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Boston Cultural Council	www.mass-culture.org/Boston	**$199,100**

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826 Boston, Inc. (www.826Boston.org) **$3,000**

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A Far Cry, Inc., Boston (www.afarcry.org) **$3,000**

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YouthReach Program: for a conceptual dance project demonstrating and addressing social issues present among young teens such as bullying, body image, and cultural differences.

Boston Cyberarts, Inc. (www.bostoncyberarts.org) **$4,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to exhibit and promote the media and digital arts of Boston, New England and the world to audiences in the New England region and beyond and by doing so, helping to promote a sense of media and digital literacy, locally and regionally.

Bridge Boston Charter School (www.bridgebostoncs.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: to cultivate non-cognitive character strengths and executive functioning skills for low-income Boston youth through intense high quality ensemble experiences.

Chameleon Arts Ensemble of Boston, Inc. (www.chameleonarts.org) **$4,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to present chamber music representing a wide range of repertoire, including standard, previously neglected, and contemporary works; to inspire interest and excellence in the arts; and to enhance the cultural life of the Boston area.

Community Service Care, Inc., Boston (www.familiescreatingtogether.org) **$2,500**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to provide free/low-cost inclusive community-based art workshops, field trips, art training & materials for children with disabilities and their parents.

The Eliot School of Fine & Applied Arts, Boston (www.eliotschool.org) **$13,100**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to provide opportunities for people of all ages from Jamaica Plain and surrounding communities to develop their skills, creativity, and self-expression through training in the fine and applied arts.

Girls Rock Campaign Boston (www.girlsrockboston.org) **$2,500**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: for music instruction for girls ages 8–17 where participants receive technical instrument instruction, form bands and write an original song, then perform at a public showcase at a Boston venue.

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The Hyde Square Task Force, Inc., Boston (www.hydesquare.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: for an afterschool Afro-Latin dance program to promote the artistic growth and personal resilience of low-income, minority Boston teens and help them become successful and civically engaged artists and individuals.

Inquilinos Boricuas en Acción, Boston (www.ibaboston.org) **$9,800**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to present the diversity of Latino and Latin American cultural expression through performances, festivals, exhibits, residencies and classes in music, corporal movement and visual arts.

Inquilinos Boricuas en Acción, Boston (www.ibaboston.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: to support an employment-based, out-of-school opportunity that places high school aged participants (called Peer Leaders) in rigorous courses centered on the Creative Youth Development model and civic engagement.

Mass L.E.A.P. Collective, Boston (www.massleap.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: to support Youth poets in gaining skills in the creation and management of arts spaces, while serving their peers with quality opportunities.

Metropolitan Wind Symphony, Inc., Boston (www.metwinds.org) **$4,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to provide opportunities for Massachusetts musicians to rehearse and perform traditional and contemporary wind literature in a stimulating and educational atmosphere for diverse Massachusetts audiences.

Margarita Muñiz Academy, Boston (www.munizacademy.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: To provide an intense high quality music program to all students Margarita Muniz Academy.

OrigiNation Cultural Arts Center, Boston (www.originationinc.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: to provide youth with intensive dance training and performance opportunities (in multiple genres), leadership development, and professional development training to promote their selfesteem, physical fitness, and longterm self-sufficiency.

OrigiNation Cultural Arts Center, Boston (www.originationinc.org) **$3,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to utilize culturally relevant and innovative dance and theater programs to promote self-esteem, civic responsibility, and physical fitness among girls and boys between the ages of 2 and 18.

Rehearsal for Life, Inc., Boston (https://rehearsalforlife.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: to develop peer leaders focused on social issues and community outreach using scene work that encourages dialogue and reflection.

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Rehearsal for Life, Inc., Boston (https://rehearsalforlife.org) **$14,300**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to use theater to foster imagination, self esteem and trust in young people; to engage youth in the production of original musical theater for audiences of all ages; to promote community by building bridges across geographic and socio-economic boundaries in greater Boston.

Sociedad Latina, Inc., Boston (www.sociedadlatina.org) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: for the Youth Artist (YA) Mastery Program based on the overwhelming youth interest in more music opportunities at Sociedad.

Sociedad Latina, Inc., Boston (www.sociedadlatina.org) **$17,600**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to celebrate Latino culture and heritage while working to end the destructive cycles of poverty and lack of youth educational and professional opportunities within the community.

Spontaneous Celebrations, Inc., Boston (www.spontaneouscelebrations.org) **$4,700**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to create and sustain a community cultural life that unites and empowers youth,families and communities for change through the creative arts, to produce seasonal community celebrations in the Jamaica Plain and Roxbury neighborhoods, and to maintain a diverse community cultural center for all.

Transformative Culture Project, Inc., Boston (www.tcproject.org) **$3,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to increase access to opportunities, education and employment in the creative fields for urban youth, artists of color and entrepreneurs from underserved but culturally rich neighborhoods.

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YouthReach Program: to work with youth who are most likely to be negatively impacted by media messages and put them in control of crafting alternatives.

Tunefoolery Music, Inc., Boston (www.tunefoolery.org) **$4,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to provide musicians in mental health recovery the opportunity to perform, gain musical education and growth, provide other mental health consumers access to quality cultural programming, and provide education to youth and the general public.

Urbano Project, Inc., Boston (www.urbanoproject.org) **$6,300**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to bring together Boston youth together with professional artists to ignite social change through participatory, transdisciplinary works of contemporary art that engage their communities.

VSA Massachusetts, Inc., Boston (www.vsamass.org) **$8,600**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to promote access to the arts, culture, education, and community by, with, and for people with various disabilities including sensory impairments, mental illness, developmental, and learning disabilities.

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Zoo New England, Boston (www.zoonewengland.com) **$16,000**

YouthReach Program: to support the ZooTeen, ZooTeen, Jr., Teen Ambassador, and Youth Advisory Council programs in order to provide students with access to hands-on learning opportunities, exposure to jobs in zoos and conservation organizations, and workplace skills.

Zoo New England, Boston (www.zoonewengland.com) **$57,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to inspire people to protect and sustain the natural world for future generations by creating fun and engaging experiences that integrate wildlife and conservation programs, research, and education.

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