



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

# Grant Lists and Information

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Division of Cultural Affairs

Division of Historical Resources

Division of Library and Information Services



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## Rural Areas of Opportunity (RAO)

During the 2018 Session of the Florida Legislature, HB 5001 (the General Appropriations Act) was signed into law and included the following proviso language regarding the 2019-2020 Department of State grant lists:

For the next application submission period for the grant programs under sections 257.191, 265.286, 265.606, 265.701, and 267.0617, Florida Statutes, the Department of State shall separate the list into two lists. The first list must include all projects that are located in a rural area of opportunity designated by the Governor pursuant to section 288.0656(7), Florida Statutes. The second list must include all projects that are not located in a rural area of opportunity. The ranking process shall be the same for both lists.

Rural Areas of Opportunity (RAO) are defined as rural communities, or a region composed of rural communities, that have been adversely affected by extraordinary economic events or natural disasters. The currently designated Rural Areas of Opportunity by region are listed below. For more information on RAO, please visit <http://www.floridajobs.org/community-planning-and-development/rural-community-programs/rural-areas-of-opportunity>.

<b>Rural Areas of Opportunity</b>		
<b>Northwest RAO</b>	<b>North Central RAO</b>	<b>South Central RAO</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Calhoun</li> <li>• Franklin</li> <li>• Gadsden</li> <li>• Gulf</li> <li>• Holmes</li> <li>• Jackson</li> <li>• Liberty</li> <li>• Wakulla</li> <li>• Washington</li> <li>• The area north of the Choctawhatchee Bay and Intercoastal waterway in Walton County including                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ City of Freeport</li> <li>○ DeFuniak Springs</li> <li>○ Paxton</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Baker</li> <li>• Bradford</li> <li>• Columbia</li> <li>• Dixie</li> <li>• Gilchrist</li> <li>• Hamilton</li> <li>• Jefferson</li> <li>• Lafayette</li> <li>• Levy</li> <li>• Madison</li> <li>• Putnam</li> <li>• Suwannee</li> <li>• Taylor</li> <li>• Union</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DeSoto</li> <li>• Glades</li> <li>• Hardee</li> <li>• Hendry</li> <li>• Highlands</li> <li>• Okeechobee</li> <li>• And the Communities of                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Pahokee</li> <li>○ Belle Glade</li> <li>○ South Bay</li> <li>○ Immokalee</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

All eligible grant applications that were submitted to the Florida Department of State were ranked according to the process described in that grant program’s guidelines and the Florida Administrative Code. The complete ranked lists were approved by the Secretary of State. For each grant program that follows, you will find the complete lists with RAO applicants marked with an asterisk (\*). Separate RAO and Non-RAO lists have also been provided to the Florida Legislature.

## **Hurricane Michael Impact**

All eligible grant applications that were submitted to the Florida Department of State were ranked according to the process described in that grant program's guidelines and the Florida Administrative Code. The complete ranked lists were approved by the Secretary of State. For each grant program that follows, you will find the complete lists with Hurricane Michael impacted applicants marked with a caret (^). Separate Hurricane Michael and Non-Hurricane Michael lists have also been provided to the Florida Legislature.

# Division of Cultural Affairs



Cultural and Museum Grants (General Program Support)  
Culture Builds Florida Grants (Specific Cultural Projects)  
Cultural Facilities  
Cultural Endowment



## **Cultural and Museum Grants Overview** **(General Program Support) Division of Cultural Affairs**

**S. 265.286(3), F.S.**

**Chapter 1T-1.036, Florida Administrative Code**

Cultural and Museum Grants support the general program activities of an organization that is engaged in conducting, creating, producing, presenting, staging, or sponsoring multiple cultural exhibits, performances, educational programs, or events during the grant period. General Program Support funding is not intended to fund indirect or overhead expenses.

### Eligibility

- Florida not-for-profit organizations and public entities including local governments, entities of state government, school districts, community colleges, colleges or universities engaging in cultural programming such as museums, local arts agencies, state service organizations, performing art centers, orchestras, dance companies, theater groups and other organizations, to promote access, diversity and excellence in cultural activities are eligible to apply. The organization's mission must directly support arts and cultural programming.
- A single organization may submit only one (1) General Program Support OR one (1) Specific Cultural Project grant application for each grant period.

### Application and Ranking

- Applications were submitted online between April 1 and June 3, 2019.
- Eligible applications were ranked by panels in 25 separate meetings in August and September 2019 organized by artistic discipline (i.e. visual arts, music, dance, theatre, museums).
- Panels are appointed by the Secretary of State and typically include practicing artists, educators, patrons, arts administrators, museum professionals, board members, experts from national arts organizations and qualified professionals in cultural disciplines.
- Panelists use a rubric to score applications from 0 to 100, and applications must earn a minimum average score of 80 to be recommended for funding.
- Panel recommendations are reported to the Florida Council on Arts and Culture, and applications recommended for funding by the Council are merged into one list ranked by average score. This list is submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval and the approved list is provided to the Legislature per Section 265.286, F.S.

### Funding Source is General Revenue

- If the list is fully funded, all grantees receive their full request amount; if the appropriation is less than the request, the award amounts are determined by a score-based formula that proportionally distributes the appropriation to all projects on the list.

### Awards up to \$150,000

- Grantees must provide 1:1 match with up to 25% in-kind (donated goods or services); Rural Areas of Opportunity (RAO)/Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI) applicants are not required to provide cash match but must show 50% match of in-kind goods or services.
- The grant period will be July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. All grant activities must be completed within the grant period and all grant and match funds must be expended within the fiscal year appropriated.

**2020-2021 CULTURAL AND MUSEUM  
(GENERAL PROGRAM SUPPORT) GRANTS**

Rank	Name	County	Request
1	Miami Dade College - Miami Book Fair	Miami-Dade	\$96,978
2	MicheLee Puppets, Inc.	Orange	\$42,029
3	Miami City Ballet, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
4	Miami-Dade County	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
5	Borscht Corp	Miami-Dade	\$61,530
6	The University of Central Florida Board of Trustees	Orange	\$150,000
7	Key West Literary Seminar, Inc.	Monroe	\$90,000
8	University of Wynwood, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$49,000
9	The Hermitage Artist Retreat, Inc.	Sarasota	\$90,000
10	Cathedral Arts Project, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
11	Miami Music Project, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
12	Guitars Over Guns Organization, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
13	Thomas Armour Youth Ballet, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
14	Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
15	Performing Arts Center Authority	Broward	\$150,000
16	Shands Teaching Hospital and Clinics, Inc.	Alachua	\$90,000
17	Amelia Island Chamber Music Festival, Inc.	Nassau	\$75,825
18	Orlando Science Center, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
19	University of Florida - Florida Museum	Alachua	\$150,000
20	Orlando Shakespeare Theater, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
21	Raymond F. Kravis Center for the Performing Arts, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
22	FloriMezzo, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$34,000
23	ArtServe, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000
24	Venice Theatre, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
25	Seminole Cultural Arts Theatre, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
26	Florida Studio Theatre, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
27	Explorations V Children's Museum, Inc.	Polk	\$85,100
28	Enzian Theatre, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
29	The Naples Players, Inc.	Collier	\$150,000
30	The Florida Music Education Association, Inc.	Leon	\$126,041
31	The Pensacola Mess Hall, Inc.	Escambia	\$48,850
32	Jacksonville Symphony Association, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
33	The Marion Players, Inc.	Marion	\$136,086
34	Norton Museum of Art, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
35	Jorge M. Pérez Art Museum of Miami-Dade County, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
36	The Historic Cocoa Village Playhouse, Inc.	Brevard	\$150,000
37	Asolo Theatre, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000

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38	Adrienne Arsht Center Trust, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
39	Orange County Library Board of Trustees	Orange	\$150,000
40	Pensacola Opera	Escambia	\$113,666
41	New World Symphony, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
42	Creative Pinellas, Incorporated	Pinellas	\$90,000
43	Gay Men's Chorus of South Florida	Broward	\$89,875
44	The Tampa Theatre, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
45	Maltz Jupiter Theatre, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
46	Heard Em Say Youth Arts Collective, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$5,500
47	Naples Art Association, Inc.	Collier	\$130,000
48	Orlando Ballet, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
49	Young Actors Theatre of Tallahassee, Inc.^	Leon	\$90,000
50	Players by the Sea, Inc.	Duval	\$72,850
51	Atlantic Center for the Arts, Inc.	Volusia	\$150,000
52	Museum of Discovery and Science, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000
53	The DeEtte Holden Cummer Museum Foundation, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
54	Florida Alliance for Arts Education, Inc.	Sarasota	\$39,870
55	Sarasota Ballet of Florida, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
56	Fantasy Theatre Factory, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$116,005
57	Tallahassee Museum of History and Natural Science, Inc.	Leon	\$150,000
58	University of Florida - Harn Museum of Art	Alachua	\$150,000
59	Panama City Pops Orchestra	Bay	\$39,725
60	The Hub on Canal, Inc.	Volusia	\$49,500
61	ArtSouth, A Not-for-Profit Corporation	Miami-Dade	\$35,111
62	Goodwood Museum and Gardens, Inc.^	Leon	\$90,000
63	Theatre Jacksonville, Inc.	Duval	\$90,000
64	The Jobsite Theater, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$44,788
65	City of Sarasota	Sarasota	\$150,000
66	The University of Tampa, Incorporated	Hillsborough	\$86,943
67	Miami Light Project, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
68	Palm Beach Opera, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
69	Coral Gables Cinemateque Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$121,197
70	Shell Museum and Educational Foundation, Inc.	Lee	\$150,000
71	Dunedin Museum, Inc.	Pinellas	\$40,000
72	Boca Raton Museum of Art, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
73	Florida State College at Jacksonville Foundation, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
74	Orlando Gay Chorus, Inc.	Orange	\$16,200
75	National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
76	Hollywood Art and Culture Center, Inc.	Broward	\$125,000
77	University of Florida - UF College of the Arts	Alachua	\$132,500
78	Space Coast Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	Brevard	\$43,758
79	Living Arts Trust, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000

Rank	Name	County	Request
80	Orlando Repertory Theatre, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
81	American Stage Company, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
82	Lowry Park Zoological Society of Tampa, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
83	Florida School Music Association, Incorporated	Leon	\$64,907
84	Arts Center Association, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
85	The Studios of Key West, Inc.	Monroe	\$150,000
86	The Saint Augustine Lighthouse and Museum	St. Johns	\$150,000
87	Stage Works, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$64,000
88	Florida Art Education Association, Incorporated	Leon	\$40,000
89	Academy of Ballet Arts, Inc.	Pinellas	\$40,000
90	The Tallahassee Bach Parley, Inc.	Leon	\$40,000
91	Melbourne Municipal Band Association, Inc.	Brevard	\$40,000
92	The Bach Festival Society of Winter Park, Inc.	Orange	\$126,861
93	Choral Masterworks Festival, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$42,773
94	The Fort Lauderdale Children's Theatre, Inc.	Broward	\$90,000
95	Area Performance Gallery, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
96	Emerald Coast Theatre Company	Walton	\$69,547
97	Young At Art of Broward, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000
98	Mel Fisher Maritime Heritage Society, Inc.	Monroe	\$150,000
99	Miami Dade College - Koubek Center	Miami-Dade	\$67,149
100	Ruth Eckerd Hall, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
101	Dance Alive!, Inc.	Alachua	\$90,000
102	Titusville Playhouse, Inc.	Brevard	\$140,000
103	Jacksonville Zoological Society, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
104	Fundarte, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$74,700
105	DeLand Naval Air Station Museum, Inc.	Volusia	\$9,673
106	Museum of Arts and Sciences, Inc.	Volusia	\$150,000
107	Creative City Project, Inc.	Orange	\$90,000
108	Sarasota Opera Association, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
109	The Perlman Music Program Suncoast, Inc.	Sarasota	\$90,000
110	Center for the Advancement of Jewish Education, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
111	The Broward County Film Society, Inc.	Broward	\$123,994
112	Salvador Dali Museum, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
113	City of Pompano Beach Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs	Broward	\$150,000
114	Heathcote Botanical Gardens, Inc.	St. Lucie	\$25,000
115	Fort Lauderdale Historical Society, Inc.	Broward	\$87,550
116	Gold Coast Jazz Society, Inc.	Broward	\$71,000
117	Cultural Council of Palm Beach County, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
118	Northwest Florida Ballet, Inc.	Okaloosa	\$111,424
119	The Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
120	Jazz Society of Pensacola, Inc.	Escambia	\$32,000
121	Urban Think Foundation, Inc.	Orange	\$51,478

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122	Village of Pinecrest	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
123	New Tampa Players	Hillsborough	\$18,000
124	Museum of Fine Arts of St. Petersburg, Florida, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
125	Fort Pierce Utilities Authority	St. Lucie	\$69,500
126	City of Pembroke Pines	Broward	\$150,000
127	Artis—Naples, Inc.	Collier	\$150,000
128	Arca Images, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
129	Palm Beach Dramaworks, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
130	Miami Children's Museum, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
131	ArtCenter Manatee	Manatee	\$90,000
132	Coral Springs Museum of Art, Inc.	Broward	\$90,000
133	The Florida Orchestra, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
134	Florida West Coast Symphony, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
135	Loggerhead Marinelife Center, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$25,000
136	Arts4All Florida	Hillsborough	\$144,597
137	Global Peace Film Festival, Inc.	Orange	\$62,000
138	Red Barn Actor's Studio, Inc.	Monroe	\$57,692
139	Museum of Science, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
140	All Florida Youth Orchestra, Incorporated	Broward	\$90,000
141	Gadsden Arts, Inc.*	Gadsden*	\$65,039
142	Florida Atlantic University	Palm Beach	\$59,743
143	Art Center Sarasota Inc.	Sarasota	\$72,600
144	The Henry Morrison Flagler Museum	Palm Beach	\$150,000
145	School of the Arts Foundation, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
146	Boca Raton Philharmonic Symphonia, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$90,000
147	Theatre Winter Haven, Inc.	Polk	\$117,246
148	Actors' Playhouse Productions	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
149	The Hippodrome State Theatre, Inc.	Alachua	\$150,000
150	South Florida Pride Wind Ensemble, Inc.	Broward	\$20,000
151	City of Gainesville	Alachua	\$150,000
152	Community Stepping Stones, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$28,825
153	Museum of Science and History of Jacksonville, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
154	Amelia Island Museum of History, Inc.	Nassau	\$53,217
155	Orlando Museum of Art, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
156	Garden Theatre, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
157	City of Lake Wales	Polk	\$40,000
158	East Coast Zoological Society of Florida, Inc.	Brevard	\$150,000
159	Dr. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
160	Creative Clay, Inc.	Pinellas	\$90,000
161	The Studio @ 620, Inc.	Pinellas	\$45,600
162	The Tampa Film Institute, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$48,974
163	Theatreworks, Inc.	Duval	\$49,000

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164	Naples Botanical Garden, Inc.	Collier	\$150,000
165	Broward Performing Arts Foundation, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000
166	The Rhythm Foundation, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$120,000
167	Art League of Marco Island, Inc.	Collier	\$89,600
168	Florida State University	Leon	\$76,600
169	Holocaust Memorial Committee	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
170	The Zoological Society of the Palm Beaches, Inc	Palm Beach	\$150,000
171	Great Explorations, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
172	Tampa Bay Symphony	Pinellas	\$10,000
173	The Greater Pensacola Symphony Orchestra, Incorporated	Escambia	\$139,237
174	Miami Short Film Festival	Miami-Dade	\$20,000
175	Limelight Theatre, Inc.	St. Johns	\$76,000
176	Florida Repertory Company, Inc.	Lee	\$150,000
177	Holocaust Memorial Resource and Education Center of Florida, Inc.	Orange	\$90,000
178	Historical Association of Southern Florida, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
179	Reflections of Manatee, Inc.	Manatee	\$10,000
180	The Tampa Bay History Center, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
181	Stonewall Library & Archives, Inc.	Broward	\$90,000
182	Palm Beach State College	Palm Beach	\$150,000
183	Gasparilla Music Foundation, Inc	Hillsborough	\$150,000
184	Boca Ballet Theatre Company	Palm Beach	\$114,581
185	Florida Film Institute, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
186	United Arts of Central Florida	Orange	\$150,000
187	Gainesville Youth Chorus, Inc.	Alachua	\$13,307
188	Barrier Island Group for the Arts, Inc.	Lee	\$150,000
189	Creative City Collaborative of Delray Beach, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$115,773
190	Friends of the Mennello Museum of American Art, Inc.	Orange	\$70,537
191	Key Chorale, Inc.	Sarasota	\$67,802
192	Flamingo Gardens, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000
193	The Dunedin Fine Art Center, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
194	The Manatee Players, Inc.	Manatee	\$150,000
195	Seraphic Fire, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
196	The Children's Voice Chorus, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$23,500
197	AmplifyMe, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
198	Leesburg Art Festival, Inc.	Lake	\$21,893
199	Central Florida Community Arts, Inc.	Orange	\$129,724
200	Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$79,000
201	The Morikami, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
202	Matheson History Museum	Alachua	\$40,000
203	The Imperial Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	Polk	\$78,191
204	Tampa Educational Cable Consortium, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$41,000
205	Spanish Lyric Theatre, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$14,946

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206	Bishop Museum of Science and Nature, Inc.	Manatee	\$150,000
207	Florida Theatre Performing Arts Center, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
208	University of Miami	Miami-Dade	\$75,000
209	The Girlchoir of South Florida, Inc.	Broward	\$36,900
210	The Circus Arts Conservatory, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
211	Adolph & Rose Levis Jewish Community Center, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$136,610
212	West Volusia Historical Society, Inc.	Volusia	\$23,932
213	Flagler Beach Historical Museum, Inc.	Flagler	\$19,484
214	Nu Deco Ensemble, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
215	St. Petersburg Opera Company	Pinellas	\$136,000
216	Ritz Community Theater Projects, Inc.	Seminole	\$65,000
217	Zoetic Stage, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
218	Clearwater Marine Aquarium	Pinellas	\$150,000
219	Florida Arts, Inc.	Lee	\$90,000
220	Tallahassee Community College	Leon	\$125,000
221	The Stranahan House, Inc.	Broward	\$66,450
222	Beaches Fine Arts Series, Inc.	Duval	\$44,929
223	Lee County Alliance of the Arts, Inc.	Lee	\$112,921
224	Bakehouse Art Complex, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
225	Pensacola Children's Chorus, Inc.	Escambia	\$90,000
226	Pensacola Little Theatre, Inc.	Escambia	\$103,155
227	El Ingenio, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$18,000
228	Flagler Auditorium Governing Board, Inc.	Flagler	\$74,500
229	The Cultural Center at Ponte Vedra Beach, Inc.	St. Johns	\$90,000
230	Expanding and Preserving Our Cultural Heritage, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$50,500
231	Romanza-St. Augustine, Inc.	St. Johns	\$56,000
232	Broward County	Broward	\$150,000
233	Florida CraftArt, Inc.	Pinellas	\$90,000
234	Westcoast Black Theatre Troupe of Florida, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
235	Riverside Theatre, Inc.	Indian River	\$150,000
236	In Touch with Communities Around the World	Pinellas	\$90,000
237	Aerospace Center for Excellence	Polk	\$51,835
238	The Florida Aquarium, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
239	Zoo Miami Foundation	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
240	Chopin Foundation of the United States, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$65,000
241	Center for Creative Education, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$141,250
242	The Tallahassee Ballet, Inc.	Leon	\$90,000
243	American Children's Orchestras for Peace, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$45,000
244	Orchestra Miami, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
245	Coexistence, Inc.	Sarasota	\$90,000
246	Crealde Arts, Inc.	Orange	\$111,371
247	McKee Botanical Garden, Inc.	Indian River	\$121,920

Rank	Name	County	Request
248	Arts & Business Council of Miami, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$48,900
249	Downtown Arts District, Inc.	Orange	\$105,962
250	Daytona State College	Volusia	\$42,503
251	Central Florida Zoological Society, Inc.	Seminole	\$150,000
252	First Coast Opera, Inc.	St. Johns	\$29,000
253	Treasure Coast Youth Symphony Inc.	Martin	\$25,000
254	City of Tarpon Springs	Pinellas	\$50,000
255	Grace Arts Center, Inc.	Broward	\$40,000
256	Michael-Ann Russell Jewish Community Center, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$55,000
257	Bok Tower Gardens, Inc.	Polk	\$150,000
258	Vero Beach Theatre Guild	Indian River	\$63,850
259	Mad Cow Theatre, Inc.	Orange	\$90,046
260	Miami Dade County Auditorium	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
261	The Dance Now! Ensemble, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
262	Florida Gulf Coast University Board of Trustees	Lee	\$24,000
263	The Players, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000
264	Miami Design Preservation League, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$149,567
265	Winter Park Historical Association, Inc.	Orange	\$23,407
266	Opera Orlando, Inc.	Orange	\$90,000
267	Symphonic Chorale of Southwest Florida, Inc.	Lee	\$28,200
268	Conservancy of Southwest Florida, Inc.	Collier	\$150,000
269	South Florida State College*	Highlands*	\$99,439
270	The Armory Art Center, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
271	Miami Beach Film Society, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
272	Sands Theater Center, Inc.	Volusia	\$110,000
273	Bay Street Players, Inc.	Lake	\$56,200
274	Miami Dade College - Prometeo Theatre	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
275	Deerfield Beach Historical Society Inc.	Broward	\$29,310
276	Clearwater Jazz Holiday Foundation, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
277	South Florida Art Center, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
278	The Choral Society of Pensacola, Inc.	Escambia	\$17,500
279	Your Real Stories, Inc.	Pinellas	\$38,000
280	Gulfshore Playhouse, Inc.	Collier	\$150,000
281	Bonnet House, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000
282	Museum of Contemporary Art Jacksonville, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
283	Tampa Museum of Art, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
284	Brevard Cultural Alliance, Inc.	Brevard	\$90,000
285	Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	Lee	\$128,728
286	Young Singers of the Palm Beaches, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$93,198
287	Miami Dade College - Miami Film Festival	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
288	Lakeland Community Theatre, Inc.	Polk	\$80,000
289	The Marie Selby Botanical Gardens, Inc.	Sarasota	\$150,000

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290	Institute of Contemporary Art, Miami	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
291	Historical Society of Central Florida, Inc.	Orange	\$150,000
292	St. Johns County Cultural Council, Inc.	St. Johns	\$120,000
293	Cultural Arts Alliance of Walton County, Inc.	Walton	\$150,000
294	Bay Arts Alliance, Inc.^	Bay	\$90,000
295	Sarasota Film Festival, Inc.	Sarasota	\$90,000
296	The Cove/Rincon Corp.	Miami-Dade	\$4,500
297	The Lake Worth Playhouse, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$87,000
298	Vero Beach Museum of Art, Inc.	Indian River	\$150,000
299	Beaches Area Historical Society, Inc.	Duval	\$80,000
300	Sunfest of Palm Beach County, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
301	International Fringe Festival of Central Florida, Inc.	Orange	\$130,000
302	Florida Singing Sons, Inc.	Broward	\$40,964
303	Firehouse Cultural Center, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$40,000
304	The Arts Council, Inc.	Martin	\$74,500
305	Albin Polasek Museum and Sculpture Gardens, Inc.	Orange	\$90,000
306	Rollins College	Orange	\$114,000
307	Children's Museum of Tampa, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
308	Moksha Arts Collective	Miami-Dade	\$12,335
309	Arts Council of Hillsborough County	Hillsborough	\$147,140
310	Santa Fe College	Alachua	\$46,800
311	Bas Fisher Invitational, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$33,000
312	Emerald Coast Science Center	Okaloosa	\$25,000
313	Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville, Inc.	Duval	\$150,000
314	Boca Raton Historical Society, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$89,000
315	City of Sanford	Seminole	\$25,000
316	Tempus Projects, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$24,326
317	Images, A Festival of the Arts, Inc.	Volusia	\$45,180
318	The Museum of Art, Deland, Florida, Inc.	Volusia	\$127,155
319	Miami Dade College - MDC Live Arts	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
320	The Florida Ballet at Jacksonville	Duval	\$65,579
321	South Florida Symphony Orchestra	Broward	\$150,000
322	Eight O'Clock Theatre, Inc.	Pinellas	\$25,000
323	Melbourne Community Orchestra, Inc.	Brevard	\$10,000
324	Downtown Vision Alliance, Inc.	Duval	\$25,000
325	Miami New Drama	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
326	Polk Museum of Art, Inc.	Polk	\$150,000
327	Boynton Cultural Centre, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$55,100
328	Treasure Coast Community Singers, Inc.	Martin	\$22,000
329	Military Heritage Museum	Charlotte	\$20,000
330	Friends of the Festival, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$39,500
331	Polk Theatre, Inc.	Polk	\$90,000

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332	Monroe Council of the Arts Corporation	Monroe	\$48,537
333	Florida Association of Museums Foundation, Inc.	Leon	\$62,202
334	Peter London Global Dance Company, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$30,000
335	Dimensions Dance Theater of Miami Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
336	Alhambra Music, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$17,033
337	Lighthouse ArtCenter, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$142,500
338	The Dave and Mary Alper Jewish Community Center, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$140,700
339	The Winter Park Playhouse, Inc.	Orange	\$91,000
340	Historical Society of Palm Beach County	Palm Beach	\$111,350
341	Centro Cultural Español de Cooperación Iberoamericana, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$100,000
342	Davie School Foundation, Inc.	Broward	\$71,919
343	Museum of Contemporary Art, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
344	Greater Miami Youth Symphony of Dade County, Florida, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
345	Diaspora Vibe Cultural Arts Incubator, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
346	Friends of Carrollwood Cultural Center, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$88,000
347	Lighthouse Archaeological Maritime Program, Inc.	St. Johns	\$42,500
348	City of Miami	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
349	City Theatre	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
350	The Florida International University Board of Trustees - The Wolfsonian	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
351	Ann Norton Sculpture Gardens	Palm Beach	\$25,000
352	Martin Theatre, Inc.^	Bay	\$58,729
353	Bascomb Memorial Broadcasting Foundation, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$102,000
354	South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
355	Young Musicians Unite, Inc.	Broward	\$25,000
356	Olympia Center, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
357	Gulfshore Opera, Inc.	Collier	\$82,170
358	Key West Film Festival Corporation	Monroe	\$25,000
359	Brevard Regional Arts Groups, Inc.	Brevard	\$90,000
360	Juggerknot Theatre Corporation	Miami-Dade	\$37,000
361	Maxwell C. King Center for the Performing Arts, Inc.	Brevard	\$150,000
362	Arts & Cultural Alliance of Sarasota County, Inc.	Sarasota	\$65,400
363	Timucua Arts Foundation, Inc.	Orange	\$40,000
364	Hispanic Heritage Literature Organization Corp.	Miami-Dade	\$8,500
365	Patrons of Exceptional Artists, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,811
366	Key West Players, Inc.	Monroe	\$120,000
367	Island City Stage, Inc.	Broward	\$59,097
368	Civic Orchestra of Jacksonville, Inc.	Duval	\$9,337
369	Ormond Beach Historical Society	Volusia	\$40,000
370	Key West Botanical Garden Society, Inc.	Monroe	\$52,941
371	Museum of Science & Industry, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$150,000
372	Daytona Beach Symphony Society, Inc.	Volusia	\$90,000
373	Tallahassee-Leon County Cultural Resources Commission	Leon	\$150,000

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374	Slow Burn Theatre Company, Inc.	Broward	\$124,289
375	College of Central Florida Foundation, Inc.	Marion	\$150,000
376	Lightner Museum of Hobbies	St. Johns	\$150,000
377	Ocala Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	Marion	\$145,810
378	Save Our Seabirds, Inc.	Sarasota	\$90,000
379	Palm Harbor Historical Society, Inc.	Pinellas	\$10,479
380	Miami Youth for Chamber Music, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$21,800
381	Florida Dance Theatre, Inc.	Polk	\$40,500
382	Gainesville Little Theater	Alachua	\$40,000
383	Miami Theater Center, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$86,000
384	Southwest Florida Symphony Orchestra and Chorus Association, Inc.	Lee	\$150,000
385	SWFL Holocaust Museum	Collier	\$25,000
386	Valiant Air Command, Inc.	Brevard	\$21,849
387	Palm Beach Shakespeare Festival, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$13,150
388	Key West Art and Historical Society, Inc.	Monroe	\$150,000
389	Naples Concert Band	Collier	\$18,000
390	City of Orlando	Orange	\$150,000
391	Miami Center for Architecture & Design, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
392	Halifax Historical Society, Inc.	Volusia	\$15,893
393	Gold Coast Railroad Museum, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
394	Artist Series Concerts of Sarasota, Inc.	Sarasota	\$84,000
395	Ormond Memorial Art Museum, Inc.	Volusia	\$49,000
396	The Sarasota Cuban Ballet School	Sarasota	\$90,000
397	Miami Dade College Foundation, Inc. - Tower Theater	Miami-Dade	\$69,576
398	Orange Park Community Theatre, Inc.	Clay	\$40,000
399	Gateway Center for the Arts, Inc.	Volusia	\$40,000
400	U.S. Space Walk of Fame Museum, Inc.	Brevard	\$36,698
401	Miami Dade College - Museum of Art and Design	Miami-Dade	\$147,000
402	Florida Chamber Music Project, Inc.	St. Johns	\$16,350
403	FreeFall Theatre, Inc.	Pinellas	\$150,000
404	The Florida International University Board of Trustees - Frost Art Museum	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
405	Golisano Children's Museum of Naples	Collier	\$150,000
406	Haitian Heritage Museum Corp.	Miami-Dade	\$10,000
407	Central Florida Vocal Arts	Orange	\$25,700
408	Jacksonville Dance Theatre	Duval	\$16,351
409	Prizm Projects, Inc.	Broward	\$25,000
410	Manatee County Clerk and Comptroller	Manatee	\$23,750
411	Shoestring Theatre, Inc.	Volusia	\$19,000
412	Messiah Choral Society, Inc.	Orange	\$3,535
413	St Augustine Music Festival, Inc.	St. Johns	\$12,500
414	Miami Lyric Opera, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
415	Old School Square Center for the Arts, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000

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416	Coral Gables Museum, Corp.	Miami-Dade	\$114,940
417	Florida International University Foundation, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,365
418	Ballet Pensacola, Inc.	Escambia	\$101,850
419	Tampa Chapter, SPEBSQSA, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$29,775
420	Gulf Coast Heritage Association, Inc.	Sarasota	\$90,000
421	Osceola Arts, Inc.	Osceola	\$115,317
422	Gainesville Fine Arts Association, Inc.	Alachua	\$40,000
423	Arts Ballet Theatre of Florida, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$90,000
424	The Chamber Music Society of Palm Beach, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$25,000
425	The Florida Historical Society	Brevard	\$90,000
426	Tallahassee Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	Leon	\$103,834
427	South Florida Youth Symphony, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$42,048
428	Winter Garden Heritage Foundation, Inc.	Orange	\$61,702
429	City of Homestead	Miami-Dade	\$150,000
430	Artz 4 Life Academy, Inc.	Pinellas	\$75,000
431	Franklin's Promise Coalition, Inc.*	Franklin*	\$90,000
432	Florida Keys History and Discovery Foundation, Inc.	Monroe	\$25,000
433	Upbeat Miami, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$7,336
434	Creation Art Center Corporation	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
435	Cuban Classical Ballet of Miami, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$30,000
436	Central Florida Ballet. Inc.	Orange	\$90,000
437	Frost School of Music	Miami-Dade	\$40,000
438	John Gilmore Center for African American History and Culture	Leon	\$46,063
439	Busch Wildlife Sanctuary, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$25,000
440	Siudy Flamenco Dance Theater, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
441	Orlando City Ballet Inc., DBA Russian Ballet of Orlando	Orange	\$25,000
442	The Florida Chamber Orchestra Company	Miami-Dade	\$16,500
443	Atlantic Classical Orchestra, Inc.	St. Lucie	\$99,000
444	University of Florida - UF Performing Arts Education Outreach	Alachua	\$150,000
445	Maitland Art and History Association, Inc.	Orange	\$98,296
446	Nova Southeastern University	Broward	\$150,000
447	Tampa City Ballet, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$17,000
448	Friday Musicale, Inc.	Duval	\$34,250
449	Plant City Entertainment, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$12,088
450	City of Clermont	Lake	\$150,000
451	The Palm Beach Symphony Society, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
452	West Florida Historic Preservation, Inc.	Escambia	\$90,000
453	Emotions Dance Incorporated	Seminole	\$28,500
454	Friends of Mounts Botanical Garden, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$130,000
455	City of Oakland Park	Broward	\$150,000
456	The Miami Symphony Orchestra/Orquesta Sinfonica De Miami, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$140,000
457	Symphony of the Americas, Inc.	Broward	\$150,000

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458	Sarasota Concert Association, Inc.	Sarasota	\$49,000
459	Venice Chorale, Inc.	Sarasota	\$13,000
460	Gloria Musicae, Inc.	Sarasota	\$66,893
461	Aequalis, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$43,010
462	Monticello Opera House, Inc.*	Jefferson*	\$40,000
463	The University of South Florida	Hillsborough	\$150,000
464	Gulf Coast Artists' Alliance, Inc.	Pinellas	\$8,000
465	Speak Up Tampa Bay Public Access Television, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$49,936
466	IFCM Corp.	Miami-Dade	\$25,000
467	Enterprise Preservation Society	Volusia	\$7,000
468	St. Petersburg Warehouse Art District, Inc.	Pinellas	\$25,000
469	Jazz Education Community Coalition	Broward	\$2,938
470	City of Fort Pierce	St. Lucie	\$150,000
471	United Arts Council of Collier County, Inc.	Collier	\$77,900
472	Lynn University, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$150,000
473	Imagine Museum Corporation	Pinellas	\$25,000
474	The Quincy Music Theatre, Inc.*	Gadsden*	\$37,500
475	Keep St Pete Lit, Inc.	Pinellas	\$14,167
476	Miami Beach Garden Conservancy, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$88,531
477	Caladium Arts & Crafts Cooperative, Inc.*	Highlands*	\$25,000
478	Artmonia Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$2,875
479	City of Riviera Beach	Palm Beach	\$25,000
480	Heritage Museum Association, Inc.	Okaloosa	\$12,000
481	South Florida Center for Percussive Arts, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$21,800
482	Arts Alive Nassau, Inc.	Nassau	\$15,802
483	Gainesville Circus Center, Inc.	Alachua	\$25,400
484	Miami Music Institute, Inc.	Miami-Dade	\$116,305
485	City of Parkland	Broward	\$25,000
486	Village of Royal Palm Beach	Palm Beach	\$150,000
487	Cinematique of Daytona, Inc.	Volusia	\$40,000
488	Historical Society of Martin County, Inc.	Martin	\$109,000
489	Word Revolt Art Gallery Inc.	Duval	\$1,000
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$43,699,230</b>

**Culture Builds Florida Overview**  
**(Specific Cultural Projects)**  
**Division of Cultural Affairs**

**S. 265.286(3), F.S.**

**Chapter 1T-1.036, Florida Administrative Code**

Culture Builds Florida (Specific Cultural Project) grants fund a cultural project, program, exhibition, or series taking place within the grant period. The three project types include Arts in Education projects, discipline-based cultural projects, artist projects and Underserved Cultural Community Development projects.

**Eligibility**

- Florida not-for-profit organizations, practicing artists, and public entities including local governments, entities of state government, school districts, community colleges, colleges or universities that are engaging in a cultural project are eligible to apply. The grant activities must support the mission of the organization and further the state's cultural objectives.
- A single organization may submit only one (1) General Program Support OR one (1) Specific Cultural Project grant application for each grant period.

**Applications and Ranking**

- Applications were submitted between April 1 and June 3, 2019.
- Eligible applications are ranked by panels in 25 separate meetings organized by artistic discipline, i.e. visual arts, music, dance, theatre, museums.
- Panels are appointed by the Secretary of State and typically include practicing artists, educators, patrons, arts administrators, museum professionals, board members, experts from national arts organizations, and qualified professionals in cultural disciplines.
- Panelists use a rubric to score applications from 0 to 100, and applications must earn a minimum average score of 80 to be recommended for funding.
- Panel recommendations are reported to the Florida Council on Arts and Culture, and applications recommended for funding by the Council are merged into one list ranked by average score. This list is submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval and the approved list is provided to the Legislature per Section 265.286, F.S.

**Funding Source is General Revenue**

- The award amounts will be funded top-down at full request until the appropriation is depleted.

**Awards up to \$25,000**

- Grantees must provide 1:1 match with up to 25% in-kind (donated goods or services); RAO/REDI applicants are not required to provide cash match but must show 50% match of in-kind goods or services.
- The grant period will be July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. All grant activities must be completed within the grant period and all grant funds and match must be expended within the fiscal year appropriated.

**2019-2020 CULTURE BUILDS FLORIDA  
(SPECIFIC CULTURAL PROJECT) GRANTS**

Rank	Name and Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
1	Artists in Residence in Everglades, Inc. <i>AIRIE Public Programs 2020-2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$25,000
2	Palm Beach Poetry Festival, Inc. <i>17th Annual Palm Beach Poetry Festival</i>	Palm Beach	\$25,000	\$50,000
3	Miami Dade College Foundation, Inc. <i>Miami Book Fair 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$75,000
4	The Miami Foundation, Inc. <i>Building Voice: Community Development through Arts Publishing</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$100,000
5	Steinway Society of Central Florida, Inc. <i>Piano Lesson Outreach Program</i>	Seminole	\$25,000	\$125,000
6	The Murray Dranoff Foundation, Inc. <i>PIANO SLAM - The Music Speaks</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$150,000
7	Charlotte County Public Schools <i>Arts Integration Enhances Learning</i>	Charlotte	\$25,000	\$175,000
8	Florida Storytelling Association, Inc. <i>Florida Storytelling Festival 2021</i>	Lake	\$20,200	\$195,200
9	Charlotte Symphony Orchestra, Inc. <i>Link Up Children's Concert 2021</i>	Charlotte	\$25,000	\$220,200
10	Association to Preserve the Eatonville Community <i>32nd Annual Zora Neale Hurston Festival of the Arts and Humanities: "What Is the Sound of Afrofuturism"</i>	Orange	\$25,000	\$245,200
11	Theater with a Mission, Inc. <i>Exploring Florida in Transition, 1821: Festival, New Play, Tour</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$270,200
12	ACA of Central Florida, Inc. <i>FYE21 Music &amp; Dance of India</i>	Seminole	\$25,000	\$295,200
13	Bits 'N Pieces Puppet Theatre, Inc. <i>2020-2021 Our 49th Season and Counting!</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$320,200
14	Brevard Achievement Center, Inc. <i>BAC Arts for Individuals with Disabilities</i>	Brevard	\$25,000	\$345,200
15	<i>Delou Africa, Inc.</i> <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$370,200
16	Mind & Melody, Inc. <i>Music Program for Older Adults/Alzheimer's 2019</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$395,200
17	Coral Gables Congregational Church (United Church of Christ), Inc. <i>Community Arts Program (CAP) 2020 Summer Concert Series &amp; Summer Master Classes</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$420,200
18	The University of South Florida <i>Short &amp; Sweet Theatre Week USFSP 2021</i>	Hillsborough	\$23,000	\$443,200
19	SPF South Florida INC <i>SPF'20: Small Press Fair Fort Lauderdale</i>	Broward	\$6,128	\$449,328
20	St. Petersburg Arts Alliance, Inc. <i>SHINE Sea Walls: Artists for Oceans Festival</i>	Pinellas	\$25,000	\$474,328
21	Stephen Foster Citizen Support Organization, Inc.* <i>Florida Folk Festival 2021 Traditional Artists Presentation</i>	Hamilton	\$25,000	\$499,328
22	Fine Arts of the Suncoast, Inc. <i>Suncoast Arts Fest 2021</i>	Pasco	\$25,000	\$524,328

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23	Brevard Schools Foundation, Inc. <i>Brevard Next Generation Artist Residencies</i>	Brevard	\$25,000	\$549,328
24	Ife-Ile, Inc. <i>22nd Annual IFE-ILE Afro-Cuban Dance Festival 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$18,975	\$568,303
25	Life Enrichment Center, Inc. <i>Life Enrichment Center Reinvention of Recycling Art Series</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$593,303
26	The Artist Series of Tallahassee, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$618,303
27	Ballet Vero Beach, Inc. <i>Nutcracker on the Indian River 2020</i>	Indian River	\$25,000	\$643,303
28	Ben Gunter <i>Face to Face with Florida History: 3 Gateway Plays for a Milestone Year</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$668,303
29	Springfield Preservation and Revitalization Council, Inc. <i>Jacksonville PorchFest 2020</i>	Duval	\$25,000	\$693,303
30	Jewish Federation of Lee and Charlotte Counties <i>Jewish Film Festival of Southwest Florida for Community Outreach &amp; Cultural Education</i>	Lee	\$10,750	\$704,053
31	Charlotte Local Education Foundation <i>Literacy Through Arts Project 2021</i>	Charlotte	\$25,000	\$729,053
32	Karen Peterson and Dancers, Inc. <i>The 30th Anniversary Project</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$754,053
33	Hernando County Fine Arts Council <i>Art in the Park 2021</i>	Hernando	\$22,300	\$776,353
34	Miami Momentum Dance Company, Inc. <i>Four Tiered Residency Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$801,353
35	Art with a Heart in Healthcare, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Duval	\$25,000	\$826,353
36	The American Dance Competition, Inc. <i>16th Annual Youth International Ballet Competition</i>	Seminole	\$24,750	\$851,103
37	The Opera Atelier, Inc. <i>Spanish Splendor: Younger at Art</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$876,103
38	I3-Jax, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project: Hemming Park Community Festivals</i>	Duval	\$25,000	\$901,103
39	Native Heritage Gathering, Inc. <i>Native Rhythms Festival 2020</i>	Brevard	\$15,000	\$916,103
40	Gainesville Environmental Film and Arts Festival, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Alachua	\$25,000	\$941,103
41	The Fountainhead Residency Inc. <i>The Fountainhead Residency Catalyzes the Growth of Artists' Careers</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$966,103
42	Florida West Coast Public Broadcasting <i>ArtsPlus on WEDU PBS</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$991,103
43	The Venice Institute for Performing Arts Center Management, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Sarasota	\$25,000	\$1,016,103
44	<i>Southern Shakespeare Company, Inc. Southern Shakespeare Company 2021</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$1,041,103
45	Jazz Club of Sarasota, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Sarasota	\$25,000	\$1,066,103
46	The Florida International University Board of Trustees <i>2021 Miami International GuitART Festival</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,091,103

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47	Florida Literary Arts Coalition, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	St. Johns	\$15,000	\$1,106,103
48	Quality Life Center of Southwest Florida, Inc. <i>Arts at the Q</i>	Lee	\$25,000	\$1,131,103
49	Donna Wissinger <i>Donna Wissinger on Tour</i>	Sarasota	\$25,000	\$1,156,103
50	Sosyete Koukouy of Miami, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,181,103
51	Miami Gay and Lesbian Film Festival, Inc. <i>OUTShine Film Festival - 12th Annual Fort Lauderdale Edition</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,206,103
52	Florida Shakespeare Theater, Inc. <i>Free Shakespeare in the Park - A Midsummer Night's Dream 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,231,103
53	City of Hallandale Beach <i>Hallandale Beach 12 Months of Art</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$1,256,103
54	Platform Art, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Polk	\$25,000	\$1,281,103
55	Ballet Flamenco La Rosa, Inc. <i>Desdemona</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,306,103
56	Florida Museum of Photographic Arts <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$1,331,103
57	Pasco Fine Arts Council, Inc. <i>Salary Assistance for Pasco Fine Arts Council</i>	Pasco	\$25,000	\$1,356,103
58	Ghostbird Theatre <i>Liminal Stories and Where to Find Them, an Immersive Theatrical Experience</i>	Lee	\$25,000	\$1,381,103
59	Mickee Faust Alternative Performance Club, Inc. <i>Year Two: Transforming Dedicated Volunteers with Disabilities Into Paid Staff</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$1,406,103
60	Florida Keys History of Diving Museum, Inc. <i>Immerse Yourself &amp; Educational Outreach</i>	Monroe	\$25,000	\$1,431,103
61	Linda Corley <i>Sacred Piece of Home</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$1,456,103
62	Snap Cultural Events, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2020-2021</i>	Orange	\$25,000	\$1,481,103
63	Jayadevi Arts, Inc. <i>Indo-Caribbean Events</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$1,506,103
64	Power Access, Inc. <i>2021 South Beach Jazz Festival by Power Access, Inc.</i>	Miami-Dade	\$20,000	\$1,526,103
65	Goldsboro West Side Community Historical Association Inc. <i>Bringing Black Stories to Life: The Page Jackson Cemetery Project</i>	Seminole	\$25,000	\$1,551,103
66	Emit, Inc. <i>St. Petersburg Jazz Festival Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Pinellas	\$11,850	\$1,562,953
67	Gainesville Chamber Orchestra, Inc. <i>The Secrets of the Universe</i>	Alachua	\$25,000	\$1,587,953
68	University of South Florida Research Foundation, Inc. <i>Classical WSMR Radio Live Studio Performance Series 2021</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$1,612,953
69	South Florida Chamber Ensemble, Inc. <i>ILUMA (Inter-generational Literacy Using Music and Art)</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$1,637,953
70	Forgotten Coast Cultural Coalition, Inc.*^ <i>Forgotten Coast Community Conversations en Plein Air 2021</i>	Franklin*	\$25,000	\$1,662,953

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71	Heartland Cultural Alliance, Inc.* <i>Executive Director Salary Assistance</i>	Highlands	\$25,000	\$1,687,953
72	WSLR <i>World Music Concert Series</i>	Sarasota	\$13,700	\$1,701,653
73	Miami Hispanic Ballet Corp. <i>XXV International Ballet Festival of Miami</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,726,653
74	Clamour Theatre Company <i>Clay &amp; Water 2021, 3rd Annual Playwrights' Retreat</i>	Clay	\$1,200	\$1,727,853
75	Teatro Avante, Inc. <i>35th International Hispanic Theatre Festival of Miami Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,752,853
76	4Ward Miami, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,777,853
77	New College of Florida <i>New Music New College 2020-2021 Season</i>	Sarasota	\$25,000	\$1,802,853
78	James Brock <i>Estuarine: A Processional Play</i>	Lee	\$25,000	\$1,827,853
79	Paxy, Inc. <i>Wake up Miami!</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,852,853
80	Tampa JCC/Federation, Inc. <i>Tampa Bay Jewish Film Festival 2020-21</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$1,877,853
81	The Florida Heritage Book Festival, Inc. <i>Florida Heritage Book Festival Writers Conference 2020</i>	St. Johns	\$25,000	\$1,902,853
82	City of Apalachicola* <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021: Art -- A Keystone to Cultural Inclusion</i>	Franklin	\$25,000	\$1,927,853
83	Lake Worth Cultural Renaissance Foundation, Inc. <i>Dia De Los Muertos 2020</i>	Palm Beach	\$15,980	\$1,943,833
84	School of Communication <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$1,968,833
85	Mount Dora Center for the Arts, Inc. <i>46th Annual Mount Dora Arts Festival</i>	Lake	\$25,000	\$1,993,833
86	Miami International Jazz Fest, Inc. <i>2021 Miami International Jazz Fest</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,018,833
87	Moving Current, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021- NewGrounds produced by Moving Current Dance Collective</i>	Hillsborough	\$15,000	\$2,033,833
88	Community Arts and Culture, Inc. <i>Afro Roots Fest 23</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,058,833
89	The Children's Museum, Inc. <i>Art Attack</i>	Palm Beach	\$25,000	\$2,083,833
90	Springtime Tallahassee Festival, Inc. <i>Springtime Tallahassee Festival 2021</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$2,108,833
91	Atlantic Coast Theatre (A.C.T.) For Youth <i>Atlantic Coast Theatre 2020-2021 Touring Performances</i>	Polk	\$25,000	\$2,133,833
92	Ground Up and Rising, Inc. <i>Executive Director Salary Assistance 2020-2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,158,833
93	Edge Zones, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,183,833
94	St. Andrew's Episcopal Church <i>Arts at St. Andrew's 20-21 Season</i>	Palm Beach	\$9,500	\$2,193,333

Rank	Name and Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
95	Arts & Cultural Alliance of St. Lucie Inc. <i>Salary Assistance for St. Lucie Cultural Alliance</i>	St. Lucie	\$25,000	\$2,218,333
96	Deco Echo Artists' Delegation, Inc. <i>I SAID NO!</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,243,333
97	South Florida Friends of Classical Music, Inc. <i>VIII Miami Music Festival from around the World 2020</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,268,333
98	Miami Chamber Music Society <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,293,333
99	Shops and Studios of Railroad Square Art Park, Inc. <i>Concert--"Civil Rights: Soul of a Movement"</i>	Leon	\$24,180	\$2,317,513
100	Swamp Cabbage Festival* <i>2020 SCF Performances</i>	Hendry	\$25,000	\$2,342,513
101	Karen Gabrielle Lennon Knowlton <i>HimAlaya/HerAlaya: Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Sarasota	\$25,000	\$2,367,513
102	Plastico Fantastico <i>WWWW: Suffer in Style</i>	Miami-Dade	\$24,770	\$2,392,283
103	Diego Salterini <i>Dorian's Reflection</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,417,283
104	Kirk Whipple <i>Whipple &amp; Morales, Duo Pianists / Composers / Educators</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,442,283
105	Easter Seals Southwest Florida, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Manatee	\$25,000	\$2,467,283
106	Miami Dance Futures, Inc. <i>Daniel Lewis Dance Sampler</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,492,283
107	Highway Park Neighborhood Preservation and Enhancement District, Inc.* <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Highlands	\$25,000	\$2,517,283
108	Zach Bartholomew <i>Zach Bartholomew Jazz Access Florida Tour</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,542,283
109	Okaloosa Arts Alliance, Inc. <i>Salary Assistance Grant Application 2021</i>	Okaloosa	\$6,500	\$2,548,783
110	NWD Projects, Inc. <i>NWD Projects</i>	Miami-Dade	\$16,500	\$2,565,283
111	Florida Surf Film Festival, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Volusia	\$25,000	\$2,590,283
112	Mixed Use Space Inc. <i>Double Trouble, Collaborative Artist Book and Public Programs</i>	Miami-Dade	\$9,300	\$2,599,583
113	LaBelle Downtown Revitalization Corporation* <i>Downtown LaBelle Event Entertainment Funds</i>	Hendry	\$25,000	\$2,624,583
114	Seminole County Historical Society <i>Buggy Collection Exhibit Design</i>	Seminole	\$25,000	\$2,649,583
115	Be Eccentric Inc. <i>Free On The Inside</i>	Broward	\$18,000	\$2,667,583
116	Embrace Music Foundation, Inc. <i>Rhythms of Africa: World Music Experience</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$2,692,583
117	Tara A. Chadwick <i>Papalotl 2021</i>	Broward	\$16,250	\$2,708,833
118	National Art Exhibitions of the Mentally Ill, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$22,000	\$2,730,833

Rank	Name and Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
119	Community Improvement Association of Seminole County, Inc. <i>Hopper Academy SCP 2021</i>	Seminole	\$5,000	\$2,735,833
120	Miami Council for International Visitors, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,760,833
121	Eric Casaccio <i>"Always Love" - Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Pinellas	\$20,335	\$2,781,168
122	Starting Right Now, Inc. <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Hillsborough	\$25,000	\$2,806,168
123	Aqui y Alli Films <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Leon	\$25,000	\$2,831,168
124	Michele Fievre <i>Specific Cultural Project 2021</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$2,856,168
125	Silvia Ros <i>Cuba Modern Publication and South Florida Architecture Tours</i>	Miami-Dade	\$25,000	\$2,881,168
			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,881,168</b>

## **Cultural Facilities Grants Overview** **(Fixed Capital Outlay) Division of Cultural Affairs**

### **S. 265.701, F.S.**

### **Chapter 1T-1.039, Florida Administrative Code**

Cultural Facilities Grants provide funding for the acquisition, construction, or renovation of buildings which shall be used for the programming, production, presentation, and exhibition of arts and cultural disciplines. These disciplines include music, dance, theatre, creative writing, literature, architecture, painting, sculpture, folk arts, photography, crafts, media arts, visual arts and programs of museums.

#### **Eligibility**

- Florida not-for-profit organizations and public entities and public entities including local governments, entities of state government, school districts, community colleges, colleges or universities engaging in cultural programming such as museums, performing art centers, orchestras, dance companies, theatre groups and other organizations to promote access, diversity and excellence in cultural activities are eligible to apply.

#### **Application and Ranking**

- Applications were submitted between April 1 and June 3, 2019.
- All eligible applications were ranked by a panel consisting of Florida Council on Arts and Culture members in a public meeting on October 2, 2019.
- Panelists score applications from 0 to 100 based upon the following criteria: Scope of Work, Project Budget/Matching Funds, and Need for Project/Project Impact. Applications must receive a minimum average score of 80 or higher to be recommended for funding.
- Applications recommended for funding by the Florida Council on Arts and Culture are ranked by average score and submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval. The approved list is provided to the Legislature per Section 265.701, F.S.

#### **Funding Source** is General Revenue Fixed Capital Outlay (FCO)

- The award amounts will be funded top-down at full request until the appropriation is depleted.
- Any applicant on the ranked list that has not completed a previously-funded Cultural Facilities project by July 1, 2020 will be passed over and the funds will be allocated to the next grantee on the list without an active Cultural Facilities project under contract. A previously funded project is considered complete when it has reached 100% completion as supported by contractor documentation or if the contract has reached its end date and all funds have been expended.
- No project may receive more than \$1.5 million during a period of five consecutive state fiscal years.

#### **Awards** up to \$500,000

- Grantees must provide 2:1 match (RAO/REDI counties or communities with Total Support and Revenue of less than \$1,000,001 can request match of 1:1).
- The grant period will be July 1, 2020 to June 1, 2022. Awarded grant funds must be spent on project expenses incurred during the grant period.

## 2020-2021 CULTURAL FACILITIES GRANTS

Rank	Name & Project	County	Request	Cumulative Total
1	Pensacola Little Theatre, Inc. <i>Pensacola Cultural Center Restoration</i>	Escambia	\$22,534	\$22,534
2	Gulfshore Playhouse, Inc. <i>Gulfshore Playhouse Theatre and Education Center</i>	Collier	\$500,000	\$522,534
3	Florida Theatre Performing Arts Center, Inc. <i>Florida Theatre Seat Replacement Project</i>	Duval	\$281,337	\$803,871
4	Brevard Regional Arts Group, Inc. <i>Henegar Renovation Phase I: MainStage Auditorium</i>	Brevard	\$150,000	\$953,871
5	Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center, Inc. <i>2020-2021 Straz Center Capital Renovations</i>	Hillsborough	\$500,000	\$1,453,871
6	City of Miami Gardens <i>Miami Gardens Performing Arts Center</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$1,953,871
7	Asolo Theatre, Inc. <i>Koski Center Expansion: Renovations</i>	Sarasota	\$500,000	\$2,453,871
8	Philippine Cultural Foundation, Inc. <i>PCFI Barangay Pavilion Renovation</i>	Hillsborough	\$225,000	\$2,678,871
9	Jacksonville Zoological Society, Inc. <i>Yurt Village</i>	Duval	\$100,000	\$2,778,871
10	Conservancy of Southwest Florida, Inc. <i>Dalton Discovery Center 2.0</i>	Collier	\$500,000	\$3,278,871
11	The Zoological Society of the Palm Beaches, Inc. <i>Hamm Everglades Conservation Center</i>	Palm Beach	\$500,000	\$3,778,871
12	ArtCenter Manatee <i>ArtCenter Manatee New Cultural Facility</i>	Manatee	\$500,000	\$4,278,871
13	Friends of Mounts Botanical Garden, Inc. <i>Visitor Welcome &amp; Education Center Expansion</i>	Palm Beach	\$145,100	\$4,423,971
14	Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, Inc. <i>Benzaiten Center - Working Sculpture Garden</i>	Palm Beach	\$91,500	\$4,515,471
15	Maltz Jupiter Theatre, Inc. <i>Maltz Jupiter Theatre: Renovation</i>	Palm Beach	\$500,000	\$5,015,471
16	East Coast Zoological Society of Florida, Inc. <i>Building the Pride: Lions at Brevard Zoo</i>	Brevard	\$500,000	\$5,515,471
17	Coral Gables Cinemateque Inc. <i>Coral Gables Art Cinema Expansion</i>	Miami-Dade	\$266,875	\$5,782,346
18	City of Hollywood <i>Art and Culture Center Expansion</i>	Broward	\$500,000	\$6,282,346
19	St. Petersburg Historical Society, Inc. <i>Phase III Expansion/Renovation</i>	Pinellas	\$250,000	\$6,532,346
20	School Board of Jefferson County* <i>Kilpatrick Civic Auditorium</i>	Jefferson*	\$157,575	\$6,689,921

Rank	Name & Project	County	Request	Cumulative Total
21	Village of Wellington <i>Wellington Amphitheater</i>	Palm Beach	\$200,000	\$6,889,921
22	City of St. Cloud <i>Veterans Memorial Library</i>	Osceola	\$83,333	\$6,973,254
23	Tavares Theater, Inc. <i>Renovations for Tavares Theater Building</i>	Lake	\$75,000	\$7,048,254
24	Seminole County Historical Society <i>Buggy Project</i>	Seminole	\$55,400	\$7,103,654
25	City of Homestead <i>Homestead Cybrary</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$7,603,654
26	The Pine School <i>The Keep/Performing Arts Center</i>	Martin	\$500,000	\$8,103,654
27	City of Cape Canaveral <i>The C.A.P.E. Center</i>	Brevard	\$325,000	\$8,428,654
28	City of Doral <i>Downtown Doral Cultural Center</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$8,928,654
29	City of Lighthouse Point <i>Lighthouse Point Community Center</i>	Broward	\$500,000	\$9,428,654
			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$9,428,654</b>

## **Cultural Endowment Grants Overview**

### **Division of Cultural Affairs**

#### **S. 265.606, F.S.**

#### **Chapter 1T-1.001, Florida Administrative Code**

The Cultural Endowment Program is designed to create endowments by matching local funds with a State Matching Share. The interest that is generated on the investment is used for general operating support for the cultural organization.

#### **Eligibility**

- Florida not-for-profit organizations engaging in cultural programming such as museums, local arts agencies, state service organizations, performing art centers, orchestras, dance companies, theatre groups and other organizations to promote access, diversity and excellence in cultural activities are eligible to apply.
- The not-for-profit must be designated a Cultural Sponsoring Organization (CSO) by the Florida Council on Arts and Culture by demonstrating not-for-profit status and that the organization is primarily and directly responsible for conducting, creating, producing, presenting, staging or sponsoring a cultural exhibit, performance or event.
- When the CSO raises \$360,000 in eligible contributions, they can apply for State Matching Share (SMS) in the amount of \$240,000. The State Matching Share, when combined with the local match, creates an endowment fund for the organization. These funds are invested by the CSO, and the interest that is generated on the investment is used to support the organization's programming.
- The CSO must not have been awarded a SMS within the 23-month period preceding this application. The 23-month period commences on the day following the date the previous SMS was awarded.

#### **Application and Ranking**

- Applications for designation as a CSO may be submitted at any time. Designation must be recommended by the Florida Arts Council and approved by the Secretary of State before an organization can be considered eligible to receive a SMS.
- An application must be received at least 30 days prior to a regular meeting of the Florida Council on Arts and Culture in order to be included on the agenda. Meetings are held four times a year; generally, in March, June, October and November.
- The SMS application deadline was June 3, 2019. Designated CSOs may submit an application demonstrating that they have deposited new contributions having a total capital or assessed value of at least \$360,000 into the organization's Cultural Endowment Program Fund.
- The date of when the contributions in the organization's fund reached \$360,000 establishes their place on the Priority List.
- The Priority List is submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval and the approved list is provided to the Legislature per Section 265.606, F.S.

#### **Funding Source** is General Revenue

- State Matching Shares are distributed top-down in Priority List order.

#### **Awards** of \$240,000

- Grantees must provide a \$360,000 local contribution for the \$240,000 State Matching Share to create a \$600,000 investment.

**2020-2021 CULTURAL ENDOWMENT PROGRAM**  
**Priority List for State Matching Share**

Rank	Name	County	Recommendation	Cumulative Total
1	Riverside Theatre, Inc.	Indian River	\$240,000	\$240,000
2	Vero Beach Museum of Art, Inc.	Indian River	\$240,000	\$480,000
3	Shell Museum and Educational Foundation, Inc.	Lee	\$240,000	\$720,000
4	The Tampa Bay History Center, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$240,000	\$960,000
5	Museum of Fine Arts St. Petersburg, FL, Inc.	Pinellas	\$240,000	\$1,200,000
6	Broward Performing Arts Foundation, Inc.	Broward	\$240,000	\$1,440,000
7	McKee Botanical Garden, Inc.	Indian River	\$240,000	\$1,680,000
8	The Greater Pensacola Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	Escambia	\$240,000	\$1,920,000
9	Jacksonville Symphony Association	Duval	\$240,000	\$2,160,000
10	Norton Museum of Art, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$240,000	\$2,400,000
11	Sarasota Opera Association	Sarasota	\$240,000	\$2,640,000
12	The DeEtte Holden Cummer Museum Foundation, Inc.	Duval	\$240,000	\$2,880,000
13	Center for Creative Education, Inc.	Palm Beach	\$240,000	\$3,120,000
14	Florida Studio Theatre	Sarasota	\$240,000	\$3,360,000
15	Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center, Inc.	Hillsborough	\$240,000	\$3,600,000
16	Actors' Playhouse	Miami-Dade	\$240,000	\$3,840,000
			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,840,000</b>

# Division of Historical Resources



Small-Matching Historic Preservation Grants  
Special Category Grants



**Historic Preservation Grants Overview**  
**(Small-Matching Grants)**  
**Division of Historical Resources**

**S. 267.0617, F.S.**

**Chapter 1A-39.001, Florida Administrative Code**

Historic Preservation Small Matching grants are awarded annually for architectural and archaeological surveys and planning, State Historical Markers, National Register nominations, Main Street Program start-ups, and education and publication projects such as brochures, interpretive signage, websites and school programs.

**Eligibility**

- Eligible applicants must be a not-for-profit organization or a public entity governed by a county, municipality, school district, community college, college, university or an agency of state government.

**Application and Ranking**

- Applications were submitted between April 1 and June 1, 2019.
- Eligible applications were evaluated on a competitive basis by a panel of experts during a public meeting held on August 20, 2019.
- Panelists are appointed by the Secretary of State and typically include architects, engineers, historians, archaeologists, educators and museum professionals with experience in historic preservation, as well as citizens with demonstrated interest and experience in historic preservation.
- Eligible applications are evaluated on historic significance, endangerment, appropriateness of the proposed project, administrative capability of the organization, adequacy of financial resources, availability of professional and technical services, compatibility with statewide historic preservation priorities, educational potential, economic benefits and public good resulting from the project. The Review Panel develops a priority list of all eligible project applications reviewed by ranking each project and recommending funding levels.
- Panel recommendations are submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval and the approved list is provided to the Legislature per Section 267.0617, F.S.

**Funding Source** is Land Acquisition Trust Fund

- The award amounts will be funded top-down at full request until the appropriation is depleted.
- No organization may receive more than \$1.5 million in historic preservation Small Matching grant funding from the Division during a consecutive 5 state fiscal year period.

**Awards** of up to \$50,000

- Grantees must provide 1:1 match, and 25% of the match must be cash. Match requirement is waived or reduced for applicant organizations that are Certified Local Governments or active Florida Main Street Communities, and for projects located in Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI) Communities. Applicant organizations that are state agencies, state colleges or state universities must provide the required 1:1 match, regardless of project location.
- The grant period will be July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. All grant activities must be completed within the Grant Period and all grant and match funds must be expended within the fiscal year appropriated.

**2020-2021 HISTORIC PRESERVATION  
SMALL MATCHING GRANTS**

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
1	The Florida Historical Society <i>Florida Frontiers: The Weekly Radio Magazine of the Florida Historical Society</i>	Brevard	\$50,000	\$50,000
2	Reflections of Manatee, Inc. <i>Manatee Mineral Spring Restoration Archaeological Investigations</i>	Manatee	\$50,000	\$100,000
3	Southeast Archaeology Foundation, Inc. <i>Plantation Hill West Archaeological Survey - Phase I</i>	Santa Rosa	\$50,000	\$150,000
4	Miami-Dade County <i>Arch Creek Park Historical Education Outreach</i>	Miami-Dade	\$34,400	\$184,400
5 <sup>*^</sup>	Wakulla County Board of County Commissioners <sup>*^</sup> <i>Wakulla County Coastal Resources Survey</i>	Wakulla <sup>*^</sup>	\$31,750	\$216,150
6	University of Florida <i>Bethlehem Methodist Episcopal Cemetery Conservation Management Plan</i>	Alachua	\$12,500	\$228,650
7	Mel Fisher Maritime Heritage Society, Inc. <i>Pop Up Museums for Florida Schools: The Cuban Missile Crisis. When the Cold War Got Hot</i>	Monroe	\$50,000	\$278,650
8	City of Sanford <i>Sanford Civic Center Conditions Assessment</i>	Seminole	\$31,700	\$310,350
9	City of St. Augustine <i>Accessing St. Augustine's Heritage through Digital Media</i>	St. Johns	\$40,000	\$350,350
10 <sup>*^</sup>	Chattahoochee Main Street, Inc. <sup>*^</sup> <i>Archaeological Survey at River Landing Park</i>	Gadsden <sup>*^</sup>	\$50,000	\$400,350
11 <sup>*^</sup>	Friends of Franklin County State Parks Inc. <sup>*^</sup> <i>Orman House Historic State Park Improvements Phase 1</i>	Franklin <sup>*^</sup>	\$39,500	\$439,850
12	Pinellas County Government <i>Historic Resources Survey of Flood Hazard Areas, Phase 1</i>	Pinellas	\$50,000	\$489,850
13	The Saint Augustine Historical Society <i>Historic Structures Report Fernandez-Llambias House</i>	St. Johns	\$19,000	\$508,850
14 <sup>*</sup>	City of Cedar Key, Florida <sup>*</sup> <i>Envision Cedar Key: Sea Level Rise Adaptation Planning Tool</i>	Levy <sup>*</sup>	\$48,000	\$556,850
15	City of Fernandina Beach <i>Old Town Guidelines Analysis and Update</i>	Nassau	\$48,000	\$604,850
16	St. Johns County Board of County Commissioners <i>Historic Properties Survey of Hastings, Florida</i>	St. Johns	\$50,000	\$654,850
17	City of Titusville, Florida <i>City of Titusville Historic Booklet and Walking Tour Project</i>	Brevard	\$30,000	\$684,850
18	The University of South Florida <i>John C Williams House Planning Project: Preservation, Protection and Master Plan</i>	Pinellas	\$17,837	\$702,687
19 <sup>*</sup>	Highlands County Board of County Commissioners <sup>*</sup> <i>Architectural Inventory and Evaluation of Historic Lakeside Resources, Highlands County, Florida - Avon Park</i>	Highlands <sup>*</sup>	\$20,000	\$722,687
20	Historic Plant City Main Street <i>Historic Plant City Main Street Re-start up Project</i>	Hillsborough	\$20,000	\$742,687
21	Indian River County Parks Division <i>Jones' Pier Residence Stabilization and Museum Planning</i>	Indian River	\$10,725	\$753,412

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
22	Deerfield Beach Historical Society Inc <i>Historic Butler House - Preservation Planning</i>	Broward	\$25,000	\$778,412
23	Sarasota County Board of County Commissioners <i>Planning and Design Services for the Historic Residences and Property at Vamo Park</i>	Sarasota	\$50,000	\$828,412
24	Friends of the Hugh Embry Library Branch of the Library of Pasco County, Florida, Inc. <i>Digitizing Dade City Banner Newspaper</i>	Pasco	\$6,000	\$834,412
25*	The Cedar Key Historical Society, Inc.* <i>Assessing and Communicating Natural Disaster Risk in the Cedar Keys Historic and Archaeological District</i>	Levy*	\$50,000	\$884,412
26	Santa Rosa County BOCC <i>Fidelis School Building Existing Conditions and Recommendations Planning Project</i>	Santa Rosa	\$50,000	\$934,412
27	Dade Heritage Trust, Inc. <i>Silver Bluff Neighborhood Survey</i>	Miami-Dade	\$50,000	\$984,412
28	Florida Keys History and Discovery Foundation, Inc. <i>Student Discovery Tour &amp; Traveling History Exhibit in a Box</i>	Monroe	\$11,700	\$996,112
29	Historic Markers, Incorporated <i>Key West Marker Tour and Open Air Museum</i>	Monroe	\$16,360	\$1,012,472
30	Collier County Board of County Commissioners <i>Naples Depot Museum, Budd Train Car Interpretation &amp; Digital Walk-Through</i>	Collier	\$47,800	\$1,060,272
31*	City of Arcadia* <i>Speer Center Planning</i>	DeSoto*	\$50,000	\$1,110,272
32	City of Winter Garden <i>Downtown Winter Garden Historic Survey Update</i>	Orange	\$20,000	\$1,130,272
33	Coral Gables Congregational Church (United Church of Christ), Inc. <i>Planning for Preservation of Coral Gables Congregational UCC: The Second Hundred Years</i>	Miami-Dade	\$40,827	\$1,171,099
34	Ybor City Museum State Park <i>Ybor City Museum State Park Educational App</i>	Hillsborough	\$1,945	\$1,173,044
35	Foundation of Greater Fort Walton Beach Chamber of Commerce <i>Susan Myers Fort Walton Beach Historic Walking Trail</i>	Okaloosa	\$5,800	\$1,178,844
36	Town of Juno Beach <i>Juno Beach Landmarks Trail Map/Brochure, Interpretive Signs, Website and Mobile App</i>	Palm Beach	\$20,000	\$1,198,844
37*	The Episcopal Diocese of Florida, Inc.* <i>St Mark's Episcopal Church Campus Phase III Historical, Architectural/Engineering Study</i>	Putnam*	\$50,000	\$1,248,844
38	Florida A&M University <i>St. Augustine VR Project</i>	St. Johns	\$35,504	\$1,284,348
39^	Miracles 3^ <i>Munree Cemetery: A Lost and Found History</i>	Leon^	\$1,005	\$1,285,353
40*^	Florida State University Department of Urban and Regional Planning*^ <i>North Star Legacy Communities: A Florida Treasure</i>	Jackson*^	\$29,994	\$1,315,347
41	City of Homestead <i>Homestead History Experience</i>	Miami-Dade	\$50,000	\$1,365,347
42*	Florida A&M University* <i>Apalachicola Hill Oral History Project</i>	Franklin*	\$21,400	\$1,386,747

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
43	City of Coral Springs <i>The Museum of Coral Springs History, Touchscreen Interactive Exhibit</i>	Broward	\$5,360	\$1,392,107
44	Village of Palmetto Bay <i>Preserving the Local History of Palmetto Bay</i>	Miami-Dade	\$50,000	\$1,442,107
45	City of Fort Lauderdale <i>Phase II - City-Wide Architectural Resource Survey</i>	Broward	\$10,000	\$1,452,107
			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,452,107</b>

**Special Category Grant Overview**  
**(Fixed Capital Outlay)**  
**Division of Historical Resources**

**S. 267.0617, F.S.**

**Chapter 1A-39.001, Florida Administrative Code**

Special Category grants provide funding for projects including the acquisition of a historic property, the rehabilitation of a historic building or property, major archaeological research projects, and major museum exhibits involving the development and presentation of information on the history of Florida.

**Eligibility**

- Eligible applicants must be a not-for-profit organization or a public entity governed by a county, municipality, school district, community college, college, university or an agency of state government.

**Application and Ranking**

- Applications were submitted between April 1 and June 1, 2019.
- Eligible grant applications were evaluated at a public meeting by the Florida Historical Commission on September 26-27, 2019.
- Eligible applications are evaluated on historic significance, endangerment, appropriateness of the preservation treatment proposed, administrative capability of the organization, adequacy of financial resources, availability of professional and technical services, compatibility with statewide historic preservation priorities, educational potential, economic benefits and public good resulting from the project. The Florida Historical Commission develops a priority list of all eligible project applications reviewed by ranking each project and recommending funding levels.
- The Commission's recommended list is submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval per Section 267.0617, F.S.

**Funding Source** is General Revenue and Land Acquisition Trust Fund Fixed Capital Outlay (FCO)

- The award amounts will be funded top-down at full request until the appropriation is depleted.
- Any applicant on the ranked list that has not completed a previously-funded Special Category grant project by July 1, 2020, will be passed over and the funds will be allocated to the next grantee on the list without an active Special Category grant project under contract.
- No organization may receive more than \$1.5 million in historic preservation Special Category grant funding from the Division during a consecutive 5 state fiscal year period.

**Awards** of up to \$500,000

- Grantees must provide 1:1 match, and 25% of the match must be cash. For projects located in Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI) Communities, match is reduced to 25% of the requested amount. Applicant organizations that are state agencies, state colleges or state universities must provide the required 1:1 match, regardless of project location.
- The grant period will be July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2022. Awarded grant funds must be spent on project expenses incurred during the grant period.

## 2020-2021 HISTORIC PRESERVATION SPECIAL CATEGORY GRANTS

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
1*^	City of Port St. Joe*^ <i>Historic Centennial Building</i>	Gulf*^	\$291,154	\$291,154
2*^	Port Theatre Art & Culture Center*^ <i>Historic Port Theatre Post Hurricane Michael Repairs</i>	Gulf*^	\$500,000	\$791,154
3	Pinellas County Schools <i>Central High School Rehabilitation</i>	Pinellas	\$500,000	\$1,291,154
4	Key West Harry S Truman Foundation, Inc. <i>Little White House Paint and Exterior Restoration</i>	Monroe	\$45,000	\$1,336,154
5	Memorial Presbyterian Church Society of St. Augustine, Inc. <i>Flagler Memorial Presbyterian Manse Rehabilitation</i>	St. Johns	\$250,000	\$1,586,154
6	Florida Theatre Performing Arts Center, Inc. <i>Florida Theatre Painting Restoration Project</i>	Duval	\$349,764	\$1,935,918
7	City of Miami <i>2019 Miami Marine Stadium Development Project</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$2,435,918
8	University of West Florida <i>Exploring the Settlement and Fleet of Tristan de Luna on Pensacola Bay</i>	Escambia	\$433,280	\$2,869,198
9*^	Apalachicola Area Historic Society*^ <i>Raney House Restoration Phase I</i>	Franklin*^	\$157,697	\$3,026,895
10	West Florida Historic Preservation, Inc. <i>Dorr House Window and Door Restoration</i>	Escambia	\$38,500	\$3,065,395
11*	Hendry County Board of County Commissioners* <i>Old Hendry County Courthouse Interior Restoration, Phase I</i>	Hendry*	\$500,000	\$3,565,395
12*^	Carrabelle Lighthouse Association, Inc.*^ <i>Crooked River Lighthouse and Keeper's House Museum Rehabilitation</i>	Franklin*^	\$85,500	\$3,650,895
13	Village of Pinecrest <i>Pinecrest Gardens Site Protection</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$4,150,895
14*^	Havana History & Heritage Society, Inc.*^ <i>Acquisition &amp; Preservation of The Planter's Exchange</i>	Gadsden*^	\$67,500	\$4,218,395
15	St. Petersburg Historical Society, Inc. <i>Explore Florida! Exhibit, St. Petersburg Museum of History</i>	Pinellas	\$500,000	\$4,718,395
16^	Spring House Institute, Inc.^ <i>Acquisition of Lewis Spring House</i>	Leon^	\$247,500	\$4,965,895
17	The Marie Selby Botanical Gardens, Inc. <i>Selby House Restoration Phase 2 - Interior</i>	Sarasota	\$387,523	\$5,353,418
18	Clay County Board of County Commissioners <i>Clay County Historical Courthouse Facility Restoration Project</i>	Clay	\$150,000	\$5,503,418
19*	Concerned Citizens of Bradford County* <i>RJE Gymnasium Rehabilitation</i>	Bradford*	\$92,058	\$5,595,476
20	Lighthouse Archaeological Maritime Program, Inc. <i>First Coast Maritime Archaeology Project: Identifying Maritime Heritage Sites At Risk</i>	St. Johns	\$500,000	\$6,095,476
21	Monroe County Board of County Commissioners <i>Historic Monroe County Courthouse Exterior Masonry Restoration</i>	Monroe	\$482,825	\$6,578,301
22	Beaches Area Historical Society, Inc. <i>Foreman's House Preservation Project</i>	Duval	\$41,088	\$6,619,389

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
23	The Historic Hampton House Community Trust, Inc. <i>Historic Hampton House Build-Out Phase IV</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$7,119,389
24	Historic Florida Keys Foundation <i>Hurricane Repairs and Protection for the Historic Key West Armory</i>	Monroe	\$45,000	\$7,164,389
25	Polk County Board of County Commissioners <i>Polk County History Center - Exterior Window Restoration and Exterior Door Repair</i>	Polk	\$463,344	\$7,627,733
26*	City of Arcadia* <i>Arcadia City Hall</i>	DeSoto*	\$500,000	\$8,127,733
27	Martin County Board of County Commissioners <i>The Mansion at Tuckahoe – Seawall Replacement</i>	Martin	\$431,288	\$8,559,021
28	Stetson University, Inc. <i>Phase 2: College of Law Fountains</i>	Pinellas	\$500,000	\$9,059,021
29*^	Jefferson County Board of County Commissioners*^ <i>Jefferson County Historic Monticello High School Restoration</i>	Jefferson*^	\$500,000	\$9,559,021
30	City of Sarasota <i>Municipal Auditorium - Recreation Club (Sarasota Exhibition Hall) Structural Project Phase II</i>	Sarasota	\$258,519	\$9,817,540
31*	Melrose Woman's Club, Inc.* <i>Historic Melrose Woman's Club Rehabilitation</i>	Putnam*	\$52,500	\$9,870,040
32	City of Ocala Growth Management Dept. <i>The Marion Hotel, AKA the Sovereign Building, Facade Restoration</i>	Marion	\$406,000	\$10,276,040
33	Pinellas County Government <i>Restoration of the Turner Bungalow</i>	Pinellas	\$121,868	\$10,397,908
34	City of Dade City <i>Dade City Train Depot Renovations</i>	Pasco	\$14,675	\$10,412,583
35	University of Florida <i>Florida Water Exhibit, Florida Museum of Natural History</i>	Alachua	\$500,000	\$10,912,583
36	Indian River County Parks Division <i>Archie Smith Fish House Restoration Phase III</i>	Indian River	\$147,121	\$11,059,704
37	City of Coral Gables, Historical Resources & Cultural Arts Department <i>Rehabilitation of the Gondola Building, Biltmore Hotel</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$11,559,704
38	City of Miami Beach <i>Star Island Water Tower Restoration</i>	Miami-Dade	\$350,000	\$11,909,704
			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$11,909,704</b>

# Division of Library and Information Services



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Library Construction Grants



**Library Construction Grants Overview**  
**(Fixed Capital Outlay)**  
**Division of Library and Information Services**

**S. 257.191, F.S.**

**Chapter 1B-2.011, Florida Administrative Code**

Library Construction Grants are awarded to local and county governments for the construction of public libraries. This includes the construction of new buildings and the acquisition, expansion or remodeling of existing buildings to be used for public library service.

**Eligibility**

- County governments, incorporated municipalities, special districts and special tax districts that establish or maintain a public library and provide free public library services may apply for a Public Library Construction grant.

**Application and Ranking**

- Applications were due on April 1, 2019.
- A 30-day correction period is provided for applicants to complete their application or to correct deficiencies after staff review.
- All complete and eligible applications are evaluated and ranked by library professionals in the Division using criteria outlined in the application and Public Library Construction Guidelines. Applications are evaluated with a 100-point system based upon the type of library building, how the building will function in a currently established library system, how the project will contribute to new or improved services in the area, the effects of operating the proposed facility, library overview, description of library function in the space, projection of future needs and community need using the standard of 0.6 square feet per capita for total floor space.
- Applications are ranked based on the point score, and the recommendation list is submitted to the Secretary of State for review and approval. The approved and ranked list is provided to Legislature per Section 257.191, F.S.

**Funding Source** is General Revenue Fixed Capital Outlay (FCO)

- The award amounts will be funded top-down at full request until the appropriation is depleted.

**Awards** of up to \$500,000

- Grantees must provide 1:1 match. Applicants in Rural Areas of Opportunity counties can request a match waiver.
- The grant period will be July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2022. Awarded grant funds must be spent on project expenses incurred during the grant period.

## 2020-2021 LIBRARY CONSTRUCTION GRANTS

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
1	Flagler County <i>Bunnell Library and Administrative Headquarters</i>	Flagler	\$500,000	\$500,000
2	Palm Beach County <i>Canyon Branch</i>	Palm Beach	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
3	City of Oakland Park <i>Oakland Park Library</i>	Broward	\$500,000	\$1,500,000
4	Miami-Dade County <i>Chuck Pezoldt Branch Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$2,000,000
5*	Washington County* <i>Washington County Public Library Expansion</i>	Washington*	\$500,000	\$2,500,000
6	City of Homestead <i>Cybrary</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$3,000,000
7*	Putnam County* <i>Melrose Branch Library Expansion</i>	Putnam*	\$500,000	\$3,500,000
8	City of Tavares <i>Tavares Library Expansion</i>	Lake	\$500,000	\$4,000,000
9	City of Lighthouse Point <i>Lighthouse Point Library</i>	Broward	\$500,000	\$4,500,000
10	Manatee County <i>Braden River Library Expansion</i>	Manatee	\$500,000	\$5,000,000
11	City of Safety Harbor <i>Safety Harbor Public Library Second Story</i>	Pinellas	\$500,000	\$5,500,000
12*	Madison County* <i>Greenville Public Library</i>	Madison*	\$500,000	\$6,000,000
13	City of St. Pete Beach <i>St. Pete Beach Public Library Construction</i>	Pinellas	\$500,000	\$6,500,000
14	Pinellas County <i>East Lake Community Library</i>	Pinellas	\$170,000	\$6,670,000
15	City of New Port Richey <i>Building Inspiration at NPR Library</i>	Pasco	\$500,000	\$7,170,000
16	City of Winter Park <i>Winter Park Public Library and Events Center</i>	Orange	\$500,000	\$7,670,000
17*	Suwannee County* <i>Branford Public Library</i>	Suwannee*	\$500,000	\$8,170,000
18	Miami-Dade County <i>South Dade Regional Library Renovation Program</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$8,670,000
19	Miami-Dade County <i>Miami Lakes Public Library Expansion Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$9,170,000
20	Miami-Dade County <i>Coconut Grove Branch Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$300,000	\$9,470,000
21	Miami-Dade County <i>Hialeah Gardens Branch Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$9,970,000
22	Miami-Dade County <i>Edison Library Construction Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$10,470,000
23	Miami-Dade County <i>West Dade Regional Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$10,970,000

Rank	Name & Project Title	County	Request	Cumulative Total
24	Miami-Dade County <i>Little River Library Construction Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$11,470,000
25	Miami-Dade County <i>Tamiami Branch Library Construction Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$300,000	\$11,770,000
26	Miami-Dade County <i>Key Biscayne Library Expansion Project</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$12,270,000
27	Miami-Dade County <i>Doral Branch Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$12,770,000
28	Miami-Dade County <i>Coral Gables Branch Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$13,270,000
29	Miami-Dade County <i>West Kendall Regional Renovation Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$13,770,000
30	Miami-Dade County <i>South Miami Library Construction Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$300,000	\$14,070,000
31	Miami-Dade County <i>Lemon City Library Construction Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$300,000	\$14,370,000
32	Miami-Dade County <i>Miami-Dade South Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$500,000	\$14,870,000
33	Miami-Dade County <i>Culmer / Overtown Library Construction Grant</i>	Miami-Dade	\$300,000	\$15,170,000
34	Miami-Dade County <i>North Central Branch Library</i>	Miami-Dade	\$300,000	\$15,470,000
			<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$15,470,000</b>

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