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To support supplemental features for the public radio program American Routes. The long-running radio program will be enhanced with artists’ interviews and live performances featuring lesser-known traditional artists whose work has influenced prominent artists, as well as recordings of performances from the stages of folk festivals and concerts across the nation.

- **Fiscal Year:** 2019
- **Congressional District:** 1
- **Grant Amount:** $50,000
- **Category:** Art Works
- **Discipline:** Folk & Traditional Arts
- **Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2019

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To support a performance by classical Indian dance ensemble Ragamala, with related outreach activities. In addition to a public performance, the university will present a lecture/demonstration, a family-focused workshop, an artist meet-and-greet, and an exhibit of traditional Indian costumes. The university will work with local partners, including the Indian Arts Circle, to promote the events to the Asian Indian community in New Orleans.

- **Fiscal Year:** 2019
- **Congressional District:** 1
- **Grant Amount:** $10,000
- **Category:** Challenge America
- **Discipline:** Challenge America
- **Grant Period:** 01/2020 - 12/2020

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To support personnel and related costs for the public radio program American Routes. Hosted by Nick Spitzer and distributed nationally by the Public Radio Exchange, American Routes explores issues of American culture through its vernacular music, ranging from blues and jazz, to soul, gospel, Tejano, and country.

- **Fiscal Year:** 2019
- **Congressional District:** 1
- **Grant Amount:** $25,000
- **Category:** Art Works
- **Discipline:** Media Arts
- **Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 06/2020

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To support artist fees for performances at the Crescent City Blues & BBQ Festival Presented in historic downtown New Orleans, the festival will celebrate the blues tradition of Louisiana and the Delta South. Performers are likely to include renowned blues artists such as such Little Freddie King, Valerie June, and Samantha Fish.

- **Fiscal Year:** 2019
- **Congressional District:** 2
- **Grant Amount:** $35,000
- **Category:** Art Works
- **Discipline:** Folk & Traditional Arts
- **Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2019
Dancing Grounds
New Orleans, LA 70117-5747

To support dance residencies for students. Students from public schools in New Orleans' Ninth Ward will study dance technique and choreography, leadership and teamwork, and physical fitness through a program that combines active, kinesthetic learning with creative analysis, studies of dance history, field trips, and group performance projects. Students will experience dance as a means of developing voice and creativity and will conceive, choreograph, and produce a live performance or video by the end of the school year.

Fiscal Year: 2019  Congressional District: 2  Grant Amount: $15,000
Category: Art Works  Discipline: Dance  Grant Period: 01/2019 - 12/2019

Ella Project
New Orleans, LA 70116-2039

To support professional development and pro bono legal services for artists and arts organizations. The organization will offer services to low- and moderate-income artists, musicians, and nonprofit organizations throughout Louisiana, including assistance with copyright, trademark, licensing, incorporation, and other legal issues. Services for musicians will be enhanced through technical assistance clinics focused on copyright and performer royalty registration.

Fiscal Year: 2019  Congressional District: 2  Grant Amount: $30,000
Category: Art Works  Discipline: Local Arts Agencies  Grant Period: 01/2019 - 12/2019

Contemporary Arts Center (aka CAC)
New Orleans, LA 70130-3971

To support the exhibition Hinge Pictures: Eight Women Artists Occupy the Third Dimension. The exhibition, which takes its name from the writings of Marcel Duchamp, will feature new work by contemporary women artists in a challenge to the patrimony of 20th-century European modernism. Participating artists will include Sarah Crowner, Julia Dault, Leslie Hewitt, Erin Shirreff, Ulla von Brandenburg, Adriana Varejão, and Claudia Wieser. Public programming—developed in partnership with local and national organizations—will focus on women's issues and gender equity, especially as relevant in art history. A publication published by Siglio Press will add to the exhibition's scholarship.

Fiscal Year: 2019  Congressional District: 2  Grant Amount: $25,000
Category: Art Works  Discipline: Visual Arts  Grant Period: 01/2019 - 06/2019

Arts Council of New Orleans
New Orleans, LA 70113-1256

To support LUNA Fete, an annual illumination festival. National, international, and local commissioned artists will create temporary, site-specific light and technology artworks. The works will be installed along a half-mile walk near downtown New Orleans' Lafayette Square. The festival also will include year-round programming such as training programs on light and technology-based art for local artists and youth.

Fiscal Year: 2019  Congressional District: 2  Grant Amount: $75,000
Category: Art Works  Discipline: Local Arts Agencies  Grant Period: 01/2019 - 12/2019
### Friends of A Studio in the Woods (aka )
New Orleans, LA 70131-3204

To support multidisciplinary artist residencies. Resident artists will have the opportunity to respond to the ongoing ecological changes in the Louisiana wetlands due to forces such as settlement, industry, and coastal restoration efforts. An open call will be issued for artists with a history of working on environmental and culturally related issues, as well as a commitment to producing work with deep connections to the subject matter.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019  
**Congressional District:** 2  
**Grant Amount:** $15,000  
**Category:** Art Works  
**Discipline:** Artist Communities  
**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2019

### Kid Smart (aka KID smART)
New Orleans, LA 70119-2384

To support artist residencies and professional development training for teachers in arts integrated instruction. Through the Creative Schools program, teachers will learn to incorporate arts-based learning throughout the school day. Project activities will include year-long, in-school artist residencies, monthly professional development training for classroom teachers, and ongoing training for resident teaching artists. Curriculum materials will be provided free-of-charge. In addition, children and their parents will participate in a series of family workshops to engage in creative, hands-on activities that will support student learning. Designed in partnership with public charter schools in New Orleans, the program will serve kindergarten and middle school students from underserved communities.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019  
**Congressional District:** 2  
**Grant Amount:** $40,000  
**Category:** Art Works  
**Discipline:** Arts Education  
**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2019

### New Orleans Airlift Inc. (aka The Music Box)
New Orleans, LA 70117-6128

To support the creation and presentation of Rites of Return: A Homecoming Drill and Ceremony. The Music Box will collaborate with artists, veterans, and veterans’ service groups to create an immersive performance event based on the personal stories and experiences of veterans returning from war. Taking place on the grounds of the Mirabeau Water Garden in New Orleans, the site-specific work will utilize storytelling, drumming, processions, visual arts, military drills, reenactments, dances, and song. Artistic collaborators will include playwright Raymond “Moose” Jackson, musical director Mark Stewart, conceptual artist Corazon Del Sol, and theater companies Goat in the Road and Mondo Bizarro.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019  
**Congressional District:** 2  
**Grant Amount:** $35,000  
**Category:** Art Works  
**Discipline:** Presenting & Multidisciplinary Works  
**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2020
### New Orleans Ballet Association (aka NOBA) 1849624-33-19
New Orleans, LA 70112-1608

To support the presentation of dance companies and related education and engagement programs. In celebration of its 50th anniversary, NOBA will present a special concert featuring artists from its presenting history. Following the celebration, a diverse season begins that will include new commissioned work and community engagement opportunities such as lecture-demonstrations, workshops, master classes, open rehearsals, and pre-performance talks. Featured artists will include Alvin Ailey American Dance Theater, Body Traffic, Trinity Irish Dance Company and Pilobolus.

| Fiscal Year: 2019 | Congressional District: 2 | Grant Amount: $45,000 |
| Category: Art Works | Discipline: Dance | Grant Period: 01/2019 - 12/2019 |

### Southern Rep (aka Southern Rep Theatre) 1849724-32-19
New Orleans, LA 70119-2302

To support the production of Azul by Christina Quintana in partnership with the Saints and Sinners Literary Festival. The play explores issues of nationality, identity, and family through the eyes of a Cuban-American woman coming to understand the forces that shaped her mother’s life and her own. The production will be presented as part of Southern Rep’s inaugural season in the company's new permanent home on historic Bayou Road in New Orleans.

| Fiscal Year: 2019 | Congressional District: 2 | Grant Amount: $10,000 |
| Category: Art Works | Discipline: Theater | Grant Period: 01/2019 - 06/2019 |

### Press Street (aka Antenna) 1849929-72-19
New Orleans, LA 70117-5748

To support Antenna's Paper Machine residency program and educational activities. Incorporating innovative materials, artists will develop new projects exploring and experimenting with print-based artistic practices. After artists complete a month-long residency, resident artists will collaborate with New Orleans-based artists and the local community to develop new work and to present programs that engage the public, including participatory compositions, workshops, and artist talks.

| Fiscal Year: 2019 | Congressional District: 2 | Grant Amount: $10,000 |
| Category: Art Works | Discipline: Artist Communities | Grant Period: 01/2019 - 12/2019 |
New Orleans Film and Video Festival, Inc. (aka New Orleans Film Society) 1849939-34-19
New Orleans, LA 70130-4357

To support community engagement programming associated with the New Orleans Film Festival. Short and feature-length narrative, documentary, experimental, and animated films and virtual reality experiences will be exhibited at this Academy Award-qualifying festival accompanied by panel discussions with visiting filmmakers, pitch sessions for local filmmakers, networking events with industry leaders, and curated screenings on themes such as Caribbean cinema and films made in Louisiana. In partnership with local community organizations, underrepresented communities and students of all ages will be engaged through free public programming to build new audiences and promote film-going as an arts experience.

Fiscal Year: 2019  
Congressional District: 2  
Grant Amount: $30,000
Category: Art Works  
Discipline: Media Arts  
Grant Period: 01/2019 - 11/2019

Tennessee Williams/New Orleans Literary Festival, Inc. 1853859-52-19
New Orleans, LA 70113-1063

To support annual literary festivals. The Tennessee Williams/New Orleans Literary Festival and the Saints and Sinners Literary Festival feature activities such as readings, master classes, panel discussions, and walking tours. In addition, the festivals offer educational programs for local high school students, including day-long series of workshops with festival authors.

Fiscal Year: 2019  
Congressional District: 2  
Grant Amount: $10,000
Category: Art Works  
Discipline: Literature  
Grant Period: 07/2019 - 04/2020

Goat in the Road Productions (aka Goat in the Road) 1854681-51-19
New Orleans, LA 70117-6641

To support Play/Write, a year-round playwriting program for youth. Professional teaching artists will provide weekly theater instruction for middle and high school students during the school day. Students will also attend a professional theater production. Each student will write an original play which will be professionally bound and published. A panel of teachers and artists will select plays that will be showcased at public performances by professional theater companies at Dillard University's Cook Theater.

Fiscal Year: 2019  
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**New Orleans Video Access Center, Inc.**

(aka NOVAC)  

New Orleans, LA 70117-6731

To support fellowship and mentor stipends, staff salaries, travel, and equipment costs for a documentary storytelling project on the impact of the justice system on local communities in Louisiana. Through a fellowship program engaging underserved male youth, the project will pair mentors with participants to provide hands-on instruction and professional support to create short documentaries in partnership with area nonprofit and legal organizations.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019  
**Congressional District:** 2  
**Grant Amount:** $20,000  
**Category:** Art Works  
**Discipline:** Media Arts  
**Grant Period:** 06/2019 - 05/2020

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**Press Street**

(aka Antenna)  

New Orleans, LA 70117-5748

To support the creation of a documentary film series for Antenna::Signals, a live event series and online publication highlighting New Orleans-based cultural producers and thinkers. Through a robust slate of multidisciplinary visual arts, literary, and arts education programming, Antenna::Signals serves as an engine for cultural production, a resource for creative practitioners, and an entry point into the arts for general audiences across New Orleans. The films produced during the project will be available during public events, through the online publication, and on streaming platforms, such as Vimeo and YouTube.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019  
**Congressional District:** 2  
**Grant Amount:** $10,000  
**Category:** Art Works  
**Discipline:** Media Arts  
**Grant Period:** 06/2019 - 06/2020

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**City of Gretna, Louisiana**

Gretna, LA 70053

To support an artist residency, temporary public art installations, and a series of art programming celebrating the Mississippi River. Project activities will take place on the banks of the Mississippi River, and on the ferry connecting Gretna to New Orleans. The project is expected to increase social connectivity between communities on both sides of the river, and engage residents in planning for improved water transit infrastructure. The proposed project activities are informed by the mayor's participation in a 2016 Mayors' Institute on City Design.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019  
**Congressional District:** 2  
**Grant Amount:** $150,000  
**Category:** Our Town  
**Discipline:** Design  
**Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 12/2020

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**Press Street**

(aka Antenna)  

New Orleans, LA 70117-5748

To support Antenna's series of public art installations, performances, and community workshops around waterways, waterfronts, and pump stations in New Orleans. The series will explore the ways in which water has shaped the city's history, while also imagining and planning for a future in which the city becomes a model for environmental adaptation.

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To support the Dewey Balfa Cajun & Creole Heritage Week at Chicot State Park in the heart of South Louisiana’s Evangeline Parish. A week-long camp for all ages will offer instruction in the expressive traditions of Louisiana's Cajun and Creole communities. The intensive cultural immersion classes will include lessons in music, dance, foodways, crafts, and storytelling. In addition to attending concerts presented by the instructors, students will learn through participating in jam sessions and social dances. The festival derives its name from Cajun fiddler Dewey Balfa (1927-92), an NEA National Heritage Fellow.

To support the CREATE (Culture, Recreation, Entertainment, Arts, Tourism, Economy) Initiative, an arts-focused economic development strategy. Launched as a mayoral initiative, CREATE will include the development of resources such as a cultural asset online portal, information kiosks, and other public outreach strategies, with an aim to support and improve access to arts and culture for both residents and visitors. Local partners will include arts organizations as well as tourism, economic development, and community development offices.

To support a program educating teenagers about community traditions. A committee of museum staff and folklore specialists will provide students with intensive training and mentoring in the study of folklore, including research techniques, fieldwork experiences, archiving, and public programming. Additionally, educators will receive professional development training for incorporating folk arts into the classroom.

To support the Shreveport Opera Xpress educational touring program. The company's educational outreach program offers performances and activities for public school students throughout central and south Louisiana.
Northwestern State University of Louisiana
Natchitoches, LA 71497-0001

To support the Natchitoches-NSU Folk Festival at the Louisiana Folklife Center. The multidisciplinary festival will celebrate the folk cultures of Louisiana with performances, workshops, and demonstrations. Performances will encompass the folk music of the region, ranging from Cajun, Zydeco, bluegrass, country, blues, and gospel and regional material culture crafts.

Fiscal Year: 2019  
Congressional District: 4  
Grant Amount: $15,000  
Category: Art Works  
Discipline: Folk & Traditional Arts  
Grant Period: 06/2019 - 08/2019

Shreveport Regional Arts Council (aka SRAC)  
Shreveport, LA 71101-3435

To support the commission and installation of new animated light artworks for the Texas Street Bridge, and associated outreach activities. LED artworks will relate to Red River Bridge, an original 1990s neon work by light artist Rockne Krebs. Outreach activities will include public events intended to support economic development efforts and draw residents and visitors to Shreveport's downtown city center.

Fiscal Year: 2019  
Congressional District: 4  
Grant Amount: $20,000  
Category: Art Works  
Discipline: Local Arts Agencies  
Grant Period: 07/2019 - 12/2020

Arts Council of Central Louisiana (aka ACCL)  
Alexandria, LA 71301-8309

To support contemporary dance performances, and associated outreach activities. A touring professional dance company will be presented in downtown Alexandria, at a central location within the organization's eight-parish service area, with outreach activities such as school performances and workshops.

Fiscal Year: 2019  
Congressional District: 5  
Grant Amount: $10,000  
Category: Art Works  
Discipline: Local Arts Agencies  
Grant Period: 09/2019 - 05/2020
La. A+ Schools, Inc. (aka LAA+)
Baton Rouge, LA 70801-1201

To support LAA+’s professional development program for educators in rural schools in Louisiana. Teachers and administrators in Title I schools will learn arts integration techniques and receive mentoring from teaching artists and faculty from schools already using the A+ Schools arts integration model. A+ Schools is a teacher training model for entire school faculties committed to schoolwide transformation through arts integration. Each school will designate an A+ Leadership Team which will comprise the principal, an arts specialist, and at least one classroom teacher that will attend a retreat focused on sustainability and strategies for implementing the model. Faculty from all schools will attend a week long institute to learn to create lesson plans that integrate curriculum standards and learning objectives for both art and non-art content areas. Full day inservices, classroom observations, individual teacher coaching, and monthly meetings will reinforce arts integration strategies. Professional teaching artists will facilitate interactive sessions on music, visual arts, theater, and dance followed by guided reflection. Teachers will participate in monthly video chats to troubleshoot challenges around arts integration lesson plan development and instructional strategies. They also will have access to a "virtual file cabinet" shared by all LAA+ Schools, where lessons plans, assessment tools, and other resources will be stored and shared.

| Fiscal Year: 2019 | Congressional District: 6 | Grant Amount: $55,000 |
| Category: Art Works | Discipline: Arts Education | Grant Period: 01/2019 - 08/2020 |

Opera Louisiane, Inc.
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4908

To support an educational touring production of Rossini’s Cinderella as part of the Young People’s Opera Program. Performances and in-school activities will provide students, teachers, and community members from Baton Rouge, Lafayette, and surrounding parishes access to family-friendly and affordable performing arts experiences.

| Fiscal Year: 2019 | Congressional District: 6 | Grant Amount: $10,000 |
| Category: Art Works | Discipline: Opera | Grant Period: 06/2019 - 06/2020 |

Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge, Inc.
Baton Rouge, LA 70801-1810

To support the River City Jazz Masters series with music performances and associated outreach activities. The series is curated in partnership with the River City Jazz Coalition. Outreach activities will include the Jazz Listening Room series, with reduced ticket price performances by emerging musicians, and educational programming such as school performances and master classes, that will cultivate future audiences for jazz music.

| Fiscal Year: 2019 | Congressional District: 6 | Grant Amount: $40,000 |
| Category: Art Works | Discipline: Local Arts Agencies | Grant Period: 07/2019 - 06/2020 |
To support arts programs, services, and activities associated with carrying out the agency’s National Endowment for the Arts-approved strategic plan.

| Fiscal Year: | 2019 | Congressional District: | 6 | Grant Amount: | $752,600 |
| Category: | Partnerships (State & Regional) | Discipline: | State & Regional | Grant Period: | 07/2019 - 06/2020 |