Kulture Kids

Your Project Title: A J Rickoff is the Place: A Pleasant Garden- Grow Great!

Your Project Summary: Grow A Pleasant Garden within and on the Grounds of A.J.Rickoff School as a learning center and safe space fostering healthy living, creativity, pride and community. All Teachers and classes will connect learning objectives with hands on and virtual activities centered on year round garden centered activity. Food and Flower will nurture the community encouraging wellness and healthy living.

Final Score: Yes. Overall, the panel felt that the applicant provided 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.
The application would benefit from providing additional information on what virtual arts program they're developing (referred to in application narrative). They talk about success in terms of project goals, but how will these actually be evaluated? The successes seem more like the goals (in section about how they accomplish/make progress towards their goal). End date lists 2020.

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

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