

PANEL RESULTS & COMMENTS

2021 PROJECT SUPPORT II



Friends of the East Cleveland Public Library

Your Project Title: East Cleveland Community Arts Mentorship Program, ECCAMP

Your Project Summary: ECCAMP is an after school program that offers musical training and mentorship. The students learn instruments and perform as ensembles.

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: \$5,000

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](#).



Krissy Harmen
(Athens, OH)



Kirkston Tyrone Spann
(Chicago, IL)



Kavita Mahoney
(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

Project dates listed are not within the grant period (Sept 2020). Project goal might be hard to measure - seeing success and development in other talents outside learning an instrument. While that certainly lends itself to public benefit, it might be better

Panelist 2

Score: Somewhat

The applicant did not clearly demonstrate a knowledge of the community they serve, providing vague and general language: "most likely come home after school to limited activities." There is also some confusion by how they plan to measure the progress based on improved academic performance, when the applicants state that students who participate are already "above average academically."

Panelist 3

Score: Yes

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

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