FY21 Approved Cultural & Community Investments

as of August 25, 2020

Organization	Project Title	Grant Amount
Operating Support Grant		
A Sign Of The Times of the Carolinas	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$17,756.30
Actor's Theatre of Charlotte	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$61,750.40
Arts+	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$118,474.91
Bechtler Museum of Modern Art	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$317,058.78
Blumenthal Performing Arts	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$200,000.00
BNS Productions	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$10,380.51
Carolina Raptor Center	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$87,642.03
Carolina Voices	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$28,010.00
Carolinas Aviation Museum	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$80,573.16
The Carolinas Latin Dance Company	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$6,190.82
Charlotte Art League	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$15,952.84
Charlotte Ballet	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$412,783.57
Charlotte Center For Literary Arts Inc	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$18,561.71
Charlotte Folk Society	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$6,635.37
Charlotte Symphony Orchestra	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$431,717.71
Children's Theatre of Charlotte	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$251,401.31
Clayworks	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$52,784.65
Davidson Community Players	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$53,247.72
Discovery Place, Inc.	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$431,717.71

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Gay Mens Chorus of Charlotte	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$12,192.02
Goodyear Arts	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$27,605.83
Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts + Culture	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$201,813.51
JazzArts Charlotte	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$58,893.37
Levine Museum of the New South	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$209,632.50
The Light Factory	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$27,718.43
Martha Connerton/Kinetic Works, Inc.	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$8,203.61
Matthews Playhouse of the Performing Arts	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$60,352.02
McColl Center for Art + Innovation	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$154,880.00
Mint Hill Arts	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$8,839.08
Mint Museum of Art, Inc.	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$509,493.60
One Voice Inc.	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$15,948.47
Opera Carolina	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$191,190.83
Que-OS	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$24,334.48
Theatre Charlotte	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$59,806.00
Three Bone Theatre	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$10,160.38
Tosco Music Parties, Inc.	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$27,233.54
Wing Haven	To provide an unrestricted investment in general operations, administration, and programs.	\$89,062.87
	Total Operating Support Grant (37 items)	\$4,300,000.04
Technical Assistance Grant		
McColl Center for Art + Innovation	To support the McColl Center's Equity and Inclusion Strategic Plan.	\$7,000.00

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		Total Technical Assistance Grant (1 item)	\$7,000.00

Grand Totals (38 items) \$4,307,000.04

Cultural Vision Grants

FY21, as of 8/25

Organization Name	Project Title	Grant Amount	
Build Community by connecting individuals across points of difference to increase understanding and acceptance and positive regard between our communities			
ArtWalks CLT	To produce "Patchwork - An East Side Art Trail," a digital art trail and commissioned works for along the Monroe Road corridor.	\$2,500.00	
Carlos Alexis Cruz	To support Confederate Flag; a Nouveau Sud urban circus take on the remnants of a historical symbol that still causes community division.	\$5,000.00	
Charlotte Film Society	To support the Charlotte Film Festival.	\$4,500.00	
Creating Exposure Through The Arts	To support the exhibition of the student documentary film "Behind The Ink" and artist talk with photographer Chi Modu in West Charlotte, South End, and University Areas (Fall 2020 through Fall 2021).	\$4,500.00	
E&A Productions, Inc.	To support the 2020 Puerto Rican Festival.	\$9,000.00	
North Mecklenburg Community Chorus, Inc.	To support North Mecklenburg Community Chorus (NMCC) in their production of a series of digital workshops and spring concert.	\$5,000.00	
Pledger, Shawnna	To support the Youth Exchange Project's two week summer intensive.	\$5,200.00	
SouthEnd ARTS	To support a quarterly series of art exhibitions and social justice talks, online and at the Charlotte Trolley Powerhouse.	\$7,500.00	
True Lobster Charlotte	To support the development and dissemination of an original performance which deconstructs power and privilege in the American South	\$5,000.00	
The Warehouse PAC	To support the production of Sweat, by Lynn Nottage.	\$4,500.00	
Weaver, Brandi	To produce an online international street food and music festival to connect Charlotte's immigrant communities to a wider audience to increase understanding and acceptance of cultural and creative expression.	\$7,500.00	
Build Community by nurturing, celebrating and supporting the authentic cultures and creative expression of historically under-invested populations.			
Bennu Gardens	To support the "Seed to Cloth" project which artistically transforms flaxseed into linen cloth through the harvest season beginning in July 2020.	\$4,000.00	
C.N. Jenkins Memorial Presbyterian - Fine Arts Ministry	The International Festival of the African Diaspora: Obsessing 400 years of Africans in America 1619-2019	\$3,475.00	

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Charlotte Museum of History	To support Free Family programming at the Charlotte Museum of History.	\$7,500.00
CineOdyssey Film Festival	To support the CineOdyssey Film Festival, which celebrates and gives voice to filmmakers of color from the African, Caribbean, Latino, Asian, and Native American diasporas as well as the U.S.	\$8,000.00
Lockett, Eboné	To support Art as Advocacy's work in Hidden Valley Neighborhood through workshops and a culimating experience in honor of Earth Day at the MLK Field of Dreams Garden.	\$8,500.00
Haigler, Angela	To support the publication of a literary quality anthology of personal essays with a performance component entitled, "Like Mother Like Daughter, Like Really? Black Women Dish about their Mamas."	\$4,000.00
Inspire the Fire, Inc.	To support "The Xperience," a summer camp offering artistic coaching and developing creative expression in students.	\$7,500.00
Kolpakov, Vadim	To support BAXTALES 2021, Charlotte's Romani music and culture festival.	\$6,000.00
Stallings, Breanna	To support community conversations around the intersections of sexuality, gender, socio-economics and access through a series of workshops culminating in a large mural with the students of Time Out Youth.	\$5,500.00
Center for Prevention Services	To support Photovoice, capturing stories of adversity and fortitude among Charlotte's drug using communities through a photographer's lens.	\$6,000.00
Increase Relevance and I	Innovation by activating nontraditional performance or exhibition where people live	on spaces close to
Barre Belle	To support the portable dance studio's delivery of ballet classes and training to students in partnerships with local community centers.	\$6,000.00
Music at St. Alban's	To support access to musical arts to residents of northern Mecklenburg County, with efforts to reach minorities, lower-income populations, children & seniors, we offer 8+ concerts in traditional &non-traditional venues.	\$8,500.00
Promise Resource Network	To support "The Art of Recovery," an array of artistic workshops and experiences aimed at building a stronger recovery community.	\$6,000.00

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Increase Relevance and Innovation by providing participatory experiences that reflect the changing communities in which we live		
Cain Center for the Arts	To support Tawba Walks Arts & Music Festivals in September 2020 and April 2021	\$6,000.00
Digi-Bridge	To support #STEAMSaturdays, a partnership between Digi- Bridge and Briarwood Academy	\$10,000.00

Grand Totals \$157,175.00