

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION AND ACCEPTANCE  
OF A COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX,  
CULTURAL AND HERITAGE COMMISSION,  
HERITAGE DAY GRANT**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Parks Recreation and Community Services of the Township of North Brunswick has received notice they received a grant from the County of Middlesex, Cultural and Heritage Commission, Heritage Day Grant in the amount of \$8,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of this grant is to maintain the cultural heritage of the region; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Parks, Recreation and Community Services approved application and requests acceptance of this Cultural and Heritage Commission, Heritage Day Grant in the amount of \$8,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, under the terms of the grant, the Township of North Brunswick agrees to abide by all stipulations set forth in the executed contract, which includes a 20% fund cash match - \$1,600.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer reviewed the grant approval, the corresponding conditions of award, and recommends Council to approve said request; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the Township of North Brunswick, that the Governing Body does hereby accept the grant of \$8,000.00, for the purpose described herein, and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick, Middlesex County, New Jersey, that the Mayor and Clerk of the Township of North Brunswick is hereby authorized to execute a grant agreement with the County of Middlesex, Cultural and Heritage Commission on behalf of the Township of North Brunswick, and upon execution of said agreement, the Township does accept the terms and conditions specified in the agreement in connection with the grant.

I hereby certify that there is \$1,600.00 available in account # 4-01-41-895-000-185.

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Cavel S. Gallimore  
Certified Finance Officer

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Lou Ann Benson  
Director of Parks  
Recreation and Community Services

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Justine Progebin  
Business Administrator

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Ronald Gordon  
Township Attorney  
Certified as to form

**CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution passed by the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick at a meeting duly held on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024.

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 Lisa Russo  
 Township Clerk

**RECORDED VOTE:**

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
MEHTA				
GUADAGNINO				
ANDREWS				
DAVIS				
SOCIO				
HUTCHINSON				
MAYOR WOMACK				



**Middlesex County  
New Jersey**

Adopted  
Feb 15, 2024 6:30 PM

**Resolution  
24-217-R**

**Authorize County Support Grants To Various Organizations For Arts Project In 2024, As Requested By The Arts Institute Of Middlesex County, In The Total Amount Of \$8,000.00 (Grant Funded)**

Information

<b>Department:</b>	Arts Institute of Middlesex County	<b>Sponsors:</b>	County Commissioner Chanelle Scott McCullum
<b>Category:</b>	County Support Grant		

**2024 Arts Institute of Middlesex County Grant Awards**

ORGANIZATION	DESCRIPTION	TYPE	AWARD AMOUNT
<b>DANCE</b>			
Agraj Seva Kendra	Dance	Program	\$ 6,000.00
Alborada Spanish Dance Theatre	Dance	General Operations	\$ 13,550.00
American Repertory Ballet	Dance	Core Partner Institution	\$ 289,500.00
Chinese Culture and Art Association	Dance	Program	\$ 4,050.00
Indian American Club	Dance	Program	\$ 4,000.00
Middlesex County Magnet Schools	Dance	Core Partner Institution	\$ 9,925.00
Perth Amboy Artworks	Dance	Program	\$ 4,325.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 331,350.00</b>

<b>FESTIVALS / FOLKLIFE</b>			
American Hungarian Foundation	Festivals/Folklife	General Operations	\$ 32,000.00
City of Perth Amboy	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 18,000.00
Csurdongolo Folk Ensemble	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 4,200.00
EB Indie Film Festival	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 3,300.00
Epic Actor's Workshop & Choir	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 7,675.00
Holy Family Parish	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 4,125.00
Hungarian American Athletic Club Folk Dance Group	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 4,150.00
HX Chinese School at Plainsboro	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 3,725.00
India-US Forum of Monroe Township	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 3,200.00
Indian Cultural Society of East Brunswick	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 13,675.00
Indian Heritage and Cultural Association	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 13,000.00
India Heritage Foundation NJ-NY	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 13,000.00
Indo-American Cultural Foundation of Central Jersey	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 7,425.00
Indo-American Festivals	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 15,375.00
Lazos America Unida	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 12,500.00
Main Street Highland Park	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 15,075.00
Metuchen-Edison-Piscataway Area Branch NAACP	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 13,550.00
Middlesex College - Teen Arts Festival	Festivals/Folklife	Core Partner Institution	\$ 18,000.00
New Brunswick Area NAACP	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 4,500.00
New Brunswick Jazz Project	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 26,800.00
New Jersey Media Arts Center	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 17,275.00
New Jersey Vietnamese-American Community Association	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 14,925.00
North Brunswick Township Heritage Day	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 8,000.00
Puerto Rican Association for Human Development	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 9,125.00
Raices Cultural Center	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 13,775.00
Redhawk Native American Arts Council	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 14,850.00
University of the Philippines Alumni & Friends Rondalla	Festivals/Folklife	Program	\$ 4,150.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 315,375.00</b>

<b>LITERARY</b>			
Mignolo	Literary	Program	\$ 7,425.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 7,425.00</b>

<b>MULTIDISCIPLINARY</b>			
Mason Gross School of the Arts	Multidisciplinary	Program	\$ 15,075.00
New Brunswick Cultural Center	Multidisciplinary	Core Partner Institution	\$ 201,875.00
New Jersey Institute for Disabilities	Multidisciplinary	Program	\$ 15,725.00
Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital	Multidisciplinary	Program	\$ 11,700.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 244,375.00</b>

ORGANIZATION	DESCRIPTION	TYPE	AWARD AMOUNT
<b>MUSIC / CHORAL</b>			
Borough Improvement League of Metuchen	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,750.00
Bravura Philharmonic Orchestra	Music/Choral	General Operations	\$ 30,000.00
Cantabile Chamber Chorale	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 8,450.00
Cathedral of St. Francis of Assisi	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 9,850.00
Collegium Musicum	Music/Choral	General Operations	\$ 9,225.00
East Brunswick Public Library	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 5,000.00
Edison Chinese Chorus	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 13,450.00
First Reformed Church	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,450.00
Friends of the Middlesex Library	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,000.00
Highland Park, Borough of	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 3,900.00
Highland Park Recorder Society	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 8,000.00
Hub City Jazz Festival	Music/Choral	General Operations	\$ 31,250.00
Hub City Opera and Dance Company	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 3,900.00
Makhelet Hamercz Jewish Choir of Central NJ	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,475.00
Metuchen Public Library	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,100.00
Monroe Township Cultural Arts Commission	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,050.00
New Brunswick Chamber Orchestra	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 9,000.00
Philomusica Choir	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 7,375.00
Raritan Players	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 4,250.00
Rise Up Chorus	Music/Choral	General Operations	\$ 15,000.00
Saint Mary's Church - Music at Saint Mary's	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 7,125.00
South Brunswick Public Library	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 2,400.00
Veritas Youth Orchestra	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 3,850.00
Woodbridge Community Choir	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 3,600.00
Woodbridge Township Cultural Arts Commission/Barron Arts Center	Music/Choral	Program	\$ 8,300.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 209,750.00</b>

<b>PUBLIC ART</b>			
City of New Brunswick	Public Art	Program	\$ 3,725.00
Metuchen Downtown Alliance	Public Art	Program	\$ 7,050.00
New Brunswick Tomorrow	Public Art	Program	\$ 5,000.00
Rutgers University, Department of American Studies	Public Art	Program	\$ 9,000.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 24,775.00</b>

<b>THEATER</b>			
Carteret Business Partnership	Theater	Program	\$ 5,000.00
Crossroads Theatre Company	Theater	Core Partner Institution	\$ 201,782.00
East Brunswick Community Players	Theater	Program	\$ 5,775.00
George Street Playhouse	Theater	Core Partner Institution	\$ 405,000.00
Middlesex County Parks and Recreation/Plays in the Park	Theater	Core Partner Institution	\$ 5,000.00
Pride Center of New Jersey	Theater	Program	\$ 4,350.00
South Plainfield Summer Drama Workshop	Theater	Program	\$ 4,025.00
State Theatre Regional Arts Center at New Brunswick	Theater	Core Partner Institution	\$ 311,500.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 942,432.00</b>

<b>VISUAL ARTS</b>			
Alfa Art Gallery	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 9,250.00
Dunellen Arts and Culture Commission	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 2,575.00
New Brunswick Free Public Library	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 3,275.00
Piscataway Public Library	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 5,000.00
Spectrum for Living Development	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 5,950.00
Town Clock Community Development Corporation	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 9,275.00
Zimmerli Art Museum, Rutgers University	Visual Arts	Program	\$ 29,250.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 64,575.00</b>

ORGANIZATION	DESCRIPTION	TYPE	AWARD AMOUNT
<b>HISTORY</b>			
Agraj Seva Kendra	History	Program	\$ 2,800.00
East Brunswick Museum	History	Program	\$ 4,500.00
Edison Memorial Tower Corporation	History	General Operations	\$ 32,500.00
Fellowship for the Metlar House	History	General Operations	\$ 11,200.00
India-US Forum of Monroe Township	History	Program	\$ 800.00
Indian American Club	History	Program	\$ 4,100.00
Jewish Community Center of Middlesex County	History	Program	\$ 6,500.00
Lost Souls Public Memorial Project	History	Program	\$ 9,200.00
Metuchen-Edison-Piscataway Area Branch NAACP	History	Program	\$ 1,800.00
Metuchen-Edison Historical Society	History	Program	\$ 3,700.00
Milltown Historical Society	History	Program	\$ 3,000.00
New Brunswick Free Public Library	History	Program	\$ 7,300.00
Perth Amboy Historic Preservation Commission	History	Program	\$ 3,500.00
Raices Cultural Center	History	Program	\$ 11,000.00
Redhawk Native American Arts Council	History	Program	\$ 11,000.00
South River Historical & Preservation Society	History	Program	\$ 1,800.00
Wicoff House Museum - Twp. of Plainsboro	History	Program	\$ 14,300.00
Woodbridge Township Cultural Arts Commission/Barron Arts Center	History	Program	\$ 4,700.00
Woodbridge Township Historic Preservation Commission	History	Program	\$ 3,700.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 137,400.00</b>
<b>CAPITAL</b>			
South Brunswick Public Library	Capital	Capital Equipment	\$ 35,000.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 35,000.00</b>
<b>TOTAL ALL GRANTS</b>			<b>\$ 2,312,457.00</b>

## Introduction

The Arts Institute of Middlesex County (AIMC) is committed to the vision that all residents of Middlesex County can access and participate in the arts, history, folklife and culture that enrich their lives. One of the many ways it advances and revitalizes this mission is by developing and funding art, history, folklife and cultural programs that serve the residents of Middlesex County. By working in conjunction with municipalities and local nonprofit art and history organizations, AIMC delivers quality programming to the residents of Middlesex County.

Funding for these grants is made possible by the Middlesex County Board of County Commissioners. Middlesex County funding partners are the New Jersey Department of State - New Jersey Historical Commission and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.

These guidelines are for General Operating Support Grants and Program Support I & II Grants. Middlesex County also offers Historic Preservation Grants and Capital Grants.

**Grant Application Website:** <https://middlesex.smapply.io/>

GRANT	GENERAL OPERATING SUPPORT (GOS) \$10,000 – \$35,000	PROGRAM SUPPORT I \$5,001 – \$30,000	PROGRAM SUPPORT II \$1,000 – \$5,000
DESCRIPTION	Two-Year funding for existing nonprofits to ensure operating and administrative capacity. This ensures their ability to deliver programming.	Annual funding for existing nonprofits to deliver specific programming.	Annual funding for existing nonprofits to deliver specific programming.

## General Operating Support (GOS)

GRANT REQUEST SIZE	CASH MATCH	DATA ARTS FUNDERS REPORT
\$10,000 – \$35,000	25% (Grant request size cannot be more than 25% of operating budget)	Required

## Program Support I

GRANT REQUEST SIZE	CASH MATCH	DATA ARTS FUNDERS REPORT
\$5,001 – \$30,000	20% of the grant request.	Required

## Program Support II

GRANT REQUEST SIZE	CASH MATCH	DATA ARTS FUNDERS REPORT
\$1,000 – \$5,000	15% of the grant request.	Not Required