

PANEL RESULTS & COMMENTS 2020 PROJECT SUPPORT II



Catholic Charities Corporation

Your Project Title: Embracing the Arts

Your Project Summary: The Fatima Family Center (Fatima) introduces children, ages 5-13, and their families to the arts during after-school and summer camp activities taught by well-known artists. We partner with Cleveland's premier arts organizations as they lead activities at Fatima and their institutions. Refer to the support materials.

Final Score: Somewhat. Overall, the panel felt that the applicant provided some evidence throughout the application that the funding criteria were met.

CAC Grant Amount: \$4,000

To ensure an impartial and transparent application review process, CAC convened an online panel of arts and cultural professionals from outside the region who evaluated and scored eligible applications.

Panelists scored each application based on the Funding Criteria—Public Benefit, Artistic and Cultural Vibrancy and Organizational Capacity—with an emphasis on Public Benefit. For more details regarding the panel process and full panelist bios, please review the [Panel Guide](#).



Katie Skayhan
(Beaverton, OR)



Martin Leyva
(San Marcos, CA)



**LaShawnda Crowe
Storm**
(Indianapolis, IN)

Below you will find the panel's scores and any feedback in response to the question: **With an emphasis on public benefit, does the applicant demonstrate evidence that it meets CAC's three funding criteria?**

Note: Panelist scores and comments are presented in no particular order.

Panelist 1

Score: Somewhat

Panelist 2

Score: Yes

Embracing the Arts recognizes and responds to the community with intention. I loved learning how existing programs are strengthened and new concepts are introduced. I really appreciated the detailed use of data, especially in the goal setting and evaluation of the program's success. The diverse team of artists and organizations involved show a commitment to artistic vibrancy. The organizational capacity is appropriate for the breadth of programming.

Panelist 3

Score: Yes

The programming seems to be culturally sensitive and is connected to community needs and concerns. I'm glad to see that you are paying artists fair wages.

Questions? Cuyahoga Arts & Culture is here to assist. Please contact:

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