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FY2019 Local Cultural Council Program
Allocations for Local Regranting

Senator Cynthia Stone Creem

Brookline Commission for the Arts	www.mass-culture.org/Brookline	\$12,000
Newton Cultural Council	www.mass-culture.org/Newton	\$16,900
Wellesley Cultural Council	www.mass-culture.org/Wellesley	\$5,100

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All Newton Music School, Inc. (www.allnewtonmusicschool.com)	\$14,700
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to provide high quality instruction in musical arts, and to present programs of cultural interest, without regard to age, background, musical ability, or financial status.	
Artistic Noise, Inc., Newton (www.artisticnoise.org)	\$16,000
YouthReach Program: to provide studio art workshops in detention and a community-based, re-entry work programs for youth.	
Back Bay Chorale, Brookline (www.bbcboston.org)	\$4,500
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to perform great choral music that inspires our audiences, challenges the members, and is prepared with a commitment to excellence.	
Blue Heron Renaissance Choir, Inc., Newton (www.blueheron.org)	\$5,700
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to perform and record 15th- and 16th-century European music; to explore unfamiliar repertoire; and to increase the appreciation of the music among a more diverse general public.	
The Boston Jewish Film Festival, Inc., Newton (www.bjff.org)	\$9,000
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to engage and inspire the community to explore the full spectrum of Jewish life, values and culture, through film and media.	
Brookline Arts Center, Inc. (www.brooklineartscenter.com)	\$6,900
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to teach and to stimulate individual creative expression and art appreciation by providing high quality, affordable programs to people of all ages, abilities and backgrounds.	
Brookline Music School, Inc. (www.bmsmusic.org)	\$17,300
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to nurture interest and excellence in music and dance; offer first class instruction to the entire community, regardless of age or background; provide generous scholarship aid; sponsor a full schedule of public concerts and events.	
Cappella Clausura, Inc., Newton (www.clausura.org)	\$2,500
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: for a concert featuring Fanny Mendelssohn Hensel's three cantatas for chorus, soloists, and orchestras.	
Collage New Music, Brookline (www.collagenewmusic.org)	\$4,000
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to commission, perform, and record contemporary classical music -- with a special emphasis on the music of Boston-based composers; and to provide an arena for the union of composer, performer, and listener through thoughtful and innovative programming and related events.	
Commonwealth Chorale, Newton (http://www.commonwealthchorale.com)	\$4,000
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to perform, at the highest possible level of personal and collective musicianship, a varied and challenging repertoire of the finest classical music from all periods and from a wide cross-section of composers.	

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Coolidge Corner Theatre Foundation, Inc., Brookline (www.coolidge.org)	\$28,800
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to celebrate the experience of cinema by presenting the finest international, documentary, animated, and independent/experimental film series while helping to preserve Boston's last original Art Deco moviehouse with live performances, educational programs, lectures, young/local filmmaker showcases--that all goes to nurture a broad-based, diverse audience.	
Jewish Arts Collaborative, Newton (www.jartsboston.org)	\$10,600
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to present, share, and foster Jewish creativity, thorough producing events and collaborating with other arts organizations looking to include Jewish perspectives.	
Juventas New Music Ensemble, Wellesley (www.juventasmusic.com)	\$2,500
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: for the Boston New Music Festival.	
Metropolitan Chorale of Brookline (www.metropolitanchorale.org)	\$4,000
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to unite singers who share the joy of learning and performing a challenging traditional and contemporary repertoire, and to support the growth of music in our community.	
New Art Center in Newton (www.newartcenter.org)	\$13,300
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to promote artistic creation and education through classes, exhibitions, and public programs for children, adolescents, and adults.	
New Philharmonia Orchestra of MA, Inc., Newton (www.newphil.org)	\$4,300
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to bring live classical music to as many people as possible, thereby serving to keep classical music alive and enrich the lives of players and audiences.	
Newton Historical Society, Inc. (www.historicnewton.org)	\$5,600
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to encourage inquiry into and exploration of Newton within the broad context of American history.	
Palaver Strings, Inc., Brookline (www.palaverstrings.org)	\$2,500
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to support Palaver Strings, Ethos, and the LGBT Aging Project as they work with elderly LGBT adults throughout Boston to co-write songs about their life experiences and present them in a public concert.	
Pro Arte Chamber Orchestra of Boston, Newton (www.proarte.org)	\$4,300
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to bring together musicians and audiences through outstanding performances of new and traditional chamber orchestra music, cooperative governance, and unique educational outreach to diverse communities.	
Puppet Showplace, Inc., Brookline (www.puppetshowplace.org)	\$7,200
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to support excellence in puppetry as a theatrical experience that educates, enlightens, and entertains all audiences.	

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Suzuki School of Newton, Inc. (www.suzukinewton.org) **\$13,600**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to cultivate beautiful hearts in children through beautiful music; that is, promote early childhood, intellectual, and character development by instilling in them a lifelong love and respect of music.

Voices Boston, Brookline (www.voicesboston.org) **\$4,200**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to transform children into performing artists through training in voice, drama and dance, and empower them to engage with audiences in profound ways.

Zamir Chorale of Boston, Inc., Newton (www.zamir.org) **\$4,300**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to preserve, promote, and perpetuate Jewish culture for a wide variety of audiences through choral performances, symposia, recordings, publications, and the commissioning of new musical works.

Zephyr Press, Brookline (www.zephyrpress.org) **\$4,000**

Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to publish literary titles that foster a deeper understanding of other cultures and languages, with a focus on contemporary literature in translation from Russia, Eastern Europe, and East Asia; and to further promote cross-cultural exchange by organizing bilingual readings, translation workshops, and other cultural events.

Total FY19 Direct Grants: \$193,800