



City of San Antonio

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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:

Briefing: FY24 Project Grants for Individual Artists

SUMMARY:

On Tuesday, July 11, 2023 the San Antonio Arts Commission approved the fiscal year 2024 Project Grants for Individual Artists to qualifying professional artists based in San Antonio. A total of 208 artists submitted applications with budget available for 50 grantees. Categories available: Visual, Performing, Media, Literary and Multimedia. Applications were scored by an independent panel of arts professionals.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Department of Arts and Culture's Core Grant Funding Program Guidelines includes annual Project Grants for Individual Artists. These \$5,000 grants are open to qualifying artists based in San Antonio to create and present new project works throughout the city. The Department of Arts and Culture will manage a grant process for the competitive grant.

ISSUE:

This is a briefing item.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Funding for the FY24 Project Grants for Individual Artists will be included in the Department of Arts and Culture's FY24 Budget.

ALTERNATIVES:

There are no alternatives, as this is a briefing item.

RECOMMENDATION:

There are no recommendations, as this is a briefing item.