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Report of the Assistant City Manager



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In accordance with Section 6 of the Arts Act 2003 local authorities may provide financial assistance for the purpose of:

- (a) Stimulating public interest in the Arts,
- (b) Promoting knowledge, appreciation and practice of the arts, or
- (c) Improving standards in the arts within its functional area.

Dublin City Council advertised its Arts Grants Scheme on 16th September 2017 with a closing date of 1st November 2017. A total of 175 applications were received and these were examined and evaluated by a Sub Group of the Arts, Culture, Leisure and Community SPC.

There are three types of Arts Grants awarded.

- 1. Revenue Grants: Annual support for established Arts Organisations. €267K
- 2. Project Grants: Applications by Artists, Arts Organisations and Collectives to mount specific projects such as plays, exhibitions, concerts etc. €153K
- 3. Neighbourhood/Voluntary Grants: Support for Arts Projects with significant input by residents of, and located in, a City Neighbourhood. Also applications by Voluntary Arts Groups. €110K

In 2017, Dublin City Arts Office reviewed its approach to supporting the development of The Arts in Neighbourhoods. A pilot Neighbourhood Partnership informed by the Neighbourhood/ Arts Grants process with the Arts Office and Area Offices was developed to support a project in each City Administrative Area. The Arts and Areas Offices have committed to continue this model in 2018, through further dialogue and agreement at local level.

The award of grants to the total sum of €530,000, as detailed in the report, is recommended for approval by Dublin City Council.

<u>Declan Wallace</u> Assistant Chief Executive

20th December 2017

REF	Category	Business Name	Project Description	Amount Recommended
2018-002	Project	The Mart Gallery	Year long prog of exhibs & events showcasing work of artists in the MART Gallery Rathmines.	€4,000
2018-005	Project	Irish Writers Centre	1: New Irish Communities Creative Writing Workshops; 2: Flash Fiction Competition: St. Brigid's Day; 3: Nollaig Na mBan	€5,000
2018-010	Project	The Corn Exchange Theatre Company	Opening Night by John Cassavettes. Presented in partnership with Dublin Theatre festival 2018.	€5,000
2018-014	Project	Amanda Dunsmore	One Hundred Years - a film video portrait of Sen. Ivana Bacik, to be filmed on the 100th anniversary of women first having the vote in Ireland	€3,000
2018-018	Project	Jacek Wislocki	Jacek Wislocki with Chant21 ensemble and musicians to present three varied programmes of Italian 17th century music in Dublin in April 2018 as well as various other concerts and cultural events during 2018.	€3,000
2018-026	Project	The Sculptors Society of Ireland CLG t/a Visual Artists Ireland	Visual Artists News Sheets; Info Pool; Workshops; Dublin City Advocacy Events; Regional and International REP Programmes.	€3,000
2018-028	Project	Smock Alley CLG	Scene & Heard - a festival of new work across Music, Theatre, Comedy, Dance and Spoken Word. Smock Generator - new initiative for budding theatre creatives focusing on training programmes in specialised areas.	€3,000
2018-030	Project	Theatre Lovett LTD	To support elements of their 2018 Programme: Theatre Lovett Talks; Theatre Production 1 - Memory Gaps; Theatre Production 2 – FRNKNSTN	€4,000
2018-033	Project	Liz Roche Company	New site specific dance piece commissioned by the Goethe Institute for Dublin dance Festival 2018	€5,000

2018-037	Project	Phonica	Phonica Eight: Multidisciplinary event, Boys School, Smock Alley Theatre on March 26th 2018; Phonica Nine:Multidisciplinary	€2,000
			event, Boys School, Smock Alley Theatre on July 16th.	
2018-039	Project	Black Church Print Studio CLG	Exhibition held in Sept 2018 in Photo Ireland: The Library Project which will be curated by Alissa Kleist entitled The Medium is the Message;	€4,000
2018-042	Project	Helium Arts	1. Artists-in-Residents Project Fireflies Year 3 focusing on teenagers transitioning from paediatric to adult care in association with Dublin Children's hospitals. 2. Two Suitcase Project with CanTeen Ireland: The Secret language Project	€3,000
2018-045	Project	Age and Opportunity and Bealtaine Festival	Everybody Sings, new theatre project. Bealtaine 2018	€3,000
2018-046	Project	Roisin Bohan	Proposed exhibition is a solo show of contemporary drawing works by visual artist Bren Smyth.	€2,000
2018-053	Project	Dublin Office Centre	Numerous musical programmes and activities throughout the year	€2,000
2018-062	Project	Niamh Shaw Limited	Production of Diary of a Martian Bee-keeper in Dublin	€3,000
2018-065	Project	The Royal Irish Academy of Music	'Saluting the Feminists',March 2018, day long series of workshops and discussions celebrating female pedagogues and composers. Also Irish premiere of opera Scipio's Dream being staged as part of RIAM's Opera Brief season 27-29th March.	€2,000
2018-066	Project	National Irish Visual Arts Library (NIVAL)	Artist's commissio	€2,000

2018-068	Project	Rince agus Damhsa Teoranta CTR	Dance production - 'Inventions' at Project Arts Centre.	€2,000
2018-070	Project	Chinese Language Film Festival Ireland	Made in Film Festival 2018 including 9 events, IFI screening, masterclass,	€2,000
2018-073	Project	Dumbworld Ltd	'Drive by Shooting' - a 10 minute outdoor animated opera video projection in conjunction with the St. Patrick's Day Festival .	€4,000
2018-080	Project	Monica Munoz	Princesses can be pirates - dance project for young audiences - docklands area arts education.	€2,000
2018-081	Project	International Dublin Gay Theatre Festival Ltd	Festival 2018 performances of 25-30 productions of theatre, drama, comedy, musical theatre, cabaret and physical theatre / dance.	€4,000
2018-084	Project	PhotoIreland Festival	Benedicte Van Derreydt, I AM 14 Exhibition / Main Group Exhibition / How to Flatten a Mountain / Dublin City Campus / International Photobook Festival Kassel Exhibition / Critical Practice Reviews / Laia Abril	€5,000
2018-091	Project	Liv O'Donoghue	Production and Premiere of After	€2,000
2018-093	Project	Gina Moxley	The Patient Gloria production by Gina Moxley	€3,000
2018-099	Project	Anu Productions	Artists in Residence at the Gate, , researching and developing the Gate's inaugural programme theme of the 'outsider', creating 4 interventions in Dublin 1 with curated inquiries, talks and performances.	€6,000

2018-101	Project	Contemporary	Music Tales 2018: a series of 4	€2,000
		Music Centre	free concerts in DCC public libraries celebrating the	
			connections between Irish	
			composers and Irish writers and	
			exploring the historical context of the book selected for One City	
			One Book, during April 2018.	
2018-105	Project	Pallas Projects Ltd	Periodical Review', an annual	€6,500
			exhibition by Pallas	
			Projects/Studios	
			to look at recent Irish art, selected in collaboration with	
			invited curators/peers from	
			around Ireland.	
2018-106	Project	Red Bear	Anew comedy show written and	€2,000
		Productions	performed by an all female ensemble in	
			Smock Alley Theatre	
			Smock Alley Medic	
2018-110	Project	Big Bang Festival of	Specialist Workshops for rhythm	€2,000
		Rhythm	makers, , performances and	
			events	
2018-116	Project	SJ/Sarah Jane Scaife	Presentation of Samuel Beckett's	€3,000
			'Company' in The Projects Arts at	
			the Dublin Theatre Festival 2018.	
			Also international touring and Beckett in the City: Fizzles will	
			also be presented in The Irish	
			Arts Centre.	
2018-121	Project	SPECKINTIME	Production of play by Melissa	€2,000
			Nolan and Matthew Ralli to be	
			performed in Dublin Nov 2018.	
2018-125	Project	First Fortnight Ltd	Programme of events in Jan 2018	€3,000
			including: Blank Page -	
			Leathanach Ban, an immersive	
			Irish language theatrical experience;	
			The Public Diary, a participatory	
			installation; OutStraight, a	
			concept spoken word theatre	
2010 120	Droinet	Dublin Sound Lab	Show	£2.000
2018-128	Project	CLG	Live video concert performance at new Music Dublin Festival,	€2,000
			March 2018;	
			Music Current Festival, April	
			2018;	

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2018-130	Project	Irish Baroque Ltd t/a Irish Baroque	Various Dublin performances: Dublin Virtuosi 19 - 24 Feb 2018; Theodora by Handel April 2018; The Art of Prodigy; Delirio Sept 2018; The Italian Triosonata - the essence of the baroque Sept; Born in 1685, Oct 2018; Messiah, G.F. Handel, Dec 2018	€5,000
2018-131	Project	C.A.F.E Ltd t/a Create	Learning Development 2018 in association with The Lab, DIT, IADT and NCAD. Create offers up to 10 students artists the opportunity to engage in a significant initiative as CAPP Fellows culminating in a final international exchange event in June 2018.	€4,000
2018-134	Project	Kirks	Kirsoskammer, a salon style chamber music series in the Bewleys Café Theatre@Powescourt	€2,000
2018-138	Project	Great Music in Irish Houses t/a Musical Knights Ltd	The Great Music in Irish Houses Festival 48th anniversary season	€2,000
2018-145	Project	Smashing Times Theatre and Film Company Ltd	Acting for the Future	€2,000
2018-147	Project	THISISPOPBABY	Where We Live - 7th -18th March 2018 at the Complex, Smithfield as part of St.Patrick's Festival 2018	€4,000
2018-149	Project	Brokentalkers	Original music/theatre performance exploring the themes of oppression, abuse and redemption of women through song, movement, live music, imagery.	€2,000
2018-151	Project	Shiva Productions	A theatrical experience for and about the National Botanic Gardens (NBG), to be shown on site in different locations around the Gardens during July and August 2018.	€2,000
2018-153	Project	Landmark Productions Ltd.	The Approach, premiere of a new play by Mark O'Rowe in February 2018; and Asking For it, at The Abbey	€3,000

2018-155	Project	Zoe Ni Riordain	A new production Everything I Do.	€2,500
2018-156	Project	Live Collision c/o Project Arts Centre	Live Collision International Festival 2018	€3,000
2018-163	Project	Irish Theatre Institute CLG	Networking and Showcasing in Ireland; 13th Information Toolbox; Artist centred activity supporting artists, ongoing professional development, training and mentoring; Artform development activity including publishing research.	€4,000
2018-164	Project	Alchemiser CLG t/a Graphic Studio Dublin	Offering a Fine Art Print Residency to an emerging or established artist from the Dublin City Council area in 2018. The artist will spend one week in Graphic Studio Dublin and produce a multi-plate print, working with studio director, Robert Russell.	€2,000
2018-167	Project	Julia Dubsky and Kyle McDonald	Exhibition in Pallas Studios and Project Space;.	€2,000
2018-169	Project	RGKSKSRG	A series of intimate audiences to see inside selected artists'sudios/homes. They are commissioned to produce a new work/display an existing work/hold a screening/stage a performance/give a talk or demo of their work.	€3,000
2018-004	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Irish Writers Centre	3 Proposed Projects: 1: Community Writers in Residence; 2: African Cultural Project; 3: Haiku as Gaeilge, 6 week course as part of IWC Prog.	€3,000
2018-013	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Dublin Youth Dance Company Ltd	DYDC programme of performances, festivals and education throughout 2018.	€4,000

2018-019	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Russian Association in Ireland	Russian Festival of Culture: 11th - 19th February 2018. Various events, concerts, talks and readings .	€2,000
2018-022	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Scoil Chaoimhin	Comhoibriu a bheidh ar siul idir munteoiri Scoil Chaoimhin agus beirt ealaiontoiri - Liam O'Maonlai agus Niamh Lawlor.	€3,000
2018-023	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Na Piobairi Uilleann	Ceol sa Chlub' monthly recitals for 15 - 20 yrs olds to provide a platform for musicians to perform in public and develop as artists. Also free weekly piping performances in Henrietta St. on Friday afternoons for visitors.	€2,000
2018-024	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	RADE (Recovery through Art, Drama and Education)	Productions of full colour collection of cartoon stories by RADE participants;	€2,000
2018-038	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Rialto Development Association CLG	Cultural programmes for local people including the Citizen's Artistic Collective Jan - May 2018.	€2,000
2018-040	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Central Model Senior School	VTS Neighbourhood Schools encompassing VTS training, mentoring and coaching; Peer to Peer Support / Mentoring.	€4,000
2018-047	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Community Centre for Music and the Arts - CLG Crumlin	Extension of music programme to include new instruments in inter generational programme	€2,000
2018-048	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Creativity in the Classroom	Visual Arts programme in schools	€3,000
2018-052	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Dr Sinead McCann	Developing a new artwork entitled 'The Trial' with a group of men attending 'The Bridge' project in Dublin 8.	€2,000
2018-054	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Family Resource Centre Ltd.	An early years music programme	€2,000
2018-057	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Clay Youth Project	A year long creative visual media programme for young people.	€3000
2018-059	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Canal Communities Regional Youth Service Bluebell Youth Project	Weekly classes in guitar / song writing / performance locally and at external events	€2,000

2018-060	Neighbourhood /Voluntary Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Margaret Fitzgibbon Outlandish Theatre Platform	A day long celebration – International Women's Day 2018 – incorporating new artwork. Drawing Activities in Cathal Brugha Barracks on International Drawing Event 2018. Culture Night 2018 – large scale event incorporating various art forms. Open Theatre Practice, weekly open & free workshops at CWIUH.	€3,000 €2,000
2018-069	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Junk Ensemble	Large scale dance production. Novel 'Lolita', Staged Performance of 'Dolores'	€5,000
2018-077	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	East Wall Youth	East Wall Halloween Festival 2018 encompassing a creative arts programme and parade.	€2,000
2018-078	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	SWAN Youth Service	Arts Education and Integration groups, Audience Development.	€4,000
2018-079	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Clodagh Emoe	Central Area arts programme with Gardening Group leading to presentation of audio-work in Bloom and IMMA based artwork and seminar.	€5,000
2018-082	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Ballyfermot Chapeliozod Access Group	Arts Workshops, focusing on the barrier disabled people face. Nature. Performance in Smashing Barriers. Promotion.	€4,000
2018-095	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	The Ark Children's Cultural Centre (CLG) trading as The Ark	Intergenerational project with primary school children, their grandparents and other older members of the community in the area surrounding gaelscoil primary school Colaiste Mhuire on Parnell Street.	€5,000
2018-098	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Artane School Of Music	Primary School based recorder programme in 19 schools for 10 weeks and an additional tutor time as an extension to the programme in 2018 for 3 groups for 30 weeks.	€3,000
2018-104	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Complex Youth Theatre - Care of the Complex	Development of a new theatre show that explores mental health amongst young people, called Untitled,	€2,000

2018-108	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	MaSamba Samba School Social Economy Programme Ltd.	Training weekend; Cavaquinho class; Beginners course in Samba percussion;	€2,000
2018-120	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	The Complex Productions Ltd	Browbeating - Phase 3: a collaborative theatre project between The Complex, The Abbey and women's projects in the North inner city; High Hopes Arts Programme: weekly workshops led by artists	€2,000
2018-124	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Dublin Circus Project	Youth Classes (Jan - July); Open Stage; Residencies; Masterclasses;; Adult Circus classes.	€3,000
2018-135	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Ballyfermot Community Civic Centre Social Economy Ltd	Ballyer's Big Birthday to mark 70th anniversary of Ballyfermot (in collaboration with theatre artists Brokentalkers)	€5,000
2018-137	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Nigerian Carnival Ireland (NCI)	A community based young people's drumming group in Ballymun	€2,000
2018-140	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Blue Drum - The Arts Specialists Support Agency	Place making initiative with new and former residents of Tom Kelly Road French Mullen	€2,000
2018-150	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	DNWAP - Dublin North West Area Partnership	A writer in residence programme exploring addiction and mental health issues with diverse groups to create a collaboration of music, drama and poetry for performance in the Axis Theatre.	€4,000
2018-161	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Martina Galvin	1. Art workshops in 3 schools; 2. gallery visits; 3. consent of principles.	€3,000
2018-165	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	The Five Lamps Arts Festival	The Five Lamps Art Festival 2018	€5,000
2018-166	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Larkin Community College Arts and Citizenship programme	Arts Workshops and Citizenship Education researching what is good about living in the north east inner city culminating in a short film, ' Behind Closed Doors',	€3,000

2018-173	Neighbourhood /Voluntary	Our Lady of Lourdes National School Goldenbridge	Phase 2 of Stories from the Garrison: building on the work carried out in 2017 with the intention of informing the production of a high quality teacher's educational resource for all 4 local schools. Also, a 22 week programme from Dec 2017 - June 2018 Creative Play Community Based	€5,000 €3,000
2016-173	/Voluntary	Ireland, Early Learning Initiative	Early Years Arts Project;	€3,000
2018-007	Revenue	Common Ground GLC	Studio 468 - for artists in early stages of their careers; Studio 468's - Studio Team for development of programmes; Citizen Artist 2016 - 2018 (Collective), The Visiting Project Publication.	€12,000
2018-009	Revenue	Pan Pan Theatre	Numerous theatre productions & programmes: Eliza; The Importance of Nothing, All the Fall and Quad; What is the Word; International Mentorship & Symposium; Café Teahouse; The Same; Intern Programme; Networking.	€6,000
2018-012	Revenue	Dublin Fringe Festival CLG	The Dublin Fringe Festival 2018 - Ireland's largest interdisciplinary arts festival. Artistically diverse with over 80 arts events planned involving over 800 artists.	€35,000
2018-016	Revenue	Association of Professional Dancers in Ireland Company Ltd.	Access & Participation: focused across three interconnected and complementary strands: 1. Dance & Communities; 2. Dance & Youth; 3. Dance & Health and with a view to resourcing a part-time Access & Participation Dance Artist.	€11,000
2018-017	Revenue	Ballymun Arts & Community Resource Centre CLG t/a axis	The development or continuation of projects and festivals including: Drama in the classroom; Sing 2018; THREADS;The axis studio; The Close: Axis in association with Bear Productions; Children & Family; Irish language programming;	€13,000
2018-027	Revenue	Bewley's Café Theatre Co. Ltd	Bewley's Little Gem Award- The Woods and Grandma; numerous theatre Productions / Co- productions	€7,000

2018-043	Revenue	Temple Bar Gallery	Audience programmes assisting	€10,000
		+ Studios Ltd.	access to the arts. Enhanced by	
			having specialist expertise in- house with a	
			Learning and Public Engagement	
			Curator. Also and Exhibition	
			Programme supporting artists to	
			make and present new work for	
			the public.	
2018-067	Revenue	Project Arts Centre	Provision of a space where	€27,000
			members of the artistic	
			community connect with the	
			public and eachother, Project	
			Artists, Dublin Oldshool,	
			Brokentalkers Co-production w Mermaid Arts Centre,	
			Performance Commission	
			Programme Una McKevitt	
			Commission, Una Mullally	
			Commission, Kate Ferris	
			Commission, Rough Magic	
			Partnership, Action Hero, Dance	
			Food, Neighbours, MAKE,	
			Creative Europe Projects, Cube	
			Development Weeks, CoisCéim:	
			Uncle Ray, Scratch: Project Pop	
2018-096	Revneue	Dublin Dance	Up Socially engaged dance works	€16,000
2018-090	Revileue	Festival	from international and Irish	€10,000
		1 CStivui	dance artists, a various list of	
			programme highlights are listed	
2018-097	Revenue	The Ark Children's	Tradfest Family, PUSH EU Project,	€16,000
		Cultural Centre	Hocus Pocus, The Ark at Cruinniu	
		(CLG)	na CASCA, Animation gigs,	
			workshops and summer camps,	
			talks, theatre for children season,	
			Halloween activities, Christmas	
			activies and a variety of other listed activities	
2018-114	Revenue	Rough Magic	Production: Top Girls. Seeds	€7,000
_010 114		TO WELL THURSE	Programme. A Midsummer	27,000
			Nights Dream. A Portrait of the	
			Artist as a Young Man.	
			New Commissions	
2018-115	Revenue	Chamber Choir	CCI / NCH Lecture Series -	€5,000
		Ireland	Medieval Choral Music in Ireland;	
			a Letter of Rights - recording with	
			Irish Chamber Orchestra; Choral	
			Sketches 2 - public workshop;	
			Composers in the Classroom 2 -	
			recording & gala concert; other musical events.	
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2018-122	Revenue	Dublin Choral Foundation CLG Dublin Youth	1: Artistic & professional dev. of emerging professional singers; 2: Education & Access; 3: Innovation & strategic leadership - providing professional artistic opportunities for est. and emerging singers; 4. Concert Gala Dec 2018	€5,000
2018-120	Revenue	Theatre CLG	Workshop Programme 2018; Intensive Residential Workshop; First year One Act Festival' Members One Act Festival; Big Show 2018; Emerging artists Programme; Writers Group; Outreach Programme;	€14,000
2018-142	Revenue	Irish Gallery of Photography Ltd	Programme 2018	€5,000
2018-146	Revenue	Dublin Theatre Festival	Dublin Theatre Festival	€40,000
2018-172	Revenue	Fishamble Theatre Company CLG	New Productions: Haughey / Gregory; Rathmines Road; Before; Also continued touring: Forgotten, Silent & Underneath; The Humours of Bandon; new touring: Maz & Bricks; On Blueberry Hill; and projects in development and supported projects.	€9,000
2018-174	Revenue	CoisCéim Dance Theatre	Performance Programme; Development and new work; Broadreach; Counter Culture (Creative Steps); A Life of Play; Dance Latitudes- Creating Co-ordinates; Broadreach Youth Scholarship.	€13,000
2018-176	Revenue	Imran Feile Litriochta Gaeilge	IMRAM Festival 2018: a series of Irish Literature events in Irish and English.	€7,000
2018-063	Revenue	DIFF Festival CLG	Over 100 feature films and documentaries, 3 short programmes, masterclasses, exhibitions and public talks, Fantastic Flix,. 2 day technology conference	€9,000

Recommended amount by category:

Neighbourhood/Voluntary	€110K
Project	€153K
Revenue	€267К
Total	€530K