

Funded Mini-Grants Overview		
Project	Project Overview	Awarded Amount
The Common Thread		
MUSIC, VISUAL, PERFORMING	A YouTube series featuring local artists from all genres of art discussing their craft and finding The Common Thread that exists between their art and their lives as artists.	\$5,000
Tamarack Foundation for the Arts SmART Training		
EDUCATION	Scholarships to be offered to Charleston artists wishing to attend "Starting SmART: Strategies for Dealing with the Money Side of Your Creativity" classes offered by the TFA	\$124
Coal to Soul		
MUSIC	A documentary film which will introduce viewers to the careers of prominent African-American musicians from West Virginia and describe the difficulties they encountered in regards to race as well as their accomplishments.	\$5,000
Virtual Chamber Music		
MUSIC	A virtual concert experience presenting high-quality chamber music performances in an interactive, live performance format promoting conversations and enriching connections. The first episode can be seen here... https://youtu.be/9GEGbRjoA6g	\$5,000
Golden Bagel Co.		
CULINARY, VISUAL	Funding to help purchase kitchen equipment and open the Golden Bagel Co. in downtown Charleston. The majority of the funds awarded will go to pay local artists to create artwork as decorations, promotional material and souvenirs to be sold with portions of proceeds going to the artists.	\$5,000
Her Hope Haven		
PERFORMING	funding for the development and creation of the pilot episode of a (web or network) series titled, Her Hope Haven. This series will allow an audience to see into the everyday lives of those who struggle with substance use disorder while humanizing the small stories that make up the larger trajectory of recovery.	\$5,000
Telltale Lilac Bush		
PERFORMING, LITERARY, VISUAL, MUSIC	Funding to create an outdoor stage production of the WV folklore classic The Telltale Lilac Bush to premiere in Charleston and Huntington during Fall 2021. This project will pay several local arts for script writing, music, costume design, set design and other aspects of production and will be performed by local children ages 12-17.	\$5,000
Emily Hilliard WV Culture Book		
VISUAL, LITERARY	help support the inclusion and printing of color photos and maps of West Virginia in the publication of my book, tentatively titled Making Our Future: The Power and Possibility of Community-Based Culture in West Virginia Today. This funding will allow for a Charleston-based artist to be hired to create the maps for the book	\$5,000
NCCP Scholarships		
EDUCATION	Scholarships to be offered to 10 Charleston artists wishing to participate in the 2021 NCCP Appalachian Summit.	\$1,500
Quick Call Y'all		
PERFORMING, LITERARY, VISUAL, MUSIC, CULINARY	Live, online, talk show that showcases artists in the Kanawha Valley and around the world. funding will be used to grow and improve the show, thus making it a more effective platform for local artists. Funding will also allow the show to begin paying musical guests a stipend of \$65 for playing on the show, and to purchase art from Charleston area audiences and gift cards from Charleston area local restaurants or artisan businesses at a fair market rate to be used as giveaway items on the show.	\$5,000
The Boardroom		
VISUAL	Commissioning 5 local artists to create board game themed art to be used on store pint glasses, shirts and store decorations	\$5,000
Streaming Live Music		
MUSIC	create an opportunity for live streaming music provided for free to local musicians during the pandemic and will continue as an option post pandemic at no extra cost.	\$5,000
FeastivALL artisan serving pieces		
VISUAL, CULINARY	Commision 5 local artists to create pieces to accompany each course of the 3 course FeastivALL dinner	\$5,000
CYAC CRW Monologues		
PERFORMING, LITERARY	create a series of 20+ monologues based on historical figures that helped shape the city of Charleston to be performed by local high school students and young adults.	\$5,000
Taylor Books Ceramics Studio		
VISUAL	Create the first artist in residence program at Taylor Books and advance the ceramics program through updated equipment, materials and instruction opportunities.	\$5,000
Silicon Valley WV		
VISUAL	A documentary film about a factory in the small town of Alloy in the eastern Kanawha Valley, West Virginia Manufacturing, LLC., which produces about 30% of the world's supply of Silicon.	\$5,000
Local Composers Performances		
MUSIC	The purpose of this project is to recognize local composers and their works in a chamber music type concert. The performance will feature new music performed by small ensembles and possibly conducted or performed by the composer him/herself. Each performance will culminate in a forum that will feature an open discussion about the performed piece.	\$5,000
Save Or Future Gallery		
VISUAL, EDUCATION	Provie local artists a space to create there art and offer lessons. Addiionaly the front of the sape will be used as a galelry to display and sale art from the local artists.	\$5,000
Streaming/Live Symphony Concert		
MUSIC, EDUCATION	Presenting live and streamed musical performance to the city and state. The project will provide employment for local professional musicians and technical staff. It will also provide a small, initial reopening of the concert experience for a limited live audience as state regulations permit.	\$5,000

Total	\$86,624
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