



**The Future of San Antonio Arts
& Culture is in **YOUR** hands!**

Arts Agency Funding

Cul-TU-Art is a coordinated planning document that identifies strategies for 6 focus areas following a survey and thorough community/stakeholder input process:

- 10/2016 **Film**
- 2/2017 **Centro de Artes**
- 2/2018 **Public Art**
- 2/2018 **Arts Agency Funding Guidelines**
- 9/2018 **Music**
- 9/2018 **Cultural Districts Framework**

VISION: San Antonio will be internationally celebrated as a confluence of living arts & authentic cultures. Our City will inspire local participation, inclusion & pride in all of its arts, and create economic conditions where artists & the arts thrive. – *San Antonio Arts Commission (CulTUArt Plan Steering Committee)*

Eligibility Requirements:

- ✓ Must be SA based Arts or Cultural Non-Profit up to date w/ IRS
- ✓ Eligibility requires 3 year history of operations
- ✓ Data Profile Tool (Reporting & Administrative Capability)
- ✓ Online Application Process
- ✓ Board Diversity
- ✓ Capacity Building Programs
- ✓ Collaboration
- ✓ Policy on payment of Professional Artists
- ✓ Accessibility (Locations & Cost)
- ✓ Audience engagement
- ✓ Artistic excellence & innovative programming

Cultural Specific Support

Agencies who's Missions are to Preserve/Promote specific women or minority cultures (African American, Asian American, Hispanic American, Native American) will receive additional funding.

FY19 = 15% of operating budget up to \$125,000
FY20 = 17.5% of operating budget up to \$137,500
FY21 = 20% of operating budget up to \$150,000

3 Year Funding Cycle

Agencies will be funded in the following priority order:

1. Festivals
2. Artist Re-Granting
3. Cultural Specific Support
4. Base Operational – includes safeguard for decreases. Increases prioritized as follows:
 - a. Cultural Specific Agencies
 - b. Small Organizations < \$1M
 - c. New Small
 - d. Mid-size Organizations \$1M - \$3M
 - e. New Mid-Size
 - f. Large Organizations >\$3M
 - g. New Large
5. Capacity Building – a minimum of \$75,000 shall be allocated in the category.

* Rent reduction in city performance facilities

Base Operational Funding Scale

Total Agency Operating Budget	Current City Max Award	New City Award*
< \$0.5	50%	30%
\$0.5 M - \$1M	20%-50%	25%
\$1M-\$2M	20%	20%
\$2M - \$4M	10%	15%
\$4M -\$6M	10%	10%
\$6M- \$10M	10%	5%
\$10M - \$15 M	10%	3%
> \$15 M	10%	0%

*Based on funding availability using the priority order.

*Pass or fail provided agency meets requirements.

*Removes risk / increases accountability