



City of San Antonio

Agenda Memorandum

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In Control: San Antonio Arts Commission

DEPARTMENT: Department of Arts and Culture

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Krystal Jones

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: Citywide

SUBJECT:

Arts Funding: FY25 Events Grant Funding Recommendations (Action)

SUMMARY:

The Department of Arts and Culture offers grants to qualifying San Antonio-based nonprofits for the presentation/production of one (1) artistic event. The event must exemplify and increase access to the arts and culture of San Antonio.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Grant amounts are not to exceed 20% of an event's budget for a maximum of \$20,000 and subject to funding availability. Grants are awarded on a three-year cycle (FY25, FY26, and FY27) with an annual renewal process. Funding is dependent upon eligibility and the availability of funds.

The Arts Funding Committee approved the FY25 events grant funding recommendations at their meeting on June 27, 2024.

ISSUE:

Approval of the recommendation is required by the San Antonio Arts Commission.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding for the events grant will be included in the Department of Arts and Culture's FY25 Budget.

ALTERNATIVES:

The alternative would be to delay the item until the Arts Funding Committee could convene at a future meeting.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the events grant funding.