

Overview of Applicant Requirements

| Annual Impact Grant Size (Dollars) * | Minimum Eligibility Requirements ^ | Application/Reporting Requirements |
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| \$1 million + Two-year commitment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 501(c)3 based in the Region# • Arts and culture organization with distinctive arts programming and/or differentiated target audience • Financially stable over a three-year period • At least ten years of continuous operating history | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit Intent To Apply form prior to two-year grantmaking cycle • Submit interim reports annually • Submit financial data annually through the Ohio Cultural Data Project |
| \$50K - \$999K Two-year commitment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 501(c)3 based in the Region# • Arts and culture organization with distinctive arts programming and/or differentiated target audience • Financially stable over a three-year period • At least five years of continuous operating history | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit audits annually |
| \$10K - 49K One-year commitment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tax exempt organization based in the Region# • Financially stable over a three-year period • At least three years of continuous operating history • Must have arts programming with differentiated target audience | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit Intent To Apply form prior to one-year grantmaking cycle • Submit financial data annually through the Ohio Cultural Data Project |
| Under \$10K One-year commitment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nonprofit in nature and should have or be working towards tax exempt status • Based in the Region# • Must have arts programming | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit detailed operating budget and year-end operating statement annually • Submit final report at conclusion of grant period |

* Grants in excess of \$10,000 cannot represent more than 20% of any organization's arts programming budget

^ Exceptions may be considered under special circumstances

Region as it is used throughout this document means the federally defined 15-county Metropolitan Statistical Area that comprises parts of three states: Southwest Ohio, Northern Kentucky and Southeast Indiana. The counties covered are: Boone, Bracken, Brown, Butler, Campbell, Clermont, Dearborn, Franklin, Gallatin, Grant, Hamilton, Kenton, Ohio, Pendleton and Warren.