



ANNUAL REPORT

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2013 - 14 YEAR IN REVIEW



ADVANCING CALIFORNIA THROUGH THE ARTS AND CREATIVITY

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WELCOME

To say this has been an eventful year for the arts in California would be quite the understatement. It has been an extraordinary year, an historic year – a year with milestones and achievements that will live on in our communities for many years to come.

This report reflects on the 2013-14 fiscal year at the California Arts Council. As you will see on the pages that follow, support for the arts in our state experienced renewed momentum throughout the year.

Our first milestone was July 15, 2013, when the Arts Council received a special one-time \$2 million grant from savings in the Assembly budget, passed on to us by Assembly Speaker John A. Pérez. California's children and communities were greatly boosted by this investment, with new programs and initiatives created to reach across the state. These investments reflect the Council's longstanding commitment to young people, and a desire to stimulate economic development in diverse communities across the state.

These new opportunities reinvigorated California communities, with many organizations engaging with the Arts Council for the first time in years—or, in some cases, for the first time ever. The interest and enthusiasm for these programs showed the great need for arts funding in our communities. With this support, the Arts Council funded two major arts education initiatives and 34 grant projects, reaching 43 California counties.

In February 2014, the Arts Council and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) embarked on a partnership for an 18-month, \$2.5 million Arts-in-Corrections pilot program in California state prisons. The Arts Council contracted seven arts organizations with dozens of artists scheduled to provide more than 10,000 hours of arts programming in 14 state prisons in the first year. This pilot has received recognition from national organizations including

the National Endowment for the Arts and the Huffington Post.

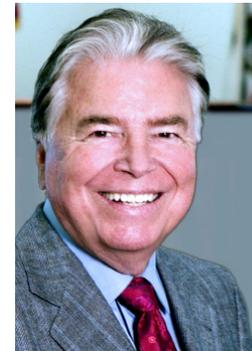
This year, we funded a statewide expansion of the L.A.-based Otis Report on the Creative Economy. Among many things, the report revealed that the creative industries account for nearly 8% of California's GDP, more than twice the national impact. The report was explored in February 2014 at a televised informational hearing of the State's Joint Committee on the Arts.

We continued to invest in our core programs including Artists in Schools, placing teaching artists in California classrooms; Creating Places of Vitality, revitalizing California's rural and underserved communities through the arts; State-Local Partnerships, fostering arts and cultural development through local leadership; and Statewide Networks, supporting statewide and regional arts service organizations.

After a remarkable year full of these new opportunities and positive momentum, an historic milestone was reached. On June 20, 2014, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. signed a state budget that included a one-time \$5 million increase in general fund support for the California Arts Council for the 2014-15 fiscal year. This is the first time in over ten years the arts in California have seen an increase of general fund monies, after support for the Arts Council was cut by 94% in 2003.

Looking ahead, we know that 2014-15 will be another banner year for the arts in California. Increased funds will allow us to double our impact in communities across the state. A new strategic plan will guide our work. And our state's vibrant arts community will continue to grow and thrive as advocates work to secure a stable future for state arts funding.

Thank you for supporting the arts and creativity in our state. We are proud to serve you. Please enjoy this report highlighting our state's remarkable communities and artists.



Wylie Aitken
WYLIE AITKEN
CHAIR



Craig Watson
CRAIG WATSON
DIRECTOR

A ROADMAP FOR THE COUNCIL NEW **STRATEGIC PLAN**

In January 2014, the Council adopted a new Strategic Plan, crafted to further the agency's mission of advancing California through the arts and creativity.

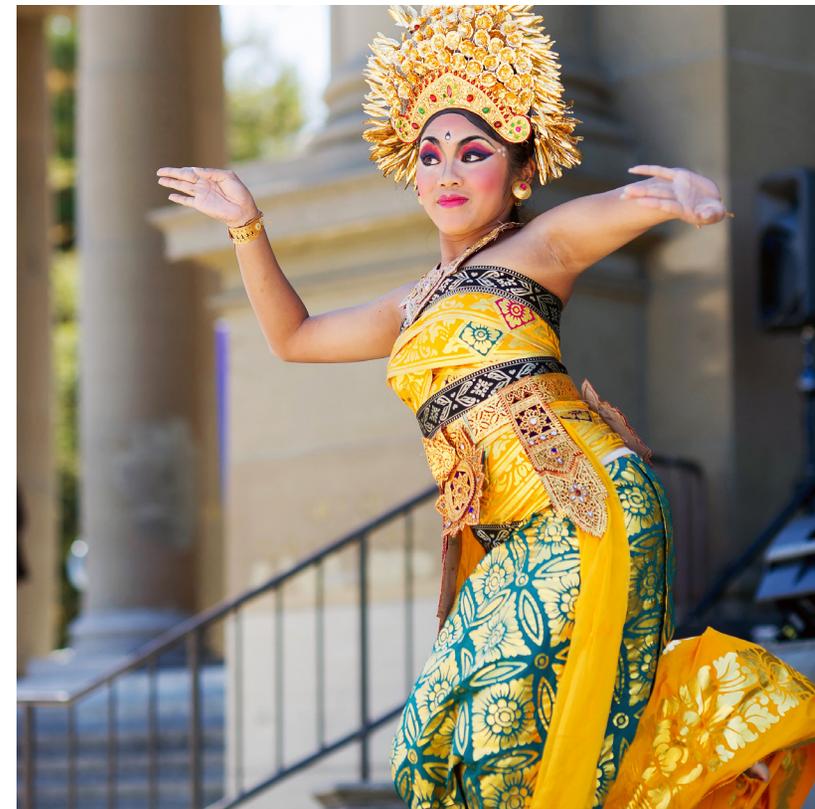
The new Strategic Plan will provide a road map for the California Arts Council over the next three to five years. It incorporates input from more than 1,000 stakeholders throughout the state, gathered via a statewide "listening tour" and one-on-one stakeholder interviews.

The Strategic Plan is organized according to four strategic pillars, each of which lays out an overarching goal and accompanying objectives and implementation steps. The Strategic Plan is an integrated document, and each pillar builds upon the others to achieve the vision that all Californians can thrive from public support for creativity and the arts.

- || **Building public will and resources for the arts:** Ensure strong support for the arts statewide among the public, elected officials, and decision makers.
- || **Diversity, access, and partnerships:** Ensure the Arts Council's work is reflective of California's diverse populations and accessible to all.
- || **Thought leadership:** Establish the Arts Council as a leading authority and champion for the arts in California, regionally, and nationally.
- || **Programs and services:** Ensure programmatic excellence, effectiveness, and relevance in all of the agency's programs and services.

Taken together, these strategies are intended to ensure that the arts are recognized, celebrated, and supported in communities across the state.

The California Arts Council's Strategic Plan was developed with consulting services from Rodriguez Strategies. Leadership was provided by Susan Steinhauser, Council Vice-Chair and Chair of the Strategic Planning Committee. View the full plan and supporting documents at www.arts.ca.gov/aboutus/strategicplan.php



2013-14 **BY THE NUMBERS**

CALIFORNIA ARTS COUNCIL FUNDING SOURCES

\$7.9 MILLION ANNUAL BUDGET



IN 2013-14, CALIFORNIA RANKED **49TH** OF ALL 50 STATES IN ARTS FUNDING PER CAPITA

Source: National Assembly of State Arts Agencies

CALIFORNIA
**POETRY
OUT LOUD**

35

COUNTIES
PARTICIPATED

LARGEST

POETRY OUT LOUD
COMPETITION IN THE NATION

40,000+
PARTICIPANTS

THE YEAR IN **GRANTS**

\$4,145,098

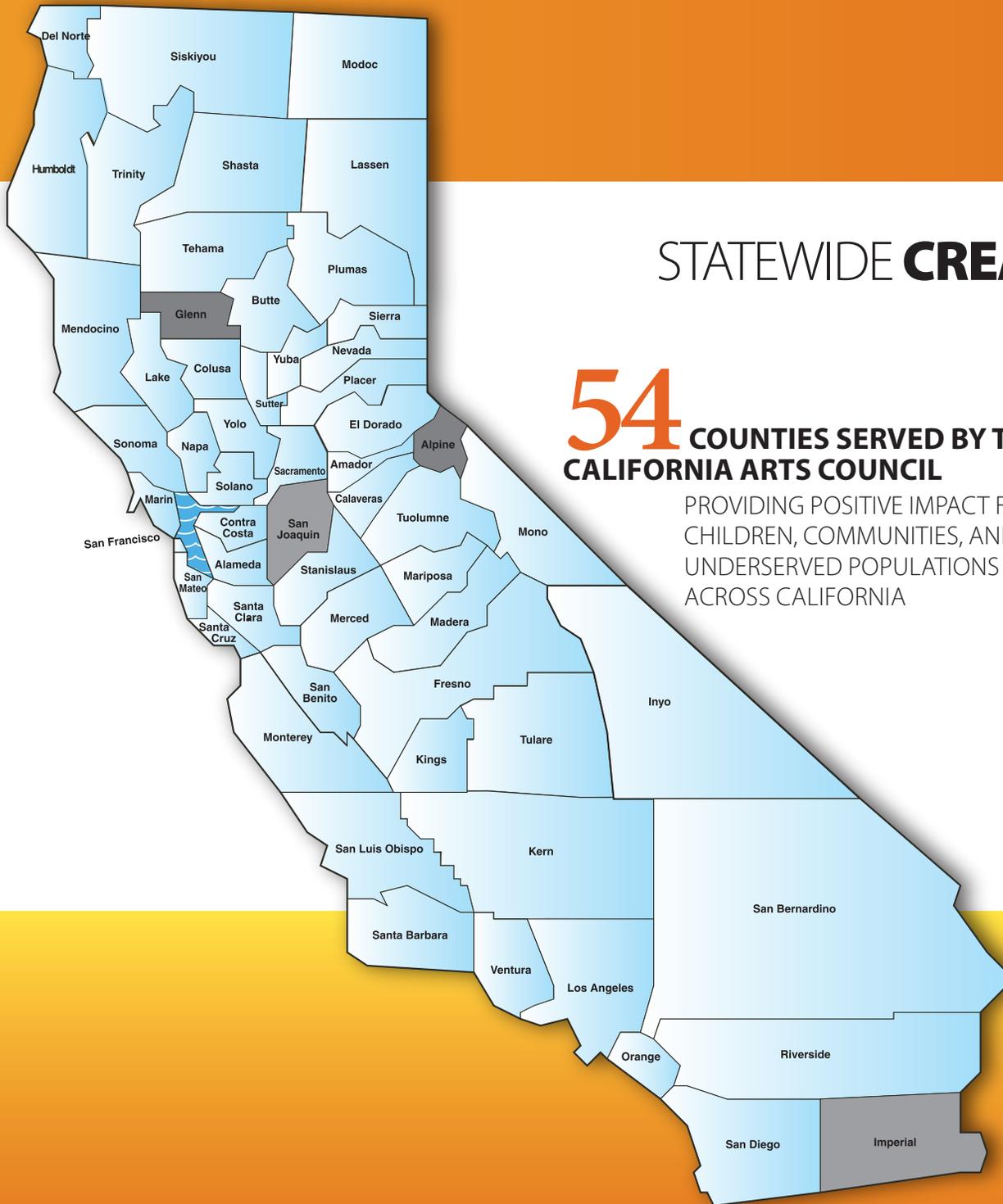
GRANTED

341

GRANTS
AWARDED

725,000

YOUTHS BENEFIT FROM ANNUAL
GRANT PROGRAMS (BASED ON 2012-13 PROGRAMS)



STATEWIDE **CREATIVE ECONOMY IMPACT**

FROM THE OTIS REPORT

54 COUNTIES SERVED BY THE CALIFORNIA ARTS COUNCIL

PROVIDING POSITIVE IMPACT FOR CHILDREN, COMMUNITIES, AND UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS ACROSS CALIFORNIA

1 in 10

CA JOBS IN CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

\$270 billion+

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION OF CA'S CREATIVE ECONOMY

1.4 million+

WORKERS IN THE CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

- ✦ Arts & the Common Core
- ✦ Turnaround Schools
- ✦ Community Economic Development
- ✦ At-risk Youth
- ✦ Arts Impact Storytelling

HIGHLIGHTS

STATE ASSEMBLY INVESTMENT

California's kids and communities boosted by State Assembly's investment in the arts

On July 15, 2013, the California Arts Council received \$2 million in savings from the 2013 State Assembly operating budget. With this one-time support, the Council was able to fund 34 grant projects and two major arts education initiatives, reaching 43 counties across California.

The programs and initiatives supported by the Council reflect its longstanding commitment to arts education and California's young people, and a desire to stimulate economic development in communities around the state through the arts and creativity.

Speaker John A. Pérez directed the one-time funds to support arts and arts education programs in California communities via grants or direct services only. Funds were not used for the Council's administrative costs. The funds were encumbered during the 2013-14 fiscal year and are to be expended for activities completed by June 30, 2015.

"We are grateful to Speaker Emeritus Pérez and the State Assembly for their belief in the power of the arts to transform our communities, grow our economy, support our young people, and improve our state," said Wylie Aitken, Chair of the California Arts Council. "This investment has reinvigorated our arts community – and we know the impact of these projects will be significant and enduring."

Craig Watson, Director of the Arts Council stated, "Over the next year, as these new projects and initiatives take place, there will be remarkable stories to tell of the great impact from these arts and culture investments. With their enthusiasm for these programs, our constituents have shown the critical need for the arts in California's communities, and an ability to quickly and creatively act to engage in new opportunities."

With the one-time Assembly funds, the Council aimed to support a limited number of exceptional projects in order to reach out to new communities, serve geographically diverse populations, build greater public awareness of the contributions of the arts, and encourage partnerships between arts organizations and local businesses and governments. ✦



HIGHLIGHTS

NEW PROGRAMS & INITIATIVES

State Assembly investment reaches 43 California counties

ARTS EDUCATION INITIATIVES

The Council invested \$300,000 in each of two high-impact, “shovel-ready” arts education initiatives, partially resulting from two years of work by a statewide arts education coalition known as Core Reforms Engaging Arts To Educate (CREATE) CA . The California Arts Council is a founding partner of the CREATE CA coalition, which addresses the full inclusion of arts into the California public education system.

- || **Turnaround Arts CA**, a program using arts education strategies to significantly improve ten of California’s lowest performing elementary schools.
- || **Creativity at the Core**, an innovative program of the County Superintendents Educational Services Association, placing arts at the forefront of Common Core adoption in California.

COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAMS

The Council created three competitive grant programs that were administered through an open call for applications, advisory panel review, and Council review and approval. These programs resulted from identified state and Council priorities, a strategic plan listening tour conducted across California, and a survey to the field.

- || **Creative California Communities (CCC)** supports projects aimed at revitalizing neighborhoods through the arts and economic development. (\$1,042,477 total grant awards)
- || **JUMP StArts** supports high-quality arts education and artists-in-residence programs for at-risk youth. (\$209,000 total grant awards)
- || **Arts on the Air** supports original public media content about the arts in California. (\$200,000 total grant awards)

43
COUNTIES
REACHED

200+
ORGANIZATIONS
APPLIED



HIGHLIGHTS

EXAMPLES OF FUNDED GRANT PROJECTS

Competitive programs supported by Assembly investment

AmadorArts, Amador County: “River Reflections” will harness the arts over a six-month period to build awareness and appreciation of the Mokelumne River among the 1.4 million people who depend on its water, from the Sierra foothills to the East Bay Area. \$40,000 CCC grant.

A Reason to Survive, San Diego County: ARTS Enterprises will expand their already-successful artistic and community opportunities for at-risk youth, artists and businesses, all based on the creation of artfully designed goods and services by youth artists. \$50,000 CCC grant.

Armory Center for the Arts, Los Angeles County: The Armory Center for the Arts will provide standards-based arts education through Learning Works at Homeboy Industries, led by Master Armory Teaching Artists who have a passion for educating and mentoring at-risk and in-crisis youth. \$22,500 JUMP StArts grant.

First Voice, San Francisco County: First Voice will curate Suite J-Town, a multicultural, inter-generational series of events, performances and exhibits created to revitalize the San Francisco Japantown neighborhood, celebrate its 100-year history, and commission young artists to contribute their voices for future generations. \$50,000 CCC grant.

Gay Men’s Chorus of Los Angeles, Los Angeles County: The first California tour of It Gets Better, a new stage work blending music, theater and multimedia, will travel to underserved communities across the state with a message of hope and tolerance. Each performance will cap a week of community dialogue and art-making addressing prevention of high-school bullying. \$50,000 CCC grant.

KQED, Northern California: KQED will pilot a new multimedia thematic collection exploring the intersection of art and social issues in California through the eyes of artists from diverse backgrounds. Distribution of “SPARK: Arts and Social Issues” is expected to reach 28 California counties via television, radio, interactive and education platforms. \$75,000 Arts on the Air grant.

Marin Shakespeare Company, Marin County: Marin Shakespeare Company will build on its eleven years of success bringing Shakespeare to San Quentin Prison, to combine drama therapy, study and performance, and autobiographical writing to the youth at Marin Community School. The focus will be on *Romeo and Juliet* and its themes of love and hate, peer groups, authority figures, decision-making and self-destruction. \$31,500 JUMP StArts grant.

Peralta Hacienda, Alameda County: Peralta Hacienda will design an interactive outdoor “museum without walls” called the Urban Book, creating an arts and performance gathering place in Oakland’s Fruitvale neighborhood. \$50,000 CCC grant.

Plumas County Arts Commission, Plumas County: “Plumas Artisan Made” will provide branding support with business and marketing training for local artist entrepreneurs in the far north of California, to develop, execute and promote a new economic strategy for this rural area. \$40,000 CCC grant.

Radio Bilingüe, Central Valley: Radio Bilingüe will produce and broadcast eight short-form features and eight call-in interview/talk shows called “Raices - Los Maestros,” highlighting innovative Latino artists who are ensuring that younger generations know and experience art and what it can offer their lives and communities. All productions will be broadcast in 23 California counties, streamed live, and archived for public use. \$50,000 Arts on the Air grant. ✨



“THIS INVESTMENT HAS REINVIGORATED OUR ARTS COMMUNITY – AND WE KNOW THE IMPACT OF THESE PROJECTS WILL BE SIGNIFICANT AND ENDURING.”



10%
OF CALIFORNIA'S
JOBS ARISE FROM
THE CREATIVE
SECTOR

8%
OF CALIFORNIA'S
GDP IS CONTRIBUTED
BY THE CREATIVE
ECONOMY

HIGHLIGHTS STATEWIDE **CREATIVE ECONOMY RESEARCH**

New data reveals creativity is "big business" in California

The 2013 Otis Report on the Creative Economy was released this year, featuring statewide data for the first time. The statewide report expansion, funded by the California Arts Council, revealed that creativity is serious business in the state of California.

Otis College of Art and Design has commissioned this annual report from the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation since 2007. In 2013, the California Arts Council awarded Otis funds to expand the report to include analysis of the entire state of California, showing how the state's economy is impacted by jobs in the arts, design, education, entertainment, nonprofit, and independent creative professions.

Key findings of the Statewide Report:

- || California's creative economy contributed 7.8% of the gross state product in 2012, more than twice the national impact (3.24% of US GDP).
- || The total economic contribution of California's creative economy is \$273.5 billion (direct, indirect, and induced impact).
- || Across the state, with a total of 1.4 million workers, the creative industries accounted for, directly or indirectly, nearly 10% of all wage and salary employment.

The new statewide creative economy data was explored Wednesday, February 12, 2014 when Senator Ted Lieu, Assemblymember Ian Calderon, and members of the State's Joint Committee on the Arts convened a televised informational hearing in the Capitol to examine the role the creative sector plays in the state's economy. The committee engaged experts from various industries to testify on this topic. ✦



HIGHLIGHTS

ARTS IN CORRECTIONS

Reducing recidivism through the arts

In February 2014 the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) and the California Arts Council partnered to create a new 18-month \$2.5 million statewide Arts-in-Corrections pilot program funded by CDCR.

By June 2014 the first phase of the program was launched. The Arts Council contracted seven arts organizations with dozens of artists scheduled to provide more than 10,000 hours of arts programming in 14 state prisons in the first year, and even more planned for 2015.

The Arts-in-Corrections pilot is a revival of a previously successful program. Arts programs in California prisons started in the late 1970s, and became world-renowned through the 1980s and early 1990s. But due to various budgetary and policy decisions, the program dwindled to next to nothing in the early 2000s and was officially closed by CDCR in 2010.

Yet despite the loss of state funding, California's Arts-in-Corrections efforts never went away. Longtime provider William James Association, other arts organizations, and individual artists kept the arts alive. The Actors' Gang, under the artistic direction of actor Tim Robbins, provided seven years of privately funded comprehensive theater programming in state facilities. These limited programs existed because of the dedication of CDCR staff members on the inside and nonprofit organizations on the outside that brought in volunteers or raised their own funds.

Ironically, just as the official Arts-in-Corrections program was closing, the California state and local correctional systems were undergoing a massive overhaul, or correctional "Realignment." This system-wide change places an emphasis on rehabilitative programs and a reduction of the state's prison population. Arts-in-Corrections supporters, including the California Lawyers for the Arts, tirelessly worked with legislators, law enforcement, and others, asking the state to reconsider Arts-in-Corrections as part of the overall realignment efforts.

This new Arts-in-Corrections pilot is underway, and the programming is as diverse as California itself. Programs feature Shakespeare, traditional jarocho music, Caribbean dance and drums, commedia dell' arte, storytelling, painting, poetry... the list goes on.

Hundreds of inmates will be able to dive into intense arts residencies, and the state of California will be able to evaluate the impact of arts programs on improving inmate behavior and reducing re-offending for those who are released back into society. ✦

10,000
HOURS OF
PROGRAMMING

14
PARTICIPATING
PRISONS



HIGHLIGHTS

POETRY OUT LOUD

Statewide poetry celebration and competition

Poetry Out Loud, a national poetry recitation contest initiated by the Poetry Foundation and the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA), is organized each year for our state by the California Arts Council.

More than 40,000 high school students took part in 2013-14, making California the state with the greatest number of Poetry Out Loud participants. Support enabled outreach to local arts agencies and nonprofits, county district offices of education, and California Poets in the Schools (CPITS) as well as schools, students and their parents. Competitors were coached by local CPITS-affiliated poets.

Members of the California State Legislature and legislative staff attended the statewide competition of county winners in the Senate Chambers of the State Capitol. The California Channel broadcast the event live, which publicized the success of Poetry Out Loud and raised public awareness of the California Arts Council. The program was re-broadcast repeatedly throughout the year.

The 2013-14 state champion was Shayna Maci Warner, a senior at Marin School for the Arts in Marin County. Shayna represented California at the national competition in Washington, DC, competing with champions of the other states. ✦



"Poetry Out Loud was the first time I'd ever heard poetry recited. Suddenly, there was nothing dry or dull about poetry — it became an ever-evolving history that I was somehow a part of. Poetry gave me my voice, and Poetry Out Loud confirmed that I had a right to speak my own emotions and curiosities through the words of timeless authors." - Shayna Maci Warner

35
COUNTIES
PARTICIPATED

40,000+
PARTICIPANTS

\$94,500
TOTAL GRANT FUNDING

SUPPORTED BY

THE NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS
THE WILLIAM AND FLORA HEWLETT FOUNDATION
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HIGHLIGHTS

POET LAUREATE UNITY PROJECT

The Governor's Advocate for the Art of Poetry

When Juan Felipe Herrera was appointed California Poet Laureate by Governor Brown in March 2012, his first thought, after processing the news, was to create “the most incredible and biggest poem on unity in the world.”

Honored as the state’s advocate for the art of poetry, Juan Felipe Herrera has been gathering phrases, words, and poems on the subject of unity for nearly two years. As our country faced the crises of the Sandy Hook Elementary massacre and Boston Marathon bombing, Herrera saw a wave of poems arrive, with words of unity bringing soulful healing from these tragedies.

Students, poets, and friends shared hundreds of poems with Herrera, laying the groundwork for this project.

Herrera remarks, “So, now for this new year, 2014, we are making a call for your words, poems in any form, for all, for unity. Remember: Unity with nature, unity with those going through hard times, unity at a time of difficulty, unity as a gift, unity with neighbors, unity with animals and flowers, unity across the waters, unity across the world, unity across the stars, unity in the family, unity with all families, unity with a friend, unity with an enemy, unity in the schools, unity at work, unity with ancestors, unity with yourself, unity where unity is needed, unity all around... and round...” ✨.

HIGHLIGHTS

ARTS LICENSE PLATE

Innovative funding for the arts

The California Arts Council continued to provide a significant amount of granting and support for arts programs throughout the state through funds provided by sales and renewals of the Arts License Plate.

The agency continued to work with the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) – the agency responsible for all license plate processing – to develop a comprehensive ordering system at ArtsPlate.org. Because of heightened security protocols required by the DMV, the Arts Council required contractor Topps Digital Services to enhance the system to the highest level of payment card industry security requirements possible. While this requirement delayed the launch of the full functionality of ArtsPlate.org, the site was expected to fulfill security needs by early fall 2014.

Key system components will include a streamlined customer interface for direct sales, California Arts Council donation capability, and a voucher ordering and redeeming system. The Arts Plate voucher ordering and redeeming system is considered a key component to sales efforts, allowing individuals, companies, and philanthropists to purchase Arts Plates as gifts. Arts Plate purchases and renewals are considered charitable contributions to the California Arts Council for tax purposes, making the voucher program attractive to those interested in supporting the arts.

Other ongoing outreach campaign efforts continued throughout the year. Key members of the campaign team include vendors 24Connect, a specialized public-relations agency. 24Connect focused on strengthening relationships with California car dealerships, as well as promoting the Arts Plate campaign in general.

These efforts complement the outreach advantage provided by the dozens of California Arts Drivers—celebrities who, at no cost, have loaned their images and support for the effort since 2012. Images from the “Create a State” campaign (created in previous fiscal years by Los Angeles-based ad firm Industrial Creative) continued to appear in various media through pro bono placements. ✨



LOOKING AHEAD: 2014-15

HISTORIC ARTS FUNDING RESTORATION

2014-15 state budget included \$5 million increase in arts funding

On June 20, 2014, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. signed a state budget that includes a one-time \$5 million increase in general fund support for the California Arts Council. This is the first time in over ten years the arts have seen an increase of general fund monies, after support for the Arts Council was cut by 94% in 2003. This was an historic day for the arts in California, made possible by Governor Brown, the legislature, and the arts community who showed their powerful support of increased state arts funding.

With this support, California's elected officials have reinvested in the arts as a critical tool for supporting our students, fueling our state's economy, and revitalizing our communities. The Council congratulates them on this important first step in returning the arts to their rightful place among the priorities for our state's success.

The Council is grateful to California's arts community, who so effectively mobilized to carry the message, locally and at the Capitol, that art works, in our schools and communities - enriching the lives of all Californians.

The Arts Council previously received an average of \$1 million in annual general fund support. The total fiscal year 2014-15 general fund support for the Arts Council will reach approximately \$6 million. ✦



LOOKING AHEAD: 2014-15

KEEP ARTS **IN SCHOOLS**

Thousands raised through new voluntary contribution fund campaign

Californians once again have the opportunity to support the California Arts Council and its arts programs for children through their state individual tax refund. On September 30, 2013, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. signed Senate Bill 571 (Senator Carol Liu and Senator Curren Price), returning the arts to the voluntary contribution portion of California tax return forms through the new “Keep Arts in Schools Fund.”

The “Keep Arts in Schools Fund” can be found in Voluntary Contribution Section 110 (425) of the “540” individual state tax return forms. The fund allows individuals to make tax-deductible contributions in amounts of \$1 or more. 100% of the Keep Arts in Schools Fund contributions are applied to the Arts Council’s arts education programs, with no funds used for administrative costs.

Four-time Oscar nominee Annette Bening teamed up with the California Arts Council, encouraging Californians to support arts education programs via state tax returns.

Bening is a passionate advocate for arts education and served as a member of the California Arts Council from 2004-2008. As a Council Member, Bening fought for increased state arts funding and championed arts initiatives for young people across California.

At the close of fiscal year 2013-14, the fund had raised \$237,732 from more than 20,000 individual taxpayers to support 2014-15 programs. ✦

“Creativity is critical to the future success of California’s young people. I’ve seen the benefits of arts education firsthand, and I’m so pleased to join the California Arts Council for this campaign.”

– Annette Bening, March 12, 2014



Join Annette Bening
and make a difference
through your
state tax return.
arts.ca.gov

**KEEP ARTS
IN SCHOOLS**
VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION FUND

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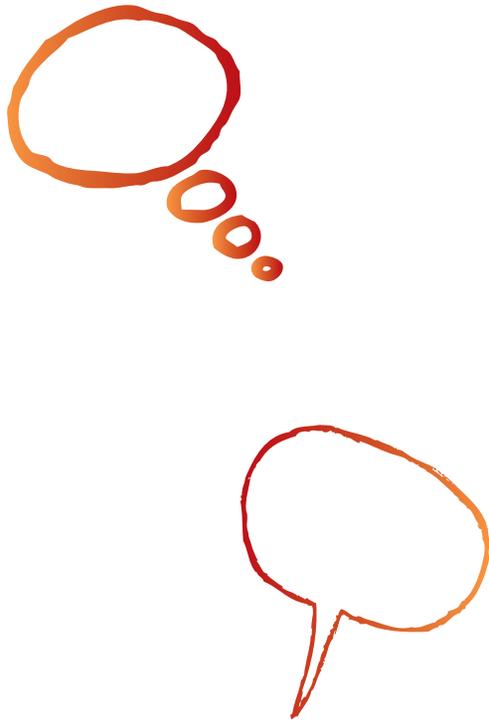
Photo courtesy of Berkeley Symphony, a California Arts Council grantee





MORE ARTISTS
LIVE IN CALIFORNIA
THAN IN ANY
OTHER STATE





OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT

SOCIAL MEDIA AND WEBSITE

Making connections, sharing information, building goodwill

SOCIAL MEDIA

During fiscal year 2013-14, the California Arts Council's social media outreach continued to expand, placing it among the eight "popular Facebook pages" listed at CA.gov, the state government's official website. By the end of the year, the Arts Council's Facebook reach had grown to nearly 38,000 fans and Twitter followers exceeded six thousand. California Arts Council tweets regularly appear on the daily list of top California government tweets compiled by measuredvoice.com, which ranks tweets by reach and influence.

Social media offers a unique, cost-effective way for the California Arts Council to interact with its constituents using an immediate, personal approach. Through social media, the California Arts Council presents information and assistance to the public, responds to concerns in real time, and builds awareness and goodwill for the agency.

WEBSITE

The California Arts Council website, arts.ca.gov, continues to be a main point of entry for many of its constituents. On average, arts.ca.gov receives more than one million monthly page hits and more than 25,000 unique monthly visitors. The website enhances public knowledge and understanding about the contributions of the arts through resources and information. ✦

38,000
FACEBOOK FANS
 CALIFORNIA ARTS
COUNCIL

6,000+
TWITTER FOLLOWERS
@CALARTSCOUNCIL

1 million+
MONTHLY PAGE HITS AT
ARTS.CA.GOV

CORE GRANT PROGRAMS

ARTISTS IN SCHOOLS

Linking professional artists to local students

Through the Artists in Schools program, the California Arts Council links community arts resources— professional teaching artists and arts organizations—to local schools/ school districts. Funds support long-term, in-depth arts education during school hours and in after-school programs. K-12 students are offered comprehensive, California standards-based arts education that underscores the critical role the arts play in the students' development of creativity, overall well-being and academic achievement.

The Artists in Schools program supports three separate components:

- || Effective Arts Organization and School Partnerships: The creation and sustenance of projects taking place in schools during regular school hours.
- || Standards-Based Arts in After-School Programs: Projects taking place on school campuses that reinforce, expand and deepen arts learning for students.
- || Planning Grants: Arts organization/school partnerships that strategize ways to incorporate community arts resources into the ongoing standards-based arts activities at the school. ✦

CORE GRANT PROGRAMS

CREATING PLACES OF VITALITY

Transforming communities through creative innovation

Creating Places of Vitality funds small arts organizations specifically in California's rural and underserved communities. Creating Places of Vitality encourages innovation and engagement in meaningful cultural activities that can transform neighborhoods and communities to create a distinct sense of place through the arts. Per the program's requirements, funded arts organizations worked with partners from the nonprofit, for profit, and local government sectors. ✦

ARTISTS IN SCHOOLS

118

GRANTS
AWARDED

\$944,784

TOTAL SUPPORT PROVIDED



CREATING PLACES OF VITALITY

85

GRANTS
AWARDED

\$810,442

TOTAL SUPPORT PROVIDED

CORE GRANT PROGRAMS

STATE-LOCAL PARTNERSHIP

Fostering arts and cultural development through local leadership

The State-Local Partnership Program fosters arts and cultural development at the local level through a partnership between the California Arts Council and each participating county's designated local arts agency—a county arts council or commission. The State-Local Partnership Program funds operational support, community collaborations, technical assistance, information exchange, and leadership development enabling individuals, organizations and communities to create, present, and preserve the arts of all cultures. ✦

CORE GRANT PROGRAMS

STATEWIDE NETWORKS

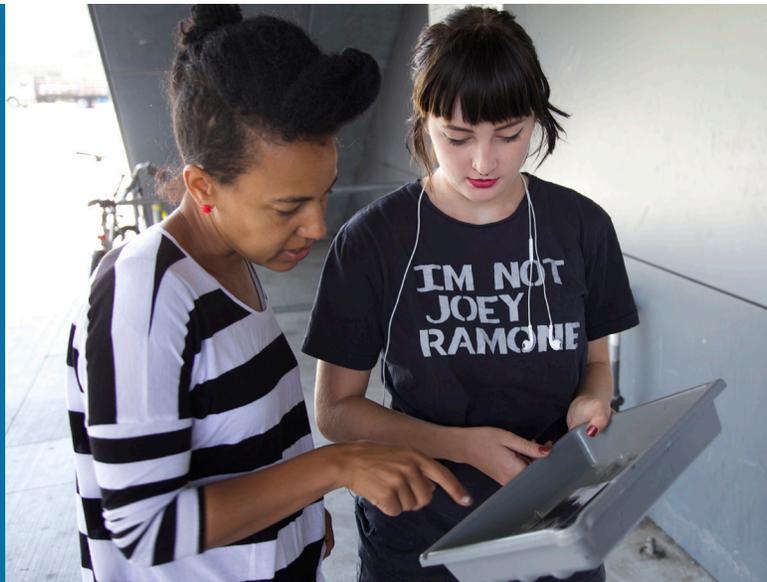
Providing resources for culturally and geographically diverse arts communities

The Statewide Networks Program supports culturally-specific, multicultural, and discipline-based statewide and regional arts networks and service organizations. Funds assist organizations in capacity building and delivery of services through communications, professional development opportunities, networking and arts advocacy. The Statewide Networks Program allows the California Arts Council to support organizations whose work brings artists and arts organizations together to further California's economic and cultural sectors. ✦

STATE-LOCAL PARTNERSHIP

50
GRANTS
AWARDED

\$592,443
TOTAL SUPPORT PROVIDED



STATEWIDE NETWORKS

16
GRANTS
AWARDED

\$252,950
TOTAL SUPPORT PROVIDED

2013-14 GRANTEES

GRANTEE	COUNTY	AWARD	GRANTEE	COUNTY	AWARD
<u>ARTISTS IN SCHOOLS</u>					
About Productions	Los Angeles	\$7,680	Ginga Arts	Los Angeles	\$7,680
Alameda County Arts Commission	Alameda	\$9,840	Heart Project	Los Angeles	\$8,760
Angels Gate Cultural Center	Los Angeles	\$7,680	Hernandez Mariachi Society	Los Angeles	\$9,840
Armory Center for the Arts	Los Angeles	\$9,840	Higher Gliffs	Alameda	\$8,760
Arts & Learning Corporation	Orange	\$5,537	Humboldt Arts Council	Humboldt	\$9,840
Arts Council for Monterey County	Monterey	\$8,760	Imagination Workshop	Los Angeles	\$7,680
Arts Council Napa Valley	Napa	\$9,840	Ink People	Humboldt	\$7,680
Arts Council of Mendocino County	Mendocino	\$9,840	Inside Out Community Arts	Los Angeles	\$8,760
Asian Improv aRts	San Francisco	\$7,680	Kaisahan of San Jose Dance Company	Santa Clara	\$8,760
Berkeley Symphony	Alameda	\$8,760	Kala Art Institute	Alameda	\$9,840
Bethune Theatredanse	Los Angeles	\$9,840	L.A.C.E.R	Los Angeles	\$8,405
Boxtales Theatre	Santa Barbara	\$4,624	La Pena Cultural Center	Alameda	\$3,222
California Dance Institute	Los Angeles	\$9,840	LEAP - Imagination in Learning	San Francisco	\$7,680
California Institute of the Arts	Los Angeles	\$9,840	Los Angeles Master Chorale	Los Angeles	\$11,041
California Poets in the Schools/Sonoma County	San Francisco	\$3,776	Lula Washington Dance Theatre	Los Angeles	\$7,680
California Symphony	Contra Costa	\$8,760	Luna Dance	Alameda	\$9,840
Cantare Con Vivo	Alameda	\$8,760	LUX Arts Institute	San Diego	\$9,840
Center for World Music	San Diego	\$9,840	Malashock Dance	San Diego	\$8,760
Central California Arts League	Stanislaus	\$4,350	Mammoth Art Guild	Mono	\$7,680
Central Sierra Arts Council	Tuolumne	\$7,680	Marin Shakespeare Company	Marin	\$8,760
Chinese Cultural Productions	San Francisco	\$8,760	Marin Theatre Company	Marin	\$7,300
City Ballet, Inc.	San Diego	\$7,680	Mariposa County Arts Council	Mariposa	\$2,500
City of San Fernando	Los Angeles	\$11,041	Media Arts Center	Los Angeles	\$11,041
Colusa County Arts Council	Colusa	\$2,500	Melody of China	San Francisco	\$8,760
Community School of Music and Arts	Santa Clara	\$7,680	Muckenthaler Cultural Center	Orange	\$6,144
Community Works West	Alameda	\$9,840	Music by the Mountains	Siskiyou	\$3,520
Composing Together	Alameda	\$2,240	Oakland Youth Chorus	Alameda	\$9,840
Coronado School of Arts Foundation	San Diego	\$4,800	Out of Site	San Francisco	\$9,840
Crowden Music Center	Alameda	\$8,760	P.S. Arts	Los Angeles	\$8,760
Cultural Council of Santa Cruz County	Santa Cruz	\$8,760	Palo Alto Art Center	Santa Clara	\$8,760
Dance Kaiso	San Francisco	\$7,680	Pasadena Conservatory of Music	Los Angeles	\$11,041
Dell'Arte, Inc.	Humboldt	\$4,224	Peralta Parent Teacher Group	Alameda	\$9,840
Diablo Ballet	Alameda	\$8,760	Performing Arts Workshops	San Francisco	\$8,760
Dimensions Dance Theatre	Alameda	\$9,840	Playhouse Arts	Humboldt	\$8,760
Eagle Rock Community Cultural Association	Los Angeles	\$7,680	Playwrights Project	San Diego	\$9,840
East Bay Center for the Performing Arts	Alameda	\$8,760	Plumas County Arts Commission	Plumas	\$7,680
East Bay Performing Arts dba Oakland East Bay Symphony	Alameda	\$8,760	Prescott-Joseph Center for Community Enhancement	Alameda	\$7,680
ETM-LA	Los Angeles	\$9,840	Prophet World Beat	San Diego	\$5,120
Fantasia Family Music	Los Angeles	\$7,680	Public Corporation for the Arts	Los Angeles	\$9,840
Forestville Education Foundation	Sonoma	\$7,142	Purple Silk Music Education Foundation	Alameda	\$9,840
Gabriella Axelrad Education Foundation	Los Angeles	\$9,840	Redwood Heights Parents Fund Association	Alameda	\$8,760
			Rhythmic Concepts	Alameda	\$6,204
			Sacramento Theatre Company	Sacramento	\$8,760

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San Benito County Arts Council	San Benito	\$5,566	Abhinaya Dance Company	Santa Clara	\$9,700
San Diego Guild of Puppetry	San Diego	\$8,760	African-American Shakespeare Company	San Francisco	\$10,000
San Diego Museum of Art	San Diego	\$3,066	Anne Bluethenthal & Dance	San Francisco	\$9,400
San Diego Opera	San Diego	\$9,840	Asian American Women Artists Association	San Francisco	\$9,400
San Diego Youth Symphony	San Diego	\$8,577	Asian Pacific Islander Cultural Center	San Francisco	\$9,700
San Francisco Arts Commission	San Francisco	\$8,760	Assoc. for the Advancement of Filipino American Arts & Culture	Los Angeles	\$9,700
San Francisco Arts Education Project	San Francisco	\$8,760	AuCo Vietnamese Cultural Center	San Francisco	\$9,400
San Francisco Girls Chorus	San Francisco	\$5,530	Aunt Lute Books	San Francisco	\$9,700
San Francisco Shakespeare Festival	San Francisco	\$7,680	AXIS Dance Company	Alameda	\$10,000
Santa Barbara Dance Institute	Santa Barbara	\$7,680	Ballet Folklorico Anahuac	Stanislaus	\$8,800
Santa Barbara Museum of Art	Santa Barbara	\$4,416	Bethany Center Foundation of San Francisco	San Francisco	\$9,100
Santa Clarita Community College District	Santa Clara	\$7,680	Calidanza Dance Company	Sacramento	\$9,700
ShadowLight Productions	San Francisco	\$9,840	Center for the Study of Political Graphics	Los Angeles	\$9,400
Shakespeare Center of Los Angeles	Los Angeles	\$7,680	Centro T.A.B.C.A.T	Sacramento	\$9,700
Southland Opera	Los Angeles	\$11,041	Collage Dance Theatre	Los Angeles	\$9,400
Southwest Chamber Music Society	Los Angeles	\$9,840	Community Youth Performing Arts Center, Inc.	Santa Barbara	\$9,100
Stagebridge	Alameda	\$8,544	Company of Angels	Los Angeles	\$9,700
StageWrite	San Francisco	\$9,840	Croatian Cultural Center of San Francisco	San Francisco	\$10,000
Streetside Stories	San Francisco	\$9,840	Dell'Arte, Inc.	Humboldt	\$10,000
The Imagine Bus Project	San Francisco	\$8,760	El Teatro Campensino	San Benito	\$9,700
The Music Center/Performing Arts Center of Los Angeles	Los Angeles	\$8,760	Eldergivers	San Francisco	\$9,400
The Unusual Suspects	Los Angeles	\$8,760	Epiphany Productions Sonic Dance Theater	San Francisco	\$10,000
Theatre of Hearts Youth First	Los Angeles	\$8,760	Firebird Youth Chinese Orchestra	Santa Clara	\$10,000
Theatre Workers Project	Los Angeles	\$8,760	First Night Monterey	Monterey	\$9,700
Top Hat Dancers, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$2,500	Floricante Dance Theatre	Los Angeles	\$9,100
Trinity County Arts Council	Trinity	\$2,500	Flyaway Productions	San Francisco	\$9,700
Vallejo Charter School	Solano	\$7,372	Fresh Meat Productions	San Francisco	\$9,700
Venice Arts	Los Angeles	\$5,535	Gamelan Sekar Jaya	Alameda	\$9,400
Ventura County Arts Council	Ventura	\$7,680	Genryu Arts	San Francisco	\$9,700
Visalia Arts Consortium	Tulare	\$3,285	Golden Thread Productions	San Francisco	\$9,400
Yolo County Arts Council	Yolo	\$7,680	Great Leap, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$9,400
Young Audiences of San Diego	San Diego	\$9,840	Green Arts People	Ventura	\$8,800
Youth in Arts	Marin	\$7,680	Highways, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$9,700
Z Space Studio	San Francisco	\$9,840	Idris Ackamoor and Cultural Odyssey	San Francisco	\$10,000
<u>ARTS ON THE AIR</u>			Ink People	Humboldt	\$9,700
KOCE/PBS SoCal	Orange	\$75,000	Instituto Mazatlan Bellas Artes de Sacramento	Sacramento	\$9,400
KQED	San Francisco	\$75,000	Inyo Council for the Arts	Inyo	\$9,700
KSVJ/Radio Bilingue	Fresno	\$50,000	JC Culture Foundation	Los Angeles	\$9,100
<u>CREATING PLACES OF VITALITY</u>			Kearny Street Workshop	San Francisco	\$9,700
3rd i South Asian Independent Film	San Francisco	\$10,000	Khmer Arts Academy	Los Angeles	\$9,700
509 Cultural Center	San Francisco	\$10,000	Kings Regional Traditional Folk Arts	Kings	\$10,000
			Kitka	Alameda	\$10,000
			Kularts	San Francisco	\$9,700

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LA Commons	Los Angeles	\$9,100
La Raza Galeria Posada	Sacramento	\$9,700
Lenora Lee Dance	San Francisco	\$10,000
Liberty Painting Corporation	Siskiyou	\$9,100
Los Angeles Poverty Department	Los Angeles	\$9,700
Mammoth Art Guild	Mono	\$9,100
Mariposa County Arts Council	Mariposa	\$9,700
Mendocino Art Center	Mendocino	\$8,417
Mo'olelo Performing Arts Company	San Diego	\$9,400
Navarrete x Kajiyame Dance Theater	Alameda	\$9,700
Nevada County Arts	Nevada	\$6,825
OX	San Francisco	\$9,100
Playhouse Arts	Humboldt	\$9,700
Plumas County Arts Commission	Plumas	\$9,700
Pro Arts	Alameda	\$9,400
Queer Cultural Center	San Francisco	\$9,400
Queer Rebel Productions	San Francisco	\$9,400
Queer Women of Color Media Arts Project	San Francisco	\$10,000
RADAR Productions	San Francisco	\$9,700
San Benito County Arts Council	San Benito	\$9,400
San Diego Dance Theater	San Diego	\$9,400
San Francisco International Arts Festival	San Francisco	\$9,400
San Francisco Transgender Film Festival	San Francisco	\$9,700
San Jose Multicultural Artists Guild	Santa Clara	\$9,700
SEW Productions, Inc./Lorraine Hansberry Theatre	San Francisco	\$9,700
Siskiyou Arts Council	Siskiyou	\$9,100
Sixth Street Photography Workshop	San Francisco	\$9,400
TA'YER	Los Angeles	\$9,100
TeAda Productions	Los Angeles	\$9,700
Teatro Jornalero Sin Fronteras	Los Angeles	\$9,700
Teocalli Cultural Academy	Fresno	\$9,700
The Industry Productions, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$10,000
The PGK Project	San Diego	\$9,400
Tia Chucha's Centro Cultural	Los Angeles	\$9,400
Virginia Avenue Project	Los Angeles	\$9,400
Visual Communications Media	Los Angeles	\$10,000
Watts Village Theater Company	Los Angeles	\$9,100
Women's Audio Mission	San Francisco	\$10,000
Yolo County Arts Council	Yolo	\$9,400
Youth Orchestras of Fresno	Fresno	\$10,000

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CREATIVE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITIES

A Reason to Survive	San Diego	\$50,000
Amador County Arts Council	Amador	\$40,000
Arte Americas	Fresno	\$60,000
Arts Council of Kern	Kern	\$30,000
Arts Council of Placer County (partially supported with FY 14-15 funds)	Placer	\$12,866
Cultural Council of Santa Cruz County	Santa Cruz	\$50,000
Filipino-American Development Foundation	San Francisco	\$50,000
First Voice, Inc.	San Francisco	\$50,000
Friends of Olympia Station, Inc.	Santa Cruz	\$50,000
Friends of the Peralta Hacienda Historical Park	Alameda	\$50,000
Gay Men's Chorus of Los Angeles	Los Angeles	\$50,000
Harmony Project	Los Angeles	\$50,000
Japanese American Cultural & Community Center	Los Angeles	\$30,000
Kala Art Institute	Alameda	\$50,000
LA Stage Alliance	Los Angeles	\$50,000
Oakland Museum of California	Alameda	\$30,000
Plumas County Arts Commission	Plumas	\$40,000
San Benito County Arts Council	San Benito	\$42,500
Watts Village Theater Company	Los Angeles	\$30,000
Yolo County Arts Council	Yolo	\$45,000
Youth in Arts	Marin	\$30,000
Yuba-Sutter Regional Arts Council	Yuba/Sutter	\$30,420

JUMP STARTS

Armory Center for the Arts	Los Angeles	\$22,500
Arts Council for Monterey County	Monterey	\$40,500
Destiny Arts Center	Alameda	\$24,300
Marin Shakespeare Company	Marin	\$31,500
Playwrights Project	San Diego	\$22,986
Riverside Art Museum	Riverside	\$38,124
Southland Opera	Los Angeles	\$29,304

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Alameda County Arts Commission	Alameda	\$1,000
Arts Council for Monterey County	Monterey	\$1,000
Arts Council Napa Valley	Napa	\$1,000
Arts Council of Mendocino County	Mendocino	\$1,000
Arts Council of Placer County	Placer	\$1,000
California Poets in the Schools	San Francisco	\$45,000
California Poets in the Schools	San Francisco	\$15,000
California Poets in the Schools/Sonoma County	San Francisco	\$1,000

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Contra Costa County	Contra Costa	\$1,000	Cultural Council of Santa Cruz County	Santa Cruz	\$12,236
El Dorado Arts Council	El Dorado	\$1,000	Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness	Del Norte	\$11,729
Foothill Arts Resources Media Farm	Nevada	\$1,000	El Dorado Arts Council	El Dorado	\$12,236
Fresno Arts Council	Fresno	\$1,000	Fresno Arts Council	Fresno	\$10,715
Humboldt Arts Council	Humboldt	\$1,000	Friends of the Arts Commission	Sacramento	\$12,743
Inyo Council for the Arts	Inyo	\$1,000	Humboldt Arts Council	Humboldt	\$11,729
Lake County Arts Council	Lake	\$1,000	Inyo Council for the Arts	Inyo	\$12,236
Los Angeles County Education Foundation	Los Angeles	\$3,000	Lake County Arts Council	Lake	\$10,715
Madera County Arts Council	Madera	\$1,000	Lassen County Arts Council	Lassen	\$10,715
Mammoth Lakes Foundation	Mono	\$1,000	Los Angeles County Arts Commission	Los Angeles (County)	\$12,743
Modesto Junior College Foundation	Stanislaus	\$1,000	Madera County Arts Council	Madera	\$11,222
Modoc Forum, Inc.	Modoc	\$1,500	Mammoth Art Guild	Mono	\$10,715
Orange County Superintendent of Schools	Orange	\$1,000	Mariposa County Arts Council	Mariposa	\$12,236
Riverside Arts Council	Riverside	\$1,000	Merced County Arts Council	Merced	\$11,222
Sacramento County Office of Education	Sacramento	\$2,500	Modoc County Arts Council	Modoc	\$10,715
San Luis Obispo County Arts Council	San Luis Obispo	\$1,000	Nevada County Arts	Nevada	\$11,729
Santa Barbara County Arts Commission	Santa Barbara	\$1,000	Plumas County Arts Commission	Plumas	\$12,743
Siskiyou Arts Council	Siskiyou	\$1,000	Riverside Arts Council	Riverside	\$12,236
Solano County Arts Council	Solano	\$1,000	San Benito County Arts Council	San Benito	\$11,729
Tuolumne County Arts Alliance	Tuolumne	\$1,000	San Francisco Arts Commission	San Francisco	\$13,250
Valley Center--Pauma Unified School District	San Diego	\$1,000	San Luis Obispo County Arts Council	San Luis Obispo	\$11,729
Ventura County Arts Council	Ventura	\$1,000	San Mateo County Arts Commission	San Mateo	\$10,000
Yolo County Arts Council	Yolo	\$1,000	Santa Barbara County Arts Commission	Santa Barbara	\$12,236
Yuba-Sutter Regional Arts Council	Yuba/Sutter	\$1,500	Shasta County Arts Council	Shasta	\$11,222
<u>STATE-LOCAL PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM</u>			Sierra County Arts Council	Sierra	\$11,222
Alameda County Arts Commission	Alameda	\$12,743	Siskiyou Arts Council	Siskiyou	\$10,715
Amador County Arts Council	Amador	\$11,729	Solano County Arts Council	Solano	\$10,208
Arts Connection, The San Bernardino County Arts Council	San Bernardino	\$10,715	Tehama County Arts Council	Tehama	\$11,222
Arts Council for Monterey County	Monterey	\$12,236	Trinity County Arts Council	Trinity	\$10,208
Arts Council Napa Valley	Napa	\$11,729	Upstate Community Enhancement Foundation	Butte	\$12,236
Arts Council of Kern	Kern	\$10,208	Ventura County Arts Council	Ventura	\$11,729
Arts Council of Mendocino County	Mendocino	\$11,222	Visalia Arts Consortium	Tulare	\$11,729
Arts Council of Placer County	Placer	\$12,743	Yolo County Arts Council	Yolo	\$12,236
Arts Council Silicon Valley	Santa Clara	\$11,729	Yuba-Sutter Regional Arts Council	Yuba/Sutter	\$22,194
Arts Orange County	Orange	\$12,743	<u>STATEWIDE NETWORKS</u>		
Calaveras County Arts Council	Calaveras	\$12,743	Alliance for California Traditional Arts	Fresno	\$19,250
Central Sierra Arts Council	Tuolumne	\$11,222	Association of California Symphony Orchestras	Sacramento	\$17,250
City of Los Angeles Cultural Affairs Department	Los Angeles (City)	\$13,250	California Alliance for Arts Education	Los Angeles	\$18,250
City of San Diego Commission for Arts and Culture	San Diego (City)	\$12,743	California Association of Museums	Santa Cruz	\$18,250
Colusa County Arts Council	Colusa	\$10,208	California Indian Basketweavers Association	Yolo	\$13,250
Contra Costa County	Contra Costa	\$10,000			

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California Lawyers for the Arts	San Francisco	\$19,250	<u>TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE/SPECIAL INITIATIVES</u>		
California LGBT Arts Alliance	San Francisco	\$13,250	City of San Jose, Office of Cultural Affairs	Santa Clara	\$15,000
California Poets in the Schools	San Francisco	\$16,250	Cultural Data Project	Pennsylvania	\$20,000
California Presenters, Inc.	Sacramento	\$13,250	Intersection for the Arts/Teaching Artist Support Collaborative	San Francisco	\$25,000
Californians for the Arts	San Francisco	\$14,000	Juan Felipe Herrera/California Poet Laureate	Riverside	\$5,000
Dance Resource Center of Greater Los Angeles	Los Angeles	\$11,050	<u>MEMBERSHIP/PARTICIPATION FEES</u>		
Dancers' Group/CA Dance Network	San Francisco	\$18,250	Americans for the Arts (AFTA)	Washington, DC	\$1,000
Latino Arts Network, Inc.	Los Angeles	\$17,250	Grantmakers in the Arts	Washington	\$1,250
National Association of Latino Independent Producers	Los Angeles	\$16,250	National Assembly of State Arts Agencies (NASAA)	Washington, DC	\$14,450
Small Press Distribution	Alameda	\$16,250	Western States Arts Federation (WESTAF)	Colorado	\$38,279
Theatre Bay Area	San Francisco	\$11,650			

GRAND TOTAL AWARDS \$4,145,098

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| Arts Council of Santa Cruz County | Cantare Con Vivo | Kala Art Institute | Pasadena Conservatory of Music | Theatre of Hearts – Youth First |
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July 25, 2013

Costa Mesa, Westin South Coast Plaza

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September 25, 2013

Oakland, The Oakland Museum of California

November 20, 2013

Los Angeles, The Los Angeles County Arts Commission

January 22, 2014

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California Department of Education

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Santa Ana, Aitken*Aitken*Cohn
Los Angeles, Grand Performances
Los Angeles, Loyola Marymount University
Oakland, Oakland School for the Arts
Santa Monica, William Turner Gallery
Sacramento, California Arts Council

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