waterloo Arts	\$15,620
West Park Kamm's Neighborhood Development	\$4,265
West Side Catholic Center	\$4,265
West Side Community House [†]	\$15,390
Western Reserve Chorale	\$4,265
Western Reserve Fire Museum & Education Center	\$3,410
Western Reserve Historical Society	\$202,424
Western Reserve Land Conservancy	\$3,410
Westlake Chinese School [†]	\$3,410
Westown Community Development Corporation	\$3,410
Windsong, Cleveland's Feminist Chorus	\$4,265
Women in History	\$3,410
Writers in Residence	\$4,260
Youth Challenge	\$4,265
Zygote Press	\$21,239

[†] *Indicates a BIPOC (Black, Indigenous, People of Color)-led and serving organization*

* *Indicates a first-time grant recipient*