

## **Broward County Cultural Division Arts and Culture Grant Programs**

### **General Operating Support Grant**

The General Operating Support (GOS) grant supports Broward-based arts and culture organizations in the production and presentation of ongoing, sustainable, high-quality artistic activities that engage the diversity of Broward County/South Florida residents and visitors. The GOS grant program is the Division's primary vehicle for supporting and strengthening the organizational capacity of our grantees by providing multi-year, unrestricted operating support.

**Award Potential:** A funding formula is used to determine a qualifying amount for organizations in the GOS category. This formula is based on an organization's average annual operating expense (AOE) which is determined by averaging an organization's total functional expenses from their last three IRS Form 990s.

### **Program Support Grant**

Program Support grant provides project-based support to arts and culture organizations and non-arts nonprofit organizations in the production and presentation of high-quality artistic activities. These ongoing and one-time projects broaden and deepen audience participation and increase access to the arts for visitors and residents throughout Broward County. *Eligible organizations can apply for funding in one of three discrete grant tiers.*

**Award Potential:** The maximum amount of funding that an organization can receive from each of these tiers is \$15,000, \$10,000, or \$5,000.

### **Capacity Building Grant**

Capacity-Building grant program helps organizations identify and address their most pressing organizational needs. A commitment of the Broward Cultural Division has been to, annually, dedicate resources for capacity building programs designed to improve organizational effectiveness of the field and regard leadership development of cultural executives, and entrepreneurial acumen of artists, as key strategic investments.

**Award Potential:** \$25,000 - \$50,000.

### **Artist Grants**

The grants for artists provides project-based funding directly to individual artists of all disciplines, to support the creation and exhibition of high-quality new work, or the expansion of an existing body of work. Artists apply in the Artist Support or Innovation categories, depending on size and scope of their proposed project.

**Award Potential:** \$3,000 - \$15,000

### **Cultural and Artistic Facilities Capital Grant**

The Cultural and Artistic Facilities Capital grant (“C&A Facilities”) provides an opportunity for eligible Broward County cultural not-for-profit organizations or Broward municipalities to request support for nonrecurring needs, such as cultural facility projects. Cultural facility construction requests may be for the acquisition, expansion, or renovation of existing buildings; or for site acquisition and construction of new buildings to be used for cultural activities.

Award Potential: \$25,000 - \$500,000.

### **Arts & Cultural Festival and Special Event Sponsorship**

The Arts & Cultural Festival and Special Event Sponsorship program provides funding to support the planning and execution of arts and cultural events in Broward County. This initiative aims to ensure equitable access to financial resources for community-driven projects that promote collaboration, community building, and economic development.

Award Potential: up to \$25,000 for new and emerging arts & cultural festivals/special events; up to \$50,000 for established arts & cultural festivals/special events.