

Mississippi Arts Commission

Fiscal Year 2018 Grants by County

Adams

Name: J. R. Sálongo Lee

Address: P.O. Box 2011

Natchez, MS 39121

601-620-0569

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend a professional development workshop

Name: Mississippi Writers Guild

Address: 9 Janice Circle

Natchez, MS 39120

G. Mark Lafrancis

601-442-0980

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the 11th Annual Mississippi Writers Guild Conference

Name: Natchez Opera Festival, Inc.

Address: P.O. Box 2207

Natchez, MS 39121

Jay Dean

601-877-6261

Grant Awarded: \$21,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

3 grant(s) awarded in Adams County totaling \$25,000

Alcorn

Name: Corinth Theatre-Arts

Address: P. O. Box 127

Corinth, MS 38835

Twila Bridges

662-287-2995

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

1 grant(s) awarded in Alcorn County totaling \$4,500

Attala

Name: Kosciusko Main Street Inc.

Address: 101 North Natchez Street

Kosciusko, MS 39090

G. G. Holmes

662-289-2981

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the creation of a mural

1 grant(s) awarded in Attala County totaling \$3,500

Bolivar

Name: Delta Arts Alliance

Address: P. O. Box 763

Cleveland, MS 38732

Rori Herbison

662-843-3344

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

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Bolivar

Name: Delta State University-Delta Music Institute

Address: 1003 W. Sunflower Road, Box 3114 Tricia Walker
Cleveland, MS 38733 662-846-4579

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the DMI Summer Camp

Name: DSU/Bologna Performing Arts Center

Address: DSU Box 3213 1003 W Sunflower Road Cade Holder
Cleveland, MS 38733 662-846-4844

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: for the Summer Arts Institute

Name: DSU/Bologna Performing Arts Center

Address: DSU Box 3213 1003 W Sunflower Road Cade Holder
Cleveland, MS 38733 662-846-4844

Grant Awarded: \$830

Description: to present Chuck Galey

Name: GRAMMY Museum Mississippi

Address: 800 West Sunflower Road Jane Marie Dawkins
Cleveland, MS 38732 662-441-0100

Grant Awarded: \$18,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

5 grant(s) awarded in Bolivar County totaling \$41,830

Carroll

Name: Carroll County Development Association

Address: P. O. Box 561 Pamela Lee
Carrollton, MS 38917 662-237-6910

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the Pilgrimage & Pioneer Day Festival

1 grant(s) awarded in Carroll County totaling \$4,500

Claiborne

Name: Alcorn State University - Department of Fine Arts

Address: 1000 Alcorn Drive #29 David C. Miller
Alcorn State, MS 39096 601-877-6602

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the Alcorn State University Jazz Festival

1 grant(s) awarded in Claiborne County totaling \$3,500

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Coahoma

Name: Coahoma Community College

Address: 3240 Friars Point Road
Clarksdale, MS 38614

Panny Flautt Mayfield
662-627-2571

Grant Awarded: \$4,320

Description: to support the theatre performance at the Tennessee Williams Festival

Name: Delta Blues Museum

Address: P. O. Box 459
Clarksdale, MS 38614

Shelley Ritter
662-627-6820

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Delta Blues Museum

Address: P. O. Box 459
Clarksdale, MS 38614

Shelley Ritter
662-627-6820

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend the Southeastern Museums Conference

Name: Griot Arts Inc.

Address: 278 Sunflower Avenue
Clarksdale, MS 38614

Cali Noland
662-902-6805

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Sunflower River Blues Association

Address: P. O. Box 1562
Clarksdale, MS 38614

Melvita Tillis Presley
662-621-4157

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the Sunflower River Blues festival

5 grant(s) awarded in Coahoma County totaling \$49,420

Copiah

Name: Chautauqua Arts Foundation, Inc

Address: P. O. Box 342
Crystal Springs, MS 39059

Michael Williams
601-672-2531

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the "Rock the Park" event

Name: City of Hazlehurst

Address: 209 South Extension Street
Hazlehurst, MS 39083

Valarie Robinson
601-894-3131

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the 2017 Rockin Railroad Festival

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Copiah

Name: City of Hazlehurst

Address: 209 South Extension Street
Hazlehurst, MS 39083

Valarie Robinson
601-894-3131

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artist Dexter Allen

3 grant(s) awarded in Copiah County totaling \$8,000

Covington

Name: Hanna Miller

Address: P. O. Box 2158
Collins, MS 39428

601-447-8357

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: for marketing materials

Name: William Gale Rogers

Address: 244 Pickering-Rogers Road
Collins, MS 39428

601-641-2358

Grant Awarded: \$2,000

Description: for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

2 grant(s) awarded in Covington County totaling \$2,500

Desoto

Name: DeSoto Arts Council

Address: P. O. Box 718
Hernando, MS 38632

Margaret Yates
662-404-3361

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artist Sharon McConnell-Dickerson

Name: DeSoto Arts Council

Address: P. O. Box 718
Hernando, MS 38632

Margaret Yates
662-404-3361

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: DeSoto Family Theatre

Address: 9105 Highway 51 N
Southaven, MS 38671

Susan Clements
662-280-6546

Grant Awarded: \$21,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

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Desoto

Name: Natasha Betts

Address: 4420 Sunset Road

Nesbit, MS 38651

901-399-4590

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: for marketing materials

Name: Roger Allan Cleaves

Address: 3731 Banks Road

Southaven, MS 38672

901-491-3647

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Visual Arts Fellowship

5 grant(s) awarded in Desoto County totaling \$41,500

Forrest

Name: Hattiesburg Arts Council

Address: P. O. Box 693

Hattiesburg, MS 39403

Rebekah S. Johnson

601-583-6005

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Hattiesburg Concert Association

Address: P.O. Box 16028

Hattiesburg, MS 39404

Rachel Ciraldo

601-582-5555

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Hsiaopei Lee

Address: 618 Woodland Hills Drive

Hattiesburg, MS 39402

601-467-5725

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Performing Arts Fellowship

Name: Mississippi Music Teachers Association

Address: 205 N. 24th Avenue

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

Victoria Johnson

601-320-2121

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the 63rd Mississippi Music Teachers Association conference

4 grant(s) awarded in Forrest County totaling \$47,200

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Grenada

Name: Grenada Community Foundation

Address: 81 S. Church Street

Grenada, MS 38901

Katrina Kinder

917-853-3598

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Afterglow Film Festival

1 grant(s) awarded in Grenada County totaling \$4,100

Hancock

Name: Alice Moseley Folk Art & Antique Museum

Address: P. O. Box 3002

Bay Saint Louis, MS 39521

Donna Oakley

228-467-9223

Grant Awarded: \$5,250

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Carolyn Busenlener

Address: 6007 Jenness Road

Pearlington, MS 39572-7629

504-296-3843

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to purchase art supplies

Name: Hancock Performing Arts Center

Address: 7140 Stennis Airport Road

Kiln, MS 39556

Catherine Tibbs

228 255 6247

Grant Awarded: \$1,800

Description: to support an Artist in Residence program for home school students

Name: MAP-Music, Arts and Practicality, Inc.

Address: 4097 Cardinal Street

Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Betty Patecek

228-332-6183

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support a 4-week musical theater and workshop project

Name: Ruth Miller

Address: 9051 Alafia Way

Picayune, MS 39466

769-242-8431

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Visual Arts Fellowship

5 grant(s) awarded in Hancock County totaling \$16,050

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Harrison

Name: Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra

Address: 11975 Seaway Road, Suite B233
Gulfport, MS 39503

Dhiana McKaig
228-896-4276

Grant Awarded: \$18,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Gulf Coast Symphony Orchestra

Address: 11975 Seaway Road, Suite B233
Gulfport, MS 39503

Daniel Martinez
228-896-4276

Grant Awarded: \$10,000

Description: for the Link UP Arts Education Initiative

Name: Gulfport Little Theatre

Address: P. O. Box 567
Gulfport, MS 39502

Cal Walters
228-864-7983

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Land Trust for the Mississippi Coastal Plain

Address: P. O. Box 245
Biloxi, MS 39533

Melanie Allen
228-435-9191

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support an Artist in Residence program

Name: Lynn Meadows Discovery Center

Address: 246 Dolan Avenue
Gulfport, MS 39507

Penny Patterson
228-897-6039

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art

Address: P O Box 248
Biloxi, MS 39533

Carol Messer
228-374-5547

Grant Awarded: \$21,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Sadako Lewis

Address: 513 Evergreen Drive
Long Beach, MS 39560

228-224-2762

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to purchase art supplies

Name: St. James Catholic Elementary School

Address: 603 West Avenue
Gulfport, MS 39507

Terese G. Evans
228-896-6631

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the annual Spring Musical

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Harrison

8 grant(s) awarded in Harrison County totaling **\$95,200**

Hinds

Name: Alicia Sanders-Eichelberger

Address: 4616 Meadowridge Drive
Jackson, MS 39206

602-772-0513

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Performing Arts Fellowship

Name: Ballet Mississippi

Address: P. O. Box 1787
Jackson, MS 39215

Alice A. Lusk
601-960-1560

Grant Awarded: \$21,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Central Mississippi Blues Society, Inc.

Address: P. O. Box 8314
Jackson, MS 39284

Malcollm Shepherd
601-291-2811

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artist King Edward

Name: City of Byram

Address: P. O. Box 720222
Byram, MS 39272

Dorian Allen
601-372-7746

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the Swinging Bridge Festival

Name: Crossroads Film Society

Address: P. O. Box 22604
Jackson, MS 39225

Michele Baker
601-345-5674

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the 2018 Crossroads Film Festival

Name: Daniel Johnson

Address: 477 Pimlico Place
Jackson, MS 39211

601-497-7454

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to enhance promotional materials

Name: DeAnna Tisdale Johnson

Address: 829 W Lake Dockery Drive
Byram, MS 39272

601-951-8686

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Performing Arts Fellowship

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Hinds

Name: Farish Street Heritage Festival

Address: P. O. Box 59554
Jackson, MS 39284

Alberta Ross Gibson
601-948-5667

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Farish Street Heritage Festival

Name: Greater Jackson Arts Council

Address: 201 East Pascagoula St, Suite 103
Jackson, MS 39201

Jon Salem
601-960-1557

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Jackson Choral Society

Address: P. O. Box 4211
Jackson, MS 39296

John McMillan
601-260-6356

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the fall program; From the Rising of the Sun

Name: Jimmi Mayes

Address: 1542 Barrett Avenue
Jackson, MS 39204

312-841-2667

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Folk Arts Fellowship

Name: JSU/MW Alexander National Research Ctr.

Address: PO. Box 17008
Jackson, MS 39217

Robert Lockett
601-979-3935

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present Mary Emma Graham Airea Matthews

Name: JSU/MW Alexander National Research Ctr.

Address: PO. Box 17008
Jackson, MS 39217

Helen Crump
601-979-3935

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the MWC Creative Arts Festival

Name: Life Care Wellness PEP for Angels

Address: 1526 Brecon Drive
Jackson, MS 39211

Jean Farish
601-853-8359

Grant Awarded: \$962

Description: to present roster artists: Campbell/Jones/LaChance/Roberts/Jernigan

Name: MDAH/Winterville Mounds

Address: 200 North Street
Jackson, MS 39201

Mark Howell
601-576-6850

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the Native American Days celebration

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Hinds

Name: Millsaps College/Arts & Lecture Series

Address: 1701 North State Street
Jackson, MS 39210

Nola Gibson
601-974-1130

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the 2017 - 2018 Millsaps Arts and Lecture Series

Name: Mississippi Academy of Ancient Music

Address: 103 Magnolia Street
Edwards, MS 39066

Richard McGinnis
601-594-5584

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support five music concerts

Name: Mississippi Boychoir

Address: P. O. Box 16395
Jackson, MS 39236

Nancy Robertson
601-665-7374

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Children's Museum

Address: P. O. Box 55409
Jackson, MS 39296

Susan Garrard
601-709-8357

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Girlchoir

Address: 1991 Lakeland Drive, Suite M
Jackson, MS 39216

Kathryn Rodenmeyer
601-981-9863

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present Lynnel Joy Jenkins of the Princeton Girlchoir

Name: Mississippi Girlchoir

Address: 1991 Lakeland Drive, Suite M
Jackson, MS 39216

Kathryn Rodenmeyer
601-981-9863

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Heritage Trust

Address: P. O. Box 577
Jackson, MS 39205

Lolly Rash
601-354-0200

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the 10 Most Endangered Historic Places in Mississippi

Name: Mississippi Humanities Council

Address: 3825 Ridgewood Road Room 317
Jackson, MS 39211

Caroline Gillespie
601-432-6752

Grant Awarded: \$3,960

Description: to support the Mississippi Humanities Council's Family Literary Project

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Hinds

Name: Mississippi Museum of Art
Address: 380 South Lamar Street
Jackson, MS 39201
Vince Evans
601-960-1515
Grant Awarded: \$26,100
Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Opera Association, Inc.
Address: P. O. Box 1551
Jackson, MS 39215
Tippy Garner
601-960-2300
Grant Awarded: \$14,000
Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Puppetry Guild, Inc.
Address: P. O. Box 12123
Jackson, MS 39236
T. J. McSparrin
601-977-9840
Grant Awarded: \$4,500
Description: to support a season of puppetry shows

Name: Mississippi Symphony Orchestra
Address: P. O. Box 2052
Jackson, MS 39225
West Sweatt
601-960-1565
Grant Awarded: \$21,000
Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Symphony Orchestra
Address: P. O. Box 2052
Jackson, MS 39225
West Sweatt
601-960-1565
Grant Awarded: \$5,000
Description: for the Link UP Arts Education Initiative

Name: New Stage Theatre
Address: 1100 Carlisle Street
Jackson, MS 39202
Francine Thomas Reynolds
601-948-3533
Grant Awarded: \$1,000
Description: to attend the Theatre Communications Conference

Name: New Stage Theatre
Address: 1100 Carlisle Street
Jackson, MS 39202
Dawn Buck
601-948-3533
Grant Awarded: \$26,100
Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Pearl Street Community Development Corp. Inc.
Address: 2519 Robinson Street, 2nd Floor
Jackson, MS 39209
Deb Giles
601-355-0001
Grant Awarded: \$4,500
Description: to support quilting classes

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Name: The Mississippi Chorus

Address: P. O. Box 13407
Jackson, MS 39236-3407

Mark Nabholz
601-278-3351

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to hire a consultant

Name: The Mississippi Chorus

Address: P. O. Box 13407
Jackson, MS 39236-3407

Mark Nabholz
601-278-3351

Grant Awarded: \$17,400

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: The Oaks House Museum

Address: P. O. Box 4240
Jackson, MS 39296

Beth Batton
601-353-9339

Grant Awarded: \$450

Description: to present roster artist Anne B. McKee

Name: USA International Ballet Competition

Address: P. O. Box 3696
Jackson, MS 39207

Brenda Trigg
601-355-9853

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: VSA Mississippi, Inc

Address: P. O. Box 2364
Jackson, MS 39225

Catherine Edwards
601 278-1983

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artist Chuck Galey

36 grant(s) awarded in Hinds County totaling \$285,072

Jackson

Name: Friends of the Mary C. O'Keefe Cultural Center of Arts & Education

Address: 1600 Government Street
Ocean Springs, MS 39564-3828

Stacy Howell
228-818-2878

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to attend the 2017 Performance Arts Exchange Conference

Name: Friends of the Mary C. O'Keefe Cultural Center of Arts & Education

Address: 1600 Government Street
Ocean Springs, MS 39564-3828

Michele Moore
228-818-2878

Grant Awarded: \$21,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

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Jackson

Name: Gulf Coast Messiah Chorus

Address: P. O. Box 83
Ocean Springs, MS 39566

Debby Levy
228-875-9614

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to present five classical choral concerts on the Mississippi Gulf Coast

Name: Historic Ocean Springs Association

Address: P. O. Box 552
Ocean Springs, MS 39566

Melanie Allen
228-872-0846

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the acquisition and installation of an art piece

Name: Kenneth William Davies

Address: 1418 Louis Alexis Trail
Gautier, MS 39553

228-522-0028

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend a music composers' conference

Name: Mary Hardy

Address: 6804 Corto Road
Ocean Springs, MS 39564

228-369-4967

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend a professional development workshop

Name: Melange Dance Company

Address: P. O. Box 1121
Pascagoula, MS 39568

Felicia Busby
228-762-6493

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Theatre Association

Address: P. O. Box 625
Ocean Springs, MS 39566

Stacy Howell
601-201-9564

Grant Awarded: \$10,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Walter Anderson Museum of Art

Address: 510 Washington Avenue
Ocean Springs, MS 39564

Julie B. Franc
228-872-3164

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to attend the Southeastern Museums Conference

Name: Walter Anderson Museum of Art

Address: 510 Washington Avenue
Ocean Springs, MS 39564

Julie B. Franc
228-872-3164

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

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Jackson

10 grant(s) awarded in Jackson County totaling \$58,000

Jones

Name: Lauren Rogers Museum of Art

Address: P. O. Box 1108
Laurel, MS 39441

Holly Green
601-649-6374

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi Alliance for Arts Education

Address: 2140 N. 7th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440

Penny Wallin
601-310-1095

Grant Awarded: \$7,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

2 grant(s) awarded in Jones County totaling \$33,600

Lafayette

Name: Andi Bedsworth

Address: 133 Eagle Pointe Loop
Oxford, MS 38655

662-380-1940

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend a professional development conference

Name: Beth Ann Fennelly

Address: 400 Sisk Avenue
Oxford, MS 38655

662-513-4327

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to support a website project

Name: Friends of Thacker Mountain Radio, Inc.

Address: P. O. Box 2196
Oxford, MS 38655

Katherine Teague
251-243-1757

Grant Awarded: \$17,400

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Micah Everett

Address: 303 Fox Hollow Cove
Taylor, MS 38673

662-701-0642

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Performing Arts Fellowship

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Lafayette

Name: Oxford Community Market

Address: P. O. Box 2971
Oxford, MS 38655

Betsy Chapman
662-816-7413

Grant Awarded: \$3,034

Description: to support the OXCM's Music and the Market project

Name: Oxford Film Festival

Address: P. O. Box 727
Oxford, MS 38655

Melanie Addington
877-560-3456

Grant Awarded: \$18,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Yocona International Folk Festival

Address: 130 Leighton Road
Oxford, MS 38655

Kevin Guyer
901-237-9091

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to present roster artist Ricky Burkhead

Name: Yoknapatawpha Arts Council

Address: P. O. Box 544
Oxford, MS 38655

Caitlin Hopper
662-236-6429

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

8 grant(s) awarded in Lafayette County totaling \$71,034

Lamar

Name: Oak Grove Primary School

Address: 70 Leaf Lane
Hattiesburg, MS 39402

Ann Nelson
601-264-9764

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to continue arts integrated instruction

1 grant(s) awarded in Lamar County totaling \$4,500

Lauderdale

Name: Meridian Council for the Arts

Address: P. O. Box 1405
Meridian, MS, MS 39302-1405

Laura Carmichael
601-693-2787

Grant Awarded: \$4,200

Description: for an Operating Grant

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Lauderdale

Name: Meridian Little Theatre

Address: P. O. Box 3157

Meridian, MS 39303

Elinor M. Massey

601-482-6371

Grant Awarded: \$14,700

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Meridian Museum of Art

Address: P. O. Box 5773

Meridian, MS 39302

Kate Cherry

601-693-1501

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Meridian Symphony Association, Inc.

Address: P. O. Box 2171

Meridian, MS 39302

Susie Johnson

601-693-2224

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for the Link UP Arts Education Initiative

Name: Meridian Symphony Association, Inc.

Address: P. O. Box 2171

Meridian, MS 39302

Susie Johnson

601-693-2224

Grant Awarded: \$17,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Richelle Putnam

Address: 600 Old Country Club Road

Meridian, MS 39305

601-880-1089

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend the Online News Association Conference in Washington, D.C.

Name: The Montgomery Institute

Address: 200 24th Avenue South

Meridian, MS 39301

Richelle Putnam

601-483-2661

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Highway 80 Songwriters' Fest

7 grant(s) awarded in Lauderdale County totaling \$60,000

Lee

Name: Amanda Koonlaba

Address: 135 Jim Warren Cove

Saltillo, MS 38866

6623220476

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to purchase art supplies

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Lee

Name: Boys & Girls Club of North MS Inc.	
Address: P. O. Box 1098	Lucia Randle
Tupelo, MS 38802	662-841-6504
Grant Awarded: \$4,100	
Description: to support the ballroom dance program	
Name: Create Foundation, Inc.	
Address: P. O. Box 1053	Lori Grelen
Tupelo, MS 38802-1053	662-844-8989
Grant Awarded: \$4,100	
Description: to support the ballet Giselle	
Name: Harrisburg Cultural & Social Service Center-dba/LinkCentre	
Address: 1800 West Main Street	Melanie Deas
Tupelo, MS 38801	662-690-4011
Grant Awarded: \$26,100	
Description: for an Operating Grant	
Name: North Mississippi Symphony Orchestra	
Address: 1800 West Main Street, Symphony Suite #4	Lynne Mize
Tupelo, MS 38801	662-842-8433
Grant Awarded: \$21,000	
Description: for an Operating Grant	
Name: North Mississippi Symphony Orchestra	
Address: 1800 West Main Street, Symphony Suite #4	Lynne Mize
Tupelo, MS 38801	662-842-8433
Grant Awarded: \$12,500	
Description: for the Link UP Arts Education Initiative	
Name: Trinette Rainey	
Address: 1125 Woodlawn Street	
Tupelo, MS 38804	662-308-8353
Grant Awarded: \$5,000	
Description: for a Literary Arts Fellowship	
Name: Tupelo Ballet	
Address: 775 Poplarville Street	Sharon Long
Tupelo, MS 38801	662-844-1928
Grant Awarded: \$12,000	
Description: for an Operating Grant	
8 grant(s) awarded in Lee County totaling	\$85,300

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Leflore

Name: ArtPlace Mississippi, Inc.

Address: 212 West Washington Street
Greenwood, MS 38930

Hart Henson
662-455-2864

Grant Awarded: \$8,700

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Greenwood Little Theatre

Address: P. O. Box 246
Greenwood, MS 38935

Steve Iwanski
662-947-1075

Grant Awarded: \$1,350

Description: to support a Shakespeare Summer Program

Name: Main Street Greenwood

Address: P. O. Box 8236
Greenwood, MS 38935

Brantley Snipes
662-453-7625

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Que on the Yazoo festival

Name: Museum of the Mississippi Delta

Address: 1608 Highway 82 West
Greenwood, MS 38930

Cheryl Taylor Thornhill
662-453-0925

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

4 grant(s) awarded in Leflore County totaling \$28,150

Lincoln

Name: Brookhaven Little Theatre

Address: P. O. Box 943
Brookhaven, MS 39602

Emily Waterloo
601-990-2243

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Mississippi School of the Arts Foundation

Address: P. O. Box 229
Brookhaven, MS 39602

Suzanne Hirsch
601-823-1300

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support an outreach program

Name: Regina Derstine

Address: 615 Urban Lane
Brookhave, MS 39601

601-953-1094

Grant Awarded: \$2,000

Description: for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

3 grant(s) awarded in Lincoln County totaling \$20,500

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Lowndes

Name: Columbus Arts Council

Address: 501 Main Street

Columbus, MS 39701

Beverly Norris

662-328-2787

Grant Awarded: \$522

Description: to present roster artist Tricia Walker

Name: Columbus Arts Council

Address: 501 Main Street

Columbus, MS 39701

Beverly Norris

662-328-2787

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: East Mississippi Community College

Address: P.O. Box 100, 8731 Frontage Rd.

Mayhew, MS 39753

Don Rodney Vaughan

662-243-2629

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to present the Glass Menagerie by Tennessee Williams

Name: Mississippi University for Women

Address: 1100 College Street W-969

Columbus, MS 39701

Julia Mortyakova

662-329-7462

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Music by Women Festival

4 grant(s) awarded in Lowndes County totaling \$34,822

Madison

Name: Cherita Brent

Address: 133 Derby Drive

Madison, MS 39110

601-951-5678

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Performing Arts Fellowship

Name: Craftsmen's Guild of Mississippi, Inc.

Address: 950 Rice Road

Ridgeland, MS 39157

Nancy Perkins

601-856-7546

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Madison Avenue Upper Elementary

Address: 1209 Madison Avenue

Madison, MS 39110

Bethany Berry

601-856-6609

Grant Awarded: \$900

Description: to present Puppet Arts Theatre

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Madison

Name: Mississippi Metropolitan Ballet Company

Address: 110 Homestead Park
Madison, MS 39110

Crystal Skelton
601-853-4508

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

4 grant(s) awarded in Madison County totaling \$44,000

Marshall

Name: North Mississippi Hill Country Picnic, Inc

Address: P.O. Box 392
Potts Camp, MS 38659

Geroganna Atkins
662-801-7272

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the North Mississippi Hill Country Picnic

1 grant(s) awarded in Marshall County totaling \$3,500

Monroe

Name: Aberdeen Main Street Inc.

Address: P. O. Box 127
Aberdeen, MS 39730

Matthias Fischer
662-369-4864

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artists Kenny Brown and Joe Shelton

1 grant(s) awarded in Monroe County totaling \$1,000

Montgomery

Name: Action Communication and Education Reform, Inc

Address: 610 Head Start Street
Duck Hill, MS 38925

Lydia Seals
662-565-2478

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Grassroots Blues Festival

Name: Town of Duck Hill

Address: P. O. Box 368
Duck Hill, MS 38925

LaSonja Sizemore
662-565-7200

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the Lucie E. Campbell Gospel and Heritage Festival

2 grant(s) awarded in Montgomery County totaling \$7,600

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Neshoba

Name: Neshoba Central Elementary School

Address: 1002 St. Francis Drive
Philadelphia, MS 39350-2030

Tiffany Plott
601-656-2182

Grant Awarded: \$900

Description: to present Puppet Arts Theatre

Name: Philadelphia-Neshoba County Arts Council

Address: P. O. Box 131
Philadelphia, MS 39350

Terri Donald
601-656-9838

Grant Awarded: \$3,750

Description: for an Operating Grant

2 grant(s) awarded in Neshoba County totaling \$4,650

Noxubee

Name: Joe Shelton

Address: 3318 Jefferson Street
Macon, MS 39341

662-726-9893

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Folk Arts Fellowship

1 grant(s) awarded in Noxubee County totaling \$5,000

Oktibbeha

Name: Mississippi State University Libraries

Address: P. O. Box 5408
Miss State, MS 39762

Stephen Cunetto
662-325-8542

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to present the 2018 Charles Templeton Ragtime and Jazz Festival

Name: MSU Foundation/Starkville-MSU Symphony Association

Address: P. O. Box 6149
Mississippi State, MS 39762

Joe Ray Underwood
662-235-7000

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for the Link UP Arts Education Initiative

Name: MSU/University Television Center

Address: P. O. Box 6101
Mississippi State, MS 39762

David Garraway
662-325-1332

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Music Makers Presents television and radio program

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Oktibbeha

Name: Pilot Club of Starkville, Inc.

Address: 509 South Jackson Street
Starkville, MS 39759

Chris Emplaincourt
202-441-8845

Grant Awarded: \$3,375

Description: to support the purchase and installation of musical instruments

Name: Robert Long

Address: 360 Sykes Road
Starkville, MS 39759-2775

662-324-5713

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for a Visual Arts Fellowship

Name: Starkville Area Arts Council

Address: 101 South Lafayette St, Suite 18
Starkville, MS 39759

Walter Diehl
662-324-3080

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Starkville Community Theatre

Address: P. O. Box 1254
Starkville, MS 39760

Gabe Smith
662-323-6855

Grant Awarded: \$17,400

Description: for an Operating Grant

7 grant(s) awarded in Oktibbeha County totaling \$50,975

Panola

Name: North Delta Planning and Development District, Inc.

Address: P. O. Box 1488
Batesville, MS 38606

Lillain Morris-Hilson
662-561-4100

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the creation of a mural

1 grant(s) awarded in Panola County totaling \$4,100

Pike

Name: Clinnesha Sibley

Address: 2099 McKenzie Road
McComb, MS 39648

601-810-2393

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend a playwriting/production workshop

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Pike

Name: Pike School of Art - Mississippi

Address: P. O. Box 446

Summit, MS 39666

Calvin Phelps

601-680-0342

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support an art exhibition project

2 grant(s) awarded in Pike County totaling \$5,000

Pontotoc

Name: Pontotoc Elementary School

Address: 145 Fred Dowdy Avenue

Pontotoc, MS 38863

Sherry Donaldson

662-489-4973

Grant Awarded: \$900

Description: to present Puppet Arts Theatre

1 grant(s) awarded in Pontotoc County totaling \$900

Rankin

Name: Lisa Dunn

Address: 1809 Highway 43 South

Pelahatchie, MS 39145

601-316-4675

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend the Embroidery Guild of America's National Seminar

Name: Town of Pelahatchie

Address: P. O. Box 229

Pelahatchie, MS 39145

Bettye Massey

601-854-5224

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support the Muscadine Jubilee Festival

2 grant(s) awarded in Rankin County totaling \$4,600

Sharkey

Name: Mississippi Lower Delta Partnership

Address: P. O. Box 214

Rolling Fork, MS 39159

Meg Cooper

662-873-6261

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artists Dayton Scoggins

Name: Mississippi Lower Delta Partnership

Address: P. O. Box 214

Rolling Fork, MS 39159

Meg Cooper

662-873-6261

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the Great Delta Bear Affair festival

2 grant(s) awarded in Sharkey County totaling \$5,500

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Sunflower

Name: B.B. King Museum

Address: 400 Second Street Verna Ransom
Indianola, MS 38751 662-887-9539

Grant Awarded: \$26,100

Description: for an Operating Grant

1 grant(s) awarded in Sunflower County totaling \$26,100

Tallahatchie

Name: Carol Roark

Address: 5072 MS Highway 35 N
Enid, MS 38927 662-934-1617

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to attend a professional development workshop

Name: Charleston Arts and Revitalization Effort

Address: P. O. Box 1092 Jason Williams
Charleston, MS 38921 662-647-0942

Grant Awarded: \$5,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

2 grant(s) awarded in Tallahatchie County totaling \$5,500

Tate

Name: Independence Arts Conservatory & Conference Center

Address: P. O. Box 122 Jamie Thompson
Independence, MS 38638 662-689-0378

Grant Awarded: \$3,500

Description: to support the Saturday Scene arts program

Name: MidSouth Music Institute, Inc.

Address: 653 Oakley Road Joelle Norris
Senatobia, MS 38668 901-461-4263

Grant Awarded: \$14,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

2 grant(s) awarded in Tate County totaling \$17,500

Union

Name: Friends of the Jennie Stephens Smith Library - Union County

Address: P. O. Box 657 Jill Smith
New Albany, MS 38652 662-316-1129

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present John Maxwell

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Union

Name: Union Cty Historical Society and Heritage Museum

Address: P. O. Box 657
New Albany, MS 38652

Jill N. Smith
662-538-0014

Grant Awarded: \$1,800

Description: to support the fabrication of an exhibit

2 grant(s) awarded in Union County totaling \$2,800

Warren

Name: American Guild of Organists

Address: 121 Rollingwood Drive
Vicksburg, MS 39183

Carol Durham
601-218-1371

Grant Awarded: \$4,100

Description: to support five organ recitals

Name: Jerry Jenkins

Address: 1423 Harrison Street
Vicksburg, MS 39180

601-622-7303

Grant Awarded: \$500

Description: to purchase supplies

Name: Jerry Jenkins

Address: 1423 Harrison Street
Vicksburg, MS 39180

601-622-7303

Grant Awarded: \$2,000

Description: for a Folk Arts Apprenticeship

Name: Southern Cultural Heritage Foundation

Address: 1302 Adams Street
Vicksburg, MS 39180

Stacey Massey
601-631-2997

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

4 grant(s) awarded in Warren County totaling \$18,600

Washington

Name: Delta Center Stage

Address: P. O. Box 14
Greenville, MS 38701

Timothy Bixler
662-378-9849

Grant Awarded: \$17,400

Description: for an Operating Grant

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Washington

Name: Delta Children's Museum

Address: P. O. Box 1194

Greenville, MS 38702

Judy Long

662-378-8645

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to present the Performing Arts Series 2017-2018

Name: Greater Greenville Development Foundation

Address: 503 Washington Avenue

Greenville, MS 38701

Gretchen Giachelli

662-378-3121

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the Delta Hot Tamale Festival

Name: Greenville Arts Council

Address: 323 South Main Street

Greenville, MS 38701

Lesedi Chambers

662-332-2246

Grant Awarded: \$12,000

Description: for an Operating Grant

Name: Greenville Renaissance Scholars

Address: 323 South Main Street

Greenville, MS 38701

Andrea Fisher

662-820-5047

Grant Awarded: \$1,000

Description: to present roster artist Robin Whitfield

Name: Mississippi Action for Community Education, Inc.

Address: 119 South Theobald Street

Greenville, MS 38701

Charlotte Mosson

662-335-3523

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: for an Operating Grant

6 grant(s) awarded in Washington County totaling \$43,900

Wayne

Name: Waynesboro-Wayne Co Library System

Address: 1103 A Mississippi Drive

Waynesboro, MS 39367

Patsy Brewer

601-735-2268

Grant Awarded: \$900

Description: to present Puppet Arts Theatre

1 grant(s) awarded in Wayne County totaling \$900

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Wilkinson

Name: Woodville/Wilkinson County Main Street Association

Address: P. O. Box 1546

Woodville, MS 39669

Polly A. Rosenblatt

601-888-3998

Grant Awarded: \$4,500

Description: to support the Woodville Deer and Wildlife Festival

1 grant(s) awarded in Wilkinson County totaling \$4,500