



Tompkins County Legislature

Governor Daniel D. Tompkins Building
Ithaca, NY 14850

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RESOLUTION NO. *f* DOC ID: 7701

Award of 2018 Arts and Culture Organizational Development Grants

WHEREAS, the Community Arts Partnership (CAP) and the Tompkins County Legislature recognize that the local arts and cultural community is a valuable and unique asset, and that a need exists to harness the power of the arts to grow tourism, and that strategic management and stabilization of these assets will better serve visitors through well-planned marketing efforts, and

WHEREAS, the County contracts with CAP to develop and implement a plan for financial and operational development and capacity building of arts and cultural entities, and

WHEREAS, the arts and cultural community could better position itself in the marketplace to attract more visitors to and enhance visitors' stay in Tompkins County, thus generating more dollars into the local economy, and

WHEREAS, the Strategic Tourism Planning Board has since 2007 recommended allowing tourism grant programs to have the previous year's allocated but unspent funding reallocated to the next year's budget, and

WHEREAS, pending a recommended budget adjustment, funding exists within the Room Occupancy Tax funded Tompkins County Tourism Program budget for the Arts and Culture Organizational Development Program, and

WHEREAS, CAP has requested and reviewed applications for recommendation to the Tompkins County Legislature through the Planning, Development, and Environmental Quality Committee with the advice of the Strategic Tourism Planning Board, now therefore be it

RESOLVED, on recommendation of the Planning, Development, and Environmental Quality Committee, That the following Arts and Culture Organizational Development Grants be awarded in 2018:

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Cayuga Chamber Orchestra	\$21,373	\$21,800	\$22,236	\$27,000	\$27,000	\$27,000	20,000	20,000	\$23,000
Cinemapolis	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$13,500	\$13,500	\$18,370
CSMA	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,000	\$7,000	\$10,000
Hangar Theatre	\$22,600	\$23,052	\$23,513	\$27,000	\$27,000	\$27,000	\$24,500	\$24,500	\$20,000
History Center	\$21,458	\$21,887	\$22,325	\$27,000	\$27,000	\$27,000	\$22,000	\$22,000	\$24,000
Kitchen Theatre	\$21,264	\$21,689	\$22,123	\$27,000	\$23,000	\$27,000	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000
PRI (Museum of the Earth & Cayuga Nature Center)	\$15,000	\$15,300	\$15,606	\$40,000*	\$40,000*	\$40,000*	\$30,000*	\$30,000*	\$30,000*
Running to Places	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$15,000
Sciencenter	\$16,000	\$16,320	\$16,646	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$22,000
State Theatre	\$17,000	\$22,850	\$23,307	\$23,773	\$27,000	\$27,000	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$27,500
Grant Totals	\$159,695	\$167,898	\$170,756	\$188,773	\$188,000	\$192,000	\$197,000	\$197,000	\$217,870