

FY09-10 INDIVIDUAL ARTIST PROJECT		
Applicant	Recommendation	Description
Sue Mark	\$4,999.00	Collaborative community project marksearch focusing on four downtown historic parks resulting in permanent self-guided walking tours.
Favianna Rodriguez	\$4,999.00	<i>American Dream</i> is an interdisciplinary project focusing on the printed poster and online media tools to tell the story of immigrant workers living in Oakland.
Nancy Mizuno Elliott	\$4,999.00	<i>Book Smart</i> will look at the political aspects of librarianship, and will examine the dependency of memory on geography and the relationship between public space and learning.
Marc Bamuthi Joseph	\$4,999.00	A community-based eco-equity theater project " <i>red, black, and GREEN: a blues</i> " that looks at the intersection of green economics and black psychology.
Jim McSilver	\$4,980.00	<i>Oakland Originals</i> is a series of short documentary videos that unearth the artists, musicians, thinkers, and do-ers that make Oakland a uniquely vibrant community.
Tecsa Evans	\$4,999.00	<i>Speak</i> uses modern jazz, spoken word, video documentary and rhythm and blues to share the intimate and real life stories of inspiring survivors of domestic abuse.
Scott Oliver	\$4,999.00	An audio guided walking tour of Lake Merritt composed of ambient field recordings, interviews, narration a culturally diverse music by local artists.
Andrew Chung	\$4,999.00	Staged and orchestrated production of <i>The Marriage of Figaro</i> at the Oakland Metro Operahouse.
Kristy Guevara-Flanagan	\$4,999.00	Three-part documentary feature that addresses the history and cultural influence of the comic book superherione <i>Wonder Woman</i> .
Alan Leon	\$4,999.00	<i>Rediscovering Oakland Places</i> will include 20 watercolor paintings celebrating Oakland that includes community workshops sessions and a culminating exhibition.
Lori Anne Fischer	\$4,999.00	Creation and design of hand sew dolls with children in long-term care and their families at two local hospitals.
Kristine Holohan	\$4,999.00	<i>Installed Visions</i> engages youth to create installations using components of modern and historical Oakland culture.
Rita Sklar	\$4,900.00	Exhibition of 12 paintings of Oakland's diverse bird species.
Jaime Cortez	\$4,999.00	<i>Bang</i> is an anti-violence graphic novel that will be distributed to Oakland Middle Schools. The story will focus on Oakland youth and adults living with the aftermath of a senseless killing.
Derek Wright	\$4,999.00	Percussion courses in the Maracatu tradition of Brazilian music for Oakland youth.
Gina Telcocci	\$4,999.00	Mask-Making workshop using the traditions of many cultures. Materials will include paper-mache, paint, and recycled materials.
Leyya Mona Tawil	\$4,999.00	<i>Grace</i> is a performance work celebrating feminism through the lens of fashion, sex and sainthood.

Sam Mulberry	\$4,999.00	The Weekend Wake Up a free, monthly event celebrating multi-disciplinary art.
Hugh Livingston	\$4,999.00	Sound installation events that will explore the history of outdoor musicmaking and memorial music throughout history.
Milta Ortiz	\$4,999.00	Creation of a series of writing and performance workshops based on the story of Chicana/Latinas as they negotiate the impact of war.
Destiny Muhammad	1,962.55	<i>Music to My Ears</i> brings the experience of the harp to underserved communities.
Lauren Elder	1,962.55	WashWorld: an eco-art project that combines architecture, landscape, water circulation, visual and performing arts.
INDIVIDUAL ARTIST TOTAL	103,895.00	

FY09-10 ORGANIZATION PROJECT

Applicant	Recommendation	Description
Purple Silk Music Education Foundation Inc.	\$11,385.00	Elementary school students are introduced to the joyS of music through ongoing sequential instruction in traditional Chinese musical instruments.
Prescott Circus Theatre	\$15,090.00	After school Circus Arts training and performing opportunities for Oakland youth at 7 participating OUSD schools where students learn juggling, acrobatics, unicycling, stilt walking, balancing and clowning/acting skills combined with cultural performing t
Creative Growth Art Center	\$14,400.00	<i>Around the Corner, Around the World</i> consists of a series of art-making and outreach activities to build a gateway for artists with disabilities.
Oaktown Jazz Workshops	\$5,712.00	The <i>Intergenerational Jazz Band</i> program will partner youth with jazz musicians in a collaborative music-making experience.
Rhythmic Concepts, Inc.	\$7,531.27	<i>In the Name of Love</i> , a musical tribute with the Oakland Children's Choir, joins renowned musical artists that will bring people together to celebrate the life of Martin Luther King Jr.
Prescott Joseph Center for Community Enhancement	\$4,966.50	<i>Theater in the Yard</i> involves inner-city residents in the creation of art in their neighborhoods.
KITKA Inc.	\$14,175.00	Folk song master artist residencies and community vocal workshops celebrating East European folkloric traditions.
Crosspulse, Inc.	\$8,997.75	30th Anniversary home season involving performances and workshops from the ensembles Slammin All-Body Band, Crosspulse Percussion Ensemble and Crosspulse Rhythm Duo.

Youth UpRising	\$13,920.00	Multi-media training program for student artists who will use video to express youth perspectives on violence prevention, teen pregnancy prevention and youth leadership.
Oakland Asian Cultural Center	\$4,593.60	Month-long jazz themed Asian Pacific American Heritage Festival <i>Jazz-Asian American Style</i> that will feature live performances by local Asian American jazz artists.
Rock Paper Scissors Collective, Inc	\$6,017.93	Partnership with local organizations to provide workshops taught by emerging artists that will be exhibited at RPSC. Monthly sliding scale classes will also be taught by exhibiting artists.
Youth Radio	\$13,500.00	<i>Oakland Voices 2.0</i> will promote learning understanding and participation in the arts among Oakland youth through showcase events and regular broadcasting. Youth will integrate music, photography and other artistic expressions to engage the community.
ALICE: Arts and Literacy in Children's Education	\$4,999.00	<i>Burning Libraries</i> will feature professional aerialists, dancers, fire artists and community youth who will celebrate storytelling and Oakland's cultural diversity.
Tea Party Magazine, Inc	\$6,956.31	Publication that documents and showcases Oakland artists and cultural organizations.
Junior Center of Art and Science	\$13,080.00	Series of visual art and cultural programs for children ages 3 to 17 that will include outreach programs in school classrooms.
East Oakland Youth Development Center	\$12,750.00	Hands-on visual and performing arts for youth 6-18. Workshops engage participants in integrative and comprehensive arts programming.
Music is Extraordinary	\$4,689.00	Music lessons for students 10-17 who will participate in a full orchestra rehearsals and will have an opportunity to perform with the works of legendary American jazz artists.
Diamano Coura West African	8,696.33	Presentation of <i>Collage des Cultures Africaines</i> , that includes drum, dance, health and wellness workshops.
Community Women's Orche	1,780.95	<i>Women and Music: 25 Years!</i> , will feature three concerts highlighted Oakland composers Martha Stoddard and Mary Watkins and internationally acclaimed composer Hilary Tann.
ORANIZATION PROJECT TO \$173, 240.63		
FY09-10 ART IN THE SCHOOLS		
Applicant	Recommendation	Description
Purple Silk Music Education Foundation, Inc.	\$15,103.20	Elementary School students will be introduced to the joys of music through in-depth, sequential instruction in traditional Chinese musical instruments and opera.

Oakland East Bay Symphony	\$15,000.00	Music for Excellence (MUSE) provides comprehensive instrumental instruction to grades 3-12 by bringing professional musicians of Oakland East Bay Symphony into 18 public schools.
Stagebridge	\$14,950.00	<i>Storybridge</i> is an intergenerational program which strengthens students' artistic and literacy skills while learning the art of storytelling, and provides teacher training, mentoring and workshops which culminate in student performances.
Peralta Parent Teachers Group	\$14,650.00	Working with media artist Trena Noval and textile artist Ellen Oppenheimer students and staff will use art as a tool to do service work in the community.
Museum of Children's Art	\$14,550.00	The REACH/ New Highland Artist Residency Program provides year-long visual artist residencies serving an estimated 580 students in East Oakland.
East Bay Agency for Children	\$4,999.00	Eagles' Nest After School Program will provide arts enrichment to K-3 and 4-5 graders.
Edna Brewer Middle School	\$7,640.44	Artist residency that will integrate textile arts and history as well as a provide expressive arts group for children of incarcerated parents. Residency will culminate in an exhibition.
Lighthouse Community Charter School	\$12,677.76	<i>Ancient Traditions Through Modern Eyes</i> is a multi-disciplinary art residency where students will study Mexican Folk Art, Trees of Life, Ancient Chinese Art, African Art, and brush painting.
Dimensions Dance Theater	\$14,400.00	Students will explore African dance as well as the history of these dances and the evolution from their African roots.
Woman's Will	\$7,358.69	Dramatic writing and performance program for 8th graders who will use theater games to research, write, edit and create 4 short plays.
Cantare Con Vivo	\$14,000.00	Cantare Children's Choir provides inner-city K-12 students with music education.
ALICE: Arts and Literacy in children's Education	\$13,900.00	The <i>Ancestor Project</i> will integrate the visual and performing arts into an existing heritage related curriculum where students collect oral histories.
Debra Koppman	\$13,850.00	<i>Telling Our Stories</i> is a school-wide project where students will engage in hands-on art instruction in drawing, painting, book-making, murals, puppet and mask-making and literacy.
Diamano Coura West African Dance Company	\$8,894.00	Students will experience the African drum, costume making and dance techniques and explore how the art is integrated in language arts, social science and cultural studies.
North Oakland Community Charter School	\$8,894.34	School-wide arts integration program in the Visual and Performing Arts.

ART IN THE SCHOOLS TOTAL	\$180,867.77	
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FY08-09 AND FY09-10 ORGANIZATIONAL ASSISTANCE		
<i>FY09-10 is the second year of a two-year grant. Approval of these grants is contingent on Council approval and staff evaluation of the interim report. Awards below are for General Operating Support except where noted.</i>		
Awardee	Annual Award	Description
African Queens Youth Perfo	\$4,500.00	Pan African dance training as a tool for helping build self-esteem, cultural awareness, and social responsibility and leadership skills among girls ages 8-18.
Attitudinal Healing Connecti	\$12,908.41	ArtEsteem, an award winning art and literacy program that helps students overcome their experience with living in underdeveloped social and economic conditions.
AXIS Dance Company	\$26,175.69	Supporting Artistic and Educational programs, salaries and marketing expenses.
Creative Growth Art Center	\$51,725.97	Studio arts instruction, gallery exhibition and promotion for over 150 adult artists with developmental, physical and emotional disabilities. Also supported are the Summer Youth Program, new media workshops, innovative Dialogues Visiting Artist Program, book publication and special joint efforts with alternative partners.
Destiny Arts Center	\$37,267.76	Immersive theater/dance/stagecraft experience for approximately 30 youth, after school and weekend dance and martial arts classes for youth ages 3-18, the <i>Teddy Bears Program</i> , serving children 3-6.
Dimensions Dance Theater,	\$21,197.69	A year long series of community performances and open showcases throughout Oakland to acknowledge and celebrate the company's 35 year history of dance making. This year's theme is <i>Nurturing the Community and Celebrating the Future</i> .
EastSide Arts Alliance	\$33,948.72	Year round free arts workshops for youth, ongoing music, dance, theater, literary events and the annual <i>Malcolm X JazzArts Festival</i> .
Friends of Peralta Hacienda	\$26,405.69	Supports youth and general community art classes and events, focusing on multi-cultural exchange via storytelling, visual public arts, digital storytelling, and other mediums. Low-cost and culture based historical field trips for 3rd and 4th graders, park exhibits featuring audio recordings of neighbors and additions to the <i>Community Recipe Book</i> .
Museum of Children's Art	\$55,497.03	Supporting museum programs, School Programs and Community Programs serving 25,000 children per year in a range of art and arts learning experiences.
Oakland East Bay Symphon	\$60,530.80	Supports the symphony's <i>Classical Music Series</i> , commissioning of new works, education and outreach programs, artistic costs, pro-rated administrative expenses, concert production and costs associated with the marketing and promotion of these programs.

Oakland Interfaith Gospel Ch	\$12,908.41	Community Engagement Performances for disenfranchised and/or institutionalized individuals, community groups/non-profit organizations, Annual Holiday Concert, Oakland Interfaith Youth Gospel Choir and recording a 5th CD.
Oakland Leaf	\$43,805.53	Improve and expand independent educational initiatives including youth arts and leadership program, <i>Youth Roots</i> , and <i>Oakland Peace Camp</i> a summer arts and social justice program.
Oakland Youth Chorus	\$50,440.20	Multi-cultural music education and performance program for youth, fostering talent, confidence and community. Providing school-based programs in 23 Oakland schools, as well as performing choruses for middle and high school aged youth.
Oakland Youth Orchestra	\$18,574.38	Orchestra recruitment, education, performances and development of scholarship programs targeted at talented low-income music students in the Oakland public schools.
Opera Piccola	\$36,998.75	Serving Oakland children, youth and adults through classes and multicultural performances that celebrate the deep voices of community and diverse cultures.
Pro Arts, Inc.	\$23,699.19	Strategic Development for support and programming during a facility relocation and strategic planning process.
Savage Jazz Dance Compan	\$5,144.07	Oakland based dance performances, outreach and educational programs.
Stagebridge	\$26,586.33	Expanded fee based classes and workshops for seniors at Arts First Oakland, classes and performances by Stagebridge artists at senior facilities, professional teaching artists and grandparent storytellers in elementary schools.
The Crucible	\$52,436.25	Year round arts education programs consisting of workshops, classes and collaborative events that serve more than 20,000 youth and adults each year in their West Oakland arts studio.
Underworld Opera Company	\$27,993.82	Performing arts activities at the Oakland Metro Operahouse. Exposing Oaklanders to great African-American and multi-ethnic traditions in opera and performing arts while creating new traditions that speak to the community.
Woman's Will	\$3,090.32	Board development plan to help transition from advisory/management capacity to an active fundraising board, to add members, bolster diversity and provide training to support growth of company from all volunteer to professional, including creating plans to boost major donor development and event development.

**ANNUAL
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ASSISTANCE TOTAL**

\$631,835.01