



2021 Cultural STAR Awardees

Organization Name	Proposal Title	Grant
113	2022 Twin Cities New Music Festival	\$5,000.00
American Composers Forum	Transformation: ACF amplifying equity through music	\$18,800.00
Ananya Dance Theatre	Nun Gherao	\$18,750.00
Arcata Press (dba: St. Paul Almanac)	Building Communications Capacity to Engage Our Communities	\$8,786.00
ARENA DANCES, INC.	Erased Steps	\$5,000.00
Art from the Inside MN LLC/Springboard for the Arts	Art from the Inside MN	\$16,807.00
ArtStart	Don't Push the River: It Flows By Itself	\$5,000.00
ARTS-US	ARTS Us Center for the African Diaspora	\$19,000.00
Asian Economic Development Association	2022 Little Mekong Night Market	\$19,000.00
Asian Media Access, Incorporated	W.A.T.E.R. (the Way Asian Travel, Experience, and Remembered)	\$13,800.00
BALLET CO.LABORATORY	Ballet Co.Laboratory's Emerging Choreographers Showcase	\$12,220.00
Better Family Life Minnesota	Better Family Life MN Youth Art Center @ Creators Space	\$13,250.00
Black on Black Development and Entertainment	STARVING ARTISTS PROJECT	\$5,000.00
Brownbody	Tracing Sacred Steps	\$30,000.00
Center for Hmong Arts and Talent (CHAT)	Fresh Traditions Fashion Project	\$14,100.00
Chinese American Association of Minnesota	Exploring Chinese Dance and Culture with the Young	\$20,000.00
Classical Actors Ensemble	Shakespeare in Our Parks 2022: Love's Labor's Lost	\$5,000.00
Comunidades Latinas Unidas En Servicio, Inc. (CLUES)	CLUES Latino Art Gallery Programming Series	\$19,000.00
COLLIDE Theatrical Dance Company	Free public performances of Wonderland	\$6,580.00
ComMUSICation	The Backyard Tour	\$5,000.00
COMPAS, Inc.	Emerging Young Artists Exhibit	\$8,280.00
Compassionate Action for Animals	Twin Cities Veg Fest 2021	\$5,000.00
Creative Enterprise Zone	2021 Chroma Zone Mural and Arts Festival	\$10,000.00
Dayton's Bluff Neighborhood Housing Services	Plaza de la Revolution East Side events	\$10,000.00
District 6 Planning Council	Marydale Festival 2021	\$5,000.00
East Side Freedom Library	East Side Arts and Cultural Corridor Series	\$7,500.00
East Side Neighborhood Development Company, Inc.	Solidarity Street Gallery 2021	\$17,000.00
Element Community Health Fund (dba: Co-Motion Center for Movement)	Just Move: Free Arts and Wellness Camps for Kids	\$5,000.00
Film Score Fest LLC (Fiscal Sponsor: FilmNorth)	Film Score Fest 2021	\$13,160.00
FilmNorth	Implementation and Marketing of FilmNorth's Strategic Plan to Reach Underrepresented Communities	\$5,000.00
Friends of Saint Paul College	Saint Paul College Cultural Mural Project	\$10,000.00
Frogtown Tuned-In	Growing Frogtown Radio	\$15,000.00
Full Circle Theater Company	Full Circle's Production of THE EMPATHY PROJECT	\$25,000.00
Greater Twin Cities Youth Symphonies	GTCYS Harmony Program	\$7,050.00
History Theatre, Inc	DEI Staff Capacity Building	\$21,390.00
Hmong Cultural Center Incorporated	Minnesota Qeej Festival	\$24,440.00
HOT SUMMER JAZZ FESTIVAL	2022 Twin Cities Jazz Festival	\$42,000.00
Illusion Theater and School, Inc.	PRESENT: Illusion Theater in St. Paul	\$15,600.00

In Progress	Young Stars of McDonough	\$9,400.00
Indigenous Roots	East 7th/Intertribal Cultural Corridor Planning	\$19,000.00
Irish Fair of Minnesota	Irish Fair 2021	\$14,100.00
Ka Joog Nonprofit Organization	Somali Arts Education and Community Conversations	\$20,210.00
Katha Dance Theatre	World Premiere of "KATHAK E-motion" in St. Paul	\$25,000.00
LOWERTOWN BLUES FESTIVAL	Lowertown Blues Festival	\$8,460.00
LYRA	Lyra Baroque Orchestra Concerts & Masterclasses	\$8,930.00
Midwest Special Services, Inc.	Building capacity for Fresh Eye Arts	\$5,000.00
Minnesota Children's Museum	HVAC Renovations for Minnesota Children's Museum	\$13,800.00
Minnesota Jazz Education	Jazz Artists in the Schools & Community	\$6,580.00
MINNESOTA MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART	Sutures	\$15,000.00
Music Mission	Music Mission Fall Fiesta	\$5,640.00
Nautilus Music-Theater	Nautilus Performer Fellowship Program	\$9,127.00
Northern Lights.mn, Inc.	Northern Spark 2022 Celebrates Saint Paul	\$25,000.00
One Voice Mixed Chorus	"Sound Mind" Concert at the Ordway Concert Hall	\$25,000.00
The Oratorio Society of Minnesota, Inc.	CREATION by Josef Haydn with Chorus, Soloists, Orchestra, and Writers	\$5,000.00
Ordway Center for the Performing Arts	Flint Hills Family Festival	\$35,000.00
Pan Asian Arts Alliance (Fiscal Sponsor: Asian Media Access)	Project Resonance	\$14,100.00
Park Square Theatre	Establish Effective Organizational Structure & Systems	\$13,250.00
Payne-Phalen Community Council	The Payne-Phalen Community Plan: Collaboratively Creating a Shared Vision for a Bright and Equitable Future	\$6,000.00
PENUMBRA THEATRE COMPANY, INC.	FY21 Organizational Development	\$19,000.00
Planting People Growing Justice Leadership Institute	Aya: An Anthology of Racial Justice, Healing and the Black Experience	\$5,000.00
Public Art Saint Paul	Building Public Art Saint Paul's Triennial Art Festival	\$11,750.00
Ragamala Dance	Mythology Makes Us: The Kannagi Festival	\$25,000.00
Rice Park Association	Summer Evening Music Series	\$5,000.00
The Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra Society	SPCO Outdoor Concerts in Saint Paul	\$23,500.00
The Saint Paul Civic Symphony Association	Saint Paul Civic Symphony: A Season to Remember	\$8,225.00
Saint Paul Downtown Alliance	Welcome Back Saint Paul Campaign	\$50,000.00
The Saint Paul Festival and Heritage Foundation	2022 Saint Paul Winter Carnival	\$15,000.00
THE SCIENCE MUSEUM OF MINNESOTA	Exploring Equity in MN Education	\$42,300.00
Selby Avenue JazzFest	2022 Selby Ave JazzFest	\$11,250.00
Skylark Opera, d/b/a Skylark Opera Theatre	2021 Amahl and the Night Visitors Performance	\$9,200.00
SOUNDS OF HOPE, LTD.	Songs of Hope in 2022	\$5,000.00
St. Paul Yellow Ribbon Network	Lowertown Sounds	\$16,560.00
The Steppingstone Theatre	The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats	\$26,480.00
TaikoArts Midwest	Kenny Endo 45th Anniversary Tour	\$15,000.00
The Friends of the Saint Paul Public Library	2022 Minnesota Book Awards	\$5,640.00
The Great Northern Winter Festival	Conservatory	\$20,000.00
The Minnesota Opera	Opera in the Outfield	\$5,000.00
The Schubert Club	Rejoin, Recover, Rebuild: PaviElle French In Concert & In The Community	\$8,000.00
TWIN CITIES IRANIAN CULTURE COLLECTIVE	Twin Cities Iranian Culture Festival	\$9,400.00
Twin Cities Public Television, Inc.	ART IS Season 4	\$15,000.00
Urban Boatbuilders, Inc.	Boatbuilding Apprenticeship for Youth	\$10,000.00
Victoria Theater Arts Center	Victoria Theater Arts Center Lighting System	\$34,375.00
VocalEssence	VocalEssence "Choosing Love"	\$5,000.00

Walker - West Music Academy	Jazz Intensive Summer Camps	\$8,265.00
Wonderlust Productions	Lost & Found: Collective Contact Tracing	\$9,400.00
XV Latvian Song and Dance Festival, Inc.	Latvian Song and Dance Festival	\$13,250.00
Youth Performance Company	Soundproofing for Youth Performance Company	\$5,295.00
Zeitgeist	Halloween at Studio Z	\$7,050.00
Zorongo Flamenco, Inc	CASITA	\$5,000.00
City of Saint Paul / Saint Paul Public Library	Saint Paul Public Library Collection Materials	\$175,000.00
		\$1,414,050.00