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Memorandum

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

Date: January 20, 2011

Agenda Item No. 9(A)(2)

To: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From: George M. Burgess
County Manager

Resolution No. R-24-11

Subject: FY 2010-11 Youth Arts Enrichment Program (YEP) Grant Award Recommendations in the amount of $350,000

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners approve the funding of 33 grant awards for a total of $350,000 from the FY 2010-11 Youth Arts Enrichment Grants Program.

SCOPE

The impact of this agenda item is countywide.

FISCAL IMPACT/FUNDING SOURCE

Funding for the Youth Arts Enrichment Grants Program is derived from monies granted to the Department of Cultural Affairs from The Children's Trust ($350,000), and approved in the Department of Cultural Affairs' FY 2010-11 budget. Grant payments will be made through Department Index Code CUGRANTS, Sub Object 60643, Project 127002.

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

Authority for executing, amending and exercising all provisions, including cancelation provisions contained in the contracts for these grants, is delegated to the Department Director.

TRACK RECORD/MONITOR

Each non-profit cultural organization recommended for funding has a track record for responding to Department grant requirements and contractual conditions. Michael Spring, Director of the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, is responsible for monitoring the grant contracts

BACKGROUND

The FY 2010-2011 Youth Arts Enrichment Program Grants Panel convened on Friday, October 15, 2010 to review 46 applications requesting a total of $638,214. The Panel recommended funding 33 applications for a total of $350,000. The Cultural Affairs Council approved these funding recommendations at their meeting on October 20, 2010.

The Youth Arts Enrichment Program was created as a joint initiative of the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and The Children's Trust. The objective of the YEP Grants Program is to enrich the lives of children through the arts by making the arts available to more children and families throughout Miami-Dade County, whereby, children will have opportunities to have positive live arts experiences through:

- Arts Instruction
- Arts Intervention
- Healing/Expressive Arts
- In-school Performances
- Public Performances/Exhibitions

Applicants to the YEP program must have a minimum two-year track record of providing high quality, cultural arts programs for children and/or youth. Units of government and educational institutions such as schools, colleges and universities may not apply. The program is structured into three funding categories:

CATEGORY A: Provides project-based funding support to non-profit organizations with annual organizational budgets of $1,000,000 or more for the last completed fiscal year. **Applicants in Category A may request up to $25,000.**

CATEGORY B: Provides project-based funding support to non-profit organizations with annual organizational budgets between $500,000 and $1,000,000 for the last completed fiscal year. **Applicants in Category B may request up to $15,000.**

CATEGORY C: Provides project-based funding support to non-profit organizations with annual organizational budgets of less than $500,000 for the last completed fiscal year. **Applicants in Category C may request up to $7,500.**

The Panel specifically evaluated each applicant organization based on the following competitive review criteria: 1) impact, 2) artistic merit, 3) management and financial capability, and 4) reach, giving priority attention to projects that addressed children whose ability to participate in such programs may be limited by geography, economics or disability.

Attached is a list of the projects recommended for funding.

Attachments

Assistant County Manager

MEMORANDUM
(Revised)

TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: January 20, 2011

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr. County Attorney

SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 9(A)(2)

Please note any items checked.

_____ **"3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised**

_____ **6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing**

_____ **4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing**

_____ **Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget**

_____ **Budget required**

_____ **Statement of fiscal impact required**

_____ **Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing**

_____ **No committee review**

_____ **Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's ____, 3/5's ____, unanimous _____) to approve**

_____ **Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required**

Approved _____ Mayor

Veto _____

Override _____

Agenda Item No. 9(A)(2)

1-20-11

RESOLUTION NO. R-24-11

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPROVAL OF THIRTY-THREE (33) GRANT AWARDS IN THE AMOUNT OF $350,000 FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS' FY 2010-11 YOUTH ARTS ENRICHMENT PROGRAM TO: ACTORS' PLAYHOUSE PRODUCTIONS, INC.; ALHAMBRA MUSIC, INC.; ARTS BALLET THEATRE OF FLORIDA, INC; ARTSOUTH A-NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATION; ARTSPRING, INC.; COMMUNITY CONCERT ASSOCIATION, INC. DBA MIAMI STRING PROJECT; CORAL GABLES CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, INC. COMMUNITY ARTS PROGRAM; CREATIVE CHILDREN THERAPY, INC.; FAIRCHILD TROPICAL BOTANIC GARDEN, INC.; FLORIDA GRAND OPERA, INC.; FRIENDS OF THE BASS MUSEUM, INC.; GABLESTAGE, INC.; HAITIAN HERITAGE MUSEUM CORP.; HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHERN FLORIDA, INC.; KAREN PETERSON AND DANCERS INC; MARJORY STONEMAN DOUGLAS BISCAYNE NATURE CENTER, INC.; MIAMI BRIDGE YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES, INC.; MIAMI CHILDREN'S MUSEUM (MCM); MIAMI LIGHT PROJECT; MIAMI MOMENTUM DANCE CO, INC.; MIAMI SHORT FILM FESTIVAL INC.; MICHAEL-ANN RUSSELL JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER, INC.; MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART, INC.; MYSTERY PARK ARTS COMPANY, INC DBA SOBE INSTITUTE OF THE ARTS; NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR ADVANCEMENT IN THE ARTS, INC.; ORCHESTRA MIAMI, INC.; SERAPHIC FIRE, INC; SHAKE-A-LEG MIAMI; THE DANCE NOW! ENSEMBLE, INC.; THE M ENSEMBLE COMPANY, INC.; THE MURRAY DRANOFF FOUNDATION, INC.; TIGERTAIL PRODUCTIONS, INC.; AND YOUNG PATRONESSES OF THE OPERA, INC.; AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXERCISE CANCELLATION PROVISIONS CONTAINED THEREIN

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board approves the funding of thirty-three (33) grant awards for a total of $350,000 from the Department of Cultural Affairs' FY 2010-11 Youth Arts Enrichment Grants Program as follows:

1.	Actors' Playhouse Productions, Inc.	$14,542
2.	Alhambra Music, Inc.	$6,000
3.	Arts Ballet Theatre of Florida, Inc	$6,750
4.	ArtSouth A-Not-For-Profit Corporation	$6,750
5.	ArtSpring, Inc.	$6,750
6.	Community Concert Association, Inc. DBA Miami String Project	$6,000
7.	Coral Gables Congregational Church, Inc. Community Arts Program	$6,750
8.	Creative Children Therapy, Inc.	$17,470
9.	Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden, Inc.	$17,429
10.	Florida Grand Opera, Inc.	$18,057
11.	Friends of the Bass Museum, Inc.	$9,860
12.	GABLESTAGE, INC.	$11,250
13.	Haitian Heritage Museum Corp.	$6,000
14.	Historical Association of Southern Florida, Inc.	$16,711
15.	Karen Peterson and Dancers Inc	$7,500
16.	Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center, Inc.	$6,750
17.	Miami Bridge Youth and Family Services, Inc.	$17,735
18.	Miami Children's Museum (MCM)	$16,227
19.	Miami Light Project	$10,506

20.	Miami Momentum Dance Co, Inc.	$7,500
21.	Miami Short Film Festival Inc.	$6,000
22.	Michael-Ann Russell Jewish Community Center, Inc.	$14,542
23.	Museum of Contemporary Art, Inc.	$19,215
24.	Mystery Park Arts Company, Inc dba SoBe Institute of the Arts	$6,000
25.	National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts, Inc.	$16,934
26.	Orchestra Miami, Inc.	$6,750
27.	Seraphic Fire, Inc	$11,465
28.	Shake-A-Leg Miami	$18,057
29.	The Dance Now! Ensemble, Inc.	$6,750
30.	The M Ensemble Company, Inc.	$6,750
31.	The Murray Dranoff Foundation, Inc.	$6,750
32.	Tigertail Productions, Inc.	$7,500
33.	Young Patronesses of the Opera, Inc.	$6,750

in substantially the form of the sample attached hereto and made a part hereof; and authorizes the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to execute same for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County; and to exercise cancellation provisions contained herein.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner **Rebeca Sosa**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Jean Monestime** and the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman — aye
Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman — absent

Bruno A. Barreiro	aye	Lynda Bell	aye
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	aye	Carlos A. Gimenez	aye
Sally A. Heyman	absent	Barbara J. Jordan	absent
Jean Monestime	aye	Dennis C. Moss	aye
Natacha Seijas	absent	Rebeca Sosa	aye
Sen. Javier D. Souto	aye		

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 20th day of January, 2011. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: **DIANE COLLINS**
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency. DBM

Deborah Bovarnick Mastin

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR GRANTS (October, 2010) – ARTICLES II, III, IV and V

ARTICLE II

1. **Parties**: The parties to the Grant Award Agreement, which shall be referenced herein as the "Agreement," are the Grantee listed in Article I.1, and Miami-Dade County, Florida, a political subdivision of the State of Florida. The Home Rule Charter authorizes Miami-Dade County to provide for the uniform health and welfare of the residents throughout the County, and further provides that all functions not otherwise specifically assigned to others under the Charter, shall be performed under the supervision of the County Mayor or his designee. The County Mayor has delegated the responsibility of administering this grant to the Director of the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, who shall be referred to herein as the "Director."

2. **Amount and Payment of Grant Award**: The total amount of the grant is specified in Article I.2. By making this grant, Miami-Dade County assumes no obligation to provide financial support of any type whatever in excess of the total grant amount. Cost overruns are the sole responsibility of the Grantee. Grant funds will be supplied to the Grantee once the award is approved and subject to the conditions and limitations as outlined in the Agreement and its accompanying articles and attachments.

Miami-Dade County's obligation to pay the award under the Agreement is contingent upon an appropriation by the Miami-Dade County Mayor and the Board of County Commissioners and on the availability of funds. In the event that County funds on which the Agreement is dependent do not materialize or are withdrawn, the Agreement is terminated and the County has no further liability to the Grantee, beyond that already incurred by the termination date. In the event of a County revenue shortfall, the total grant will be reduced accordingly. Such termination or reduction of the total grant shall not affect the responsibility of the Grantee under the Agreement as to those funds distributed.

3. **Project Description:** The Grantee may use the grant only for the purposes which are specifically described in Article I.3, designated "Project," as documented in the Grantee's program application and in accordance with the published guidelines of the grant program through which this grant is being awarded. Any necessary changes in the scope of the project are cited in the attached Restatement of Project Budget. Further, it is expressly understood and agreed that the Grantee's program(s) supported by these grant funds must be open and accessible to the public, provide public exposure and benefit the public unless otherwise noted under Article V, "Special Conditions," of the Agreement.

Minor project revisions believed to be necessary for the purpose of completing the project, but which do not substantially alter the original project, its quality, impact, or benefit to the organization, the County or its citizens, must be requested in writing to the Director sufficiently prior to implementation of revisions for the Director's approval. Minor revisions include, but are not limited to those affecting project scope, venue, timeframe and participants. The Director will make the final determination on revisions within fourteen (14) business days of the date of receipt of the request in the Department of Cultural Affairs' offices.

4. **Project Budget**: The Grantee agrees to demonstrate fiscal stability and the ability to administer grant funds responsibly and in accordance with standard accounting practices by developing and adhering to a project budget that is based upon reasonable revenue development and expenditures projected to accomplish the project covered under the Agreement. This budget is referenced in Article 1.4 and is attached to the Agreement as the Restatement of Project Budget, and the Grantee agrees that all expenditures will be subject to the terms of the Agreement and will not significantly deviate from the budget included as a part of the Grantee's program application or funding request information provided to the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs. **The Grantee agrees and expressly understands that any grant budget revisions including line item changes necessary for the purpose of completing the project must be requested in writing to the Director for his consideration prior to the Grant End Date stated in Article 1.6 and that any requested changes may not exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount of the grant award.** The Director will approve or disapprove the Grantee's request in writing within fourteen (14) business days of the date of receipt of the request in the Department's offices.

5. **Grant End Date**: The Grantee shall encumber all grant and matching funds on or before the Grant End Date as outlined in Article I.6. Any grant funds not encumbered by the Grant End Date or for which a project extension has not been requested, or any encumbered funds not expensed within forty-five (45) days of the Grant End Date shall revert to the Department and the Agreement shall be terminated in accordance with Article II.14. A project extension may be requested in writing from the Director at least thirty (30) business days prior to the Grant End Date. The Director, at his discretion, may grant an extension of up to

one (1) year of the Grant End Date so long as such extension will not significantly alter the project including its quality, impact, or benefit to the organization, the County or its citizens.

6. Report Deadline: To demonstrate that the Grantee has used the grant award for the project as approved (Article I.3.) and the Itemized Project Budget (Article I.4.) as attached to the Agreement as the Restatement of Project Budget, and has met and fulfilled all requirements as outlined in the Agreement, original application, and any other substantive materials as may be attached or included as a condition to this grant award, the Grantee must submit to the Director or his designee, a written Final Report documenting that the Grantee is meeting or has fulfilled all project and financial requirements. This report is to be received by the Director or his designee by the date specified in Article 1.7. in the form specific to the program through which this grant is being awarded. **The Grantee agrees and expressly understands that in making Final Report to the Department, any deviation from the grant expense budget attached to the Agreement as the Restatement of Project Budget must be requested in writing to the Director for his consideration prior to the Grant End Date stated in Article 1.6 and that any requested changes may not exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount of the grant award.** The Director, at his sole discretion, may require the Grantee to submit interim reports demonstrating progress on the project and accounting for project expenses to date. The Director may also require that a compilation statement or independent financial audit encompassing the entire grant period and accounting for the expenditure of grant funds be prepared by an independent certified public accountant at the expense of the Grantee.

With the exception of grants made through the Major Cultural Institutions Grants Program, the Grantee shall attach to the Final Report, copies of original documentation conclusively demonstrating the expenditure of funds for the items indicated in the Restatement of Project Budget as grant award expenses. Documentation shall include, but not be limited to, copies of original bills, invoices, vouchers, receipts, and copies of canceled checks (front and rear) clearly designating payment for expenses associated with the event. Cash transactions are not acceptable unless a copy of a contract, invoice, receipt or other documentation supporting such cash payment is received, marked "paid" and signed by the recipient of the cash. The Director reserves the right to request original documentation to substantiate grant expenditures.

In the case of grants made through the Major Cultural Institutions Grants Program, the Grantee shall submit an independent financial audit of the fiscal year encompassing the grant period as part of its Final Report. If an audit is not prepared in time to meet the Final Report deadline, a compilation statement encompassing the grant period prepared by an independent certified public accountant or corporate financial officer, attesting to the Grantee's financial position as reported and to the Grantee's total compliance with the provisions of the grant, may be submitted in the interim until such time as the final audit is available.

In the event that the Grantee fails to submit the required Final Report by the deadline date specified in Article 1.7., the Director may terminate the Agreement in accordance with Article II.14. Further, the Director or his designee must approve this report before the Grantee is deemed to have met all conditions of the grant award.

7. Program Monitoring and Evaluation: The Director or his designee may monitor and conduct an evaluation of the Grantee's operations and the project for which this grant is provided, which may include visits by County representatives to: observe the project or Grantee's programs, procedures, and operations; discuss the Grantee's programs with the Grantee's personnel; and/or evaluate the public impact of these funded events and activities.

Upon request, the Grantee shall provide the Director with notice of all meetings of its Board of Directors or governing board, general activities and project-related events. In the event the Director or his designee conclude, as a result of such monitoring and/or evaluation, that the Grantee is not in compliance with the terms of the Agreement, is not fulfilling other program requirements or stipulations for which this Grant has been provided or for other reasons which significantly impact on the Grantee's ability to fulfill the conditions of this grant award, the Director or his designee must provide in writing to the Grantee, within thirty (30) days of the date of said monitoring/evaluation, notice of the inadequacy or deficiencies noted which may significantly impact on the Grantee's ability to complete the project or fulfill the terms of the Agreement within a reasonable time frame. If Grantee refuses or is unable to address the areas of concern within thirty (30) days of receipt of such notice, the Director, at his discretion, may take other actions, which may include the withholding, reduction or rescission of grant funds until such time as the Grantee can demonstrate that such issues have been corrected.

Further, in the event that the Grantee refuses or is unable to address the areas of concern and the grant award has been disbursed in full or in part, then the Director may request the return of the full or partial grant payment. At the Director's sole discretion, a Grantee found to be deficient or in default of a previous grant contract may be declared permanently ineligible to apply to the Department of

Cultural Affairs' grants programs. Reinstating the Grantee's eligibility to apply is also at the Director's sole discretion, and may only be considered subsequent to all deficient areas on prior grants having been addressed to the satisfaction of the Director.
If Grantee is not in compliance with the conditions of any other County agreement, the Director, at his discretion, may take other actions, which may include the withholding, reduction or rescission of grant funds until such time as the Grantee can demonstrate that such issues have been corrected.

8. **Bank Accounts:** Monies received pursuant to the Agreement shall be kept in accounts in established Florida banks, credit unions or savings and loan associations whose identity shall be disclosed in writing, with the identity and title of individuals whom the Grantee authorizes to withdraw or write checks on grant funds from the banking institution identified on the "Bank Account Disclosure" form submitted by the Grantee. These accounts need not be accounts which are segregated from other accounts maintained by the Grantee. However, it is highly recommended that the Grantee maintain a separate account for these grant funds.

9. **Accounting and Financial Review:** The Grantee must keep accurate and complete books and records for all receipts and expenditures of this grant award and any matching funds required in conformance with reasonable general accounting standards. These books and records, as well as all documents pertaining to payments received and made in conjunction with this grant, such as vouchers, bills, invoices, receipts and canceled checks, shall be retained in Miami-Dade County in a secure place and in an orderly fashion by the Grantee for at least two (2) years after: the Grant End Date specified in Article I.6.; the expiration of an extended grant period as approved by the Director; the completion of a County requested or mandated audit or compliance review; the conclusion of a legal action involving the grant award, the Grantee and/or project or activities related to the grant award.

The Director or his designee may examine these books, records and documents at the Grantee's offices or other approved site under the direct control and supervision of the Grantee during regular business hours and upon reasonable notice. Furthermore, the Director may, upon reasonable notice and at the County's expense, audit or have audited all financial records of the Grantee, whether or not purported to be related to this grant.

10. **Publicity and Credits:** The Grantee must include the following credit line in all promotional and marketing materials related to this grant including web sites, news and press releases, public service announcements, broadcast media, event programs, and publications: "With the support of the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and the Cultural Affairs Council, the Miami-Dade County Mayor and Board of County Commissioners." The grantee must also use the County's logo in marketing and publicity materials whenever possible. Please call the Department to request an electronic logo file or download it from our website (www.miamidadearts.org).

By accepting County funds, the grantee is required to recognize and acknowledge Miami-Dade County's grant support in a manner commensurate with all contributors and sponsors of its activities at comparable dollar levels.

In addition, grantees receiving funds through the YAM, YEP, SAS-C and AKI grant programs must include The Children's Trust logo and the following statement in all materials related to the grant project, including but not limited to newsletters, press releases, brochures, fliers, websites or any other materials for dissemination to the media or general public:

"The (insert event/program name) is funded by The Children's Trust. The Trust is a dedicated source of revenue established by voter referendum to improve the lives of children and families in Miami-Dade County." To download an electronic version of The Children's Trust logo, please go to: The Children's Trust Media Kit & Logos .

Note: In cases where funding by The Children's Trust represents only a percentage of the grantee's overall funding, the above language can be altered to read "The (insert event/program name) is funded in part by The Children's Trust..."

11. **Liability and Indemnification:** It is expressly understood and intended that the Grantee, as the recipient of grant funds, is not an officer, employee or agent of Miami-Dade County, its Board of County Commissioners, its Mayor, the Department of Cultural Affairs or the Cultural Affairs Council. Further, for purposes of the Agreement and the grant project or activity, the parties hereto agree that the Grantee, its officers, agents and employees are independent contractors.

The Grantee shall take all actions as may be necessary to ensure that its officers, agents, employees, assignees and/or subcontractors shall not act as nor give the appearance of that of an agent, servant, joint venturer, collaborator or partner of the Department of Cultural Affairs, the Cultural Affairs Council, the Miami-Dade County Mayor, the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, or its employees.

The Grantee agrees to be responsible for all work performed and all expenses incurred in connection with the project. The Grantee may subcontract as necessary to perform the services set forth in the Agreement, including entering into subcontracts with vendors for services and commodities, provided that it is understood by the Grantee that Miami-Dade County shall not be liable to the subcontractor for any expenses or liabilities incurred under the subcontract, and that the Grantee shall be solely liable to the subcontractor for all expenses and liabilities incurred under the subcontract.

The Grantee shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, law suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance of the Agreement by the Grantee or its employees, agents, servants, partners, principals or subcontractors. The Grantee shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits, or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorneys' fees which may issue thereon. The Grantee expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection required by the Agreement or otherwise provided shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify, keep and save harmless, and defend the County or its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities as herein provided.

12. **Assignment:** The Grantee is not permitted to assign this grant award or any portion thereof. Any purported assignment will render this grant null and void and the Grantee shall be subject to immediate rescission of the full amount of the grant award and reimbursement by the Grantee of its full value to the County.

13. **Compliance with Laws:** It shall be a contractual obligation of the Grantee hereunder, that during the term of the Agreement, the Grantee agrees to abide by and be governed by all applicable federal, state and county laws and the terms of grants made to Miami-Dade County and the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and Cultural Affairs Council, of which this grant is a sub grant, including, but not limited to the following Miami-Dade County Ordinances, Resolutions, sections of the County Code and federal laws:

(a) County Ordinance No. 72-82 - Miami-Dade County's Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance - as amended, which is incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein;
(b) Section 2-8.1- of the Miami-Dade County Code - Ownership Disclosure;
(c) County Ordinance No. 90-133- Amending Sec. 2-8.1; (d)(2) - Employment Disclosure;
(d) Section 2-8.6 -of the County Code - Criminal Record;
(e) County Ordinance No. 92-15 codified as Section 2-8.1.2 of the County Code - Employment Drug-free Workplace;
(f) County Ordinance No. 142-91 codified as Section 11A -29 et. seq. of the County Code – Family Leave;
(g) County Resolution R-385-95 - Miami-Dade County Disability Nondiscrimination Affidavit, incorporating the following Federal laws and Acts:
    (1) The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), Pub.L. 101-336, 104 Stat. 327, 42 U.S.C. 12101-12213 and 47 U.S.C. Sections 225 and 611 including Title I, Employment;
    (2) Title II, Public Services;
    (3) Title III, Public Accommodation and Services Operated by Private Entities; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973;
    (4) Title IV, Telecommunications;
    (5) Title V, Miscellaneous Provisions: The Rehabilitation Act of 1973,29 U.S.C. Section 794; The Federal Transit Act, as amended 49 U.S.C. Section 1612; The Fair House Act as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 3601 - The foregoing requirements of this section shall <u>not</u> pertain to contracts with the United States or any department or agency thereof, or the State or any political subdivision or agency thereof or any municipality of this State;
(h) Section 2-8.1 (c) of the County Code regarding Delinquent and Currently Due Fees or Taxes

The Grantee has certifiably indicated compliance with these laws, ordinances and resolutions by properly executing the affidavits attached hereto.

Further, all funded activities must provide equal access and equal opportunity in employment and services, and may not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age, disability, marital status, familial status, sexual orientation or physical ability, in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 as amended (42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.), the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Miami-Dade County ordinances No. 97-170, § 1, 2-25-97 and No. 98-17, § 1, 12-1-98.

14. Remedies: In the event the Grantee shall fail to materially conform with any of the provisions of the Agreement or its attachments referenced herein, the Director may withhold or cancel all, or any, unpaid installments of the grant upon giving five (5) calendar days written notice to the Grantee, and the County shall have no further obligation to the Grantee under the Agreement. Further, in the event of a material breach of any term or condition of the Agreement, upon five (5) calendar days written demand by the Director, the Grantee shall repay to Miami-Dade County all portions of the grant which have been received by the Grantee, but which have not actually been disbursed by the Grantee as of the date that the written demand is received.

In the event this grant is canceled or the Grantee is requested to repay grant funds because of a breach of the Agreement, the Grantee may be declared permanently ineligible to apply to the Department of Cultural Affairs' grants programs. Reinstating the Grantee's eligibility to apply is also at the Director's sole discretion, and may only be considered subsequent to all deficient areas on prior grants having been addressed to the satisfaction of the Director. Further, the Grantee will be liable to reimburse Miami-Dade County for all unauthorized expenditures discovered after the expiration of the grant period. The Grantee will also be liable to reimburse the County for all lost or stolen grant funds.

Grant funds which are to be repaid to Miami-Dade County pursuant to this Section or other Sections in the Agreement, are to be repaid by delivering to the Director a certified check for the total amount due, payable to the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners.

These provisions do not waive or preclude the County from pursuing any other remedy, which may be available to it under the law.

15. Indulgence Will Not Be A Waiver of Breach: The indulgence of either party with regard to any breach or failure to perform any provision of the Agreement shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of the provision or any portion of the Agreement either at the time the breach or failure occurs or at any time throughout the term of the Agreement.

16. Written Notices: Any written notices required under the Agreement will become effective when delivered in person or upon the receipt of a certified letter addressed to the Grantee at the address specified in Article I.1 of the Agreement, and to the Director when addressed as follows: Director, Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, 111 NW First Street, Suite 625, Miami, Florida 33128.

17. Captions Used in the Agreement: Captions as used in the Agreement are for convenience of reference only and should not be deemed or construed as in any way limiting or extending the language or provisions to which such captions may refer.

18. Contract Represents Total Agreement: The Agreement, including its special conditions and attachments, represents the whole and total agreement of the parties. No representations, except those contained within the Agreement and its attachments, are to be considered in construing its terms. Other than as specified in this agreement, no modifications or amendments may be made to the Agreement unless made in writing, signed by both parties, and approved by appropriate action by the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners and Mayor.

ARTICLE III - INSURANCE

The Grantee must maintain and shall furnish upon request to the Director or his designee, certificates of insurance indicating that insurance has been obtained which meets the requirements as outlined below:

1. Workers Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Grantee as required by Florida Statute 440.
2. Commercial General Liability Insurance in an amount not less than $300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Miami-Dade County must be shown as an additional insured with respect to this coverage.

3. Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned and hired vehicles used in connection with the project, in an amount not less than $300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.

The insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:

1. The Company must be rated no less than "B" as to the management, and no less than "Class V" as to financial strength by the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide, published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, or its equivalent, subject to the approval of the County Risk Management Division; or,
2. The Company must hold a valid Florida Certificate of Authority as shown in the latest "List of All Insurance Companies Authorized or Approved to Do Business in Florida," issued by the State of Florida Department of Insurance, and is a member of the Florida Guaranty Fund.

Certificates must indicate that no modification or change in insurance shall be made without thirty (30) days advance written notice to the certificate holder.

Modification or waiver of any of the aforementioned insurance requirements is subject to the approval of the County's Risk Management Division. The Grantee shall notify the County of any intended changes in insurance coverage, including any renewals of existing policies.

ARTICLE IV - TERMINATION

If, for any reason, the Grantee shall fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner its obligations under the Agreement, or should violate any of the covenants, agreements, or stipulations of the Agreement, the County shall thereupon have the right to terminate the Agreement by giving written notice to the Grantee of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least five (5) days before the effective date of such termination.

Notwithstanding the above, the Grantee shall not be relieved of liability to the County by virtue of any breach of the Agreement by the Grantee, and the County may withhold any payments to the Grantee until such time as the exact amount of damages due to the County from the Grantee is determined.

ARTICLE V - SPECIAL CONDITIONS

Indirect costs may not be assigned to, charged against or debited from County grant funds.

The grant is awarded to this Grantee with the understanding that the Grantee is performing a public purpose through the programs, projects and services recommended for support. Use of these funds for any program component not meeting this condition will be considered a material breach of the terms of this Grant Agreement and will allow Miami-Dade County to seek remedies including, but not limited to those outlined in the Articles and Exhibits of the Grant Agreement.

Grant funds may not be used for any of the following types of expenses: proposal preparation; repayment of prior debt or deficit reduction; debts, contingencies, fines and penalties, interest and other financial costs; expenses incurred or obligated prior to or after the grant period; building, renovating or remodeling of facilities or capital items; travel or transportation costs to cover expenses for staff travel or presenting programs/activities outside of Miami-Dade County; remuneration of County employees for any services rendered as part of a project receiving a grant through the Department of Cultural Affairs; social/fundraising events; beauty pageants; sporting events played or hosted outside of Miami-Dade County; income generating events for an organization other than the applicant organization; hospitality costs including private entertainment, food, beverages, decorations or affiliate personnel; cash prizes, awards, plaques, or scholarships; re-granting; lobbying the County Commission or the Mayor, the judicial branch, or any public agency or office, or for propaganda materials; charitable contributions or donations; or events which are restricted to private or exclusive participation (by invitation and/or purchase requirements that exceed the cost of a typical, standard ticket to an event/performance), including restricting access to programs or facilities on the basis of race or ethnicity, color, creed, national origin, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation or physical ability.

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1. **Actors' Playhouse Productions, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $14,542**
The Miracle Theatre 280 Miracle Mile
Coral Gables, Florida 33134
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 3,000

The project seeks to involve 3,000 children, ages 5-8 from economically disadvantaged families, to attend a free performance of Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day scheduled to run from January 13 - March 12, 2011 at the Actors' Playhouse in the Miracle Theatre. Participating children will benefit from a very entertaining and rewarding cultural experience as they learn new and creative ways to cope and overcome everyday adversity.

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2. **Alhambra Music, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,000**
201 Alhambra Circle, Suite 1050
Coral Gables, Florida 33134
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 2,000

The Community Orchestra Youth Outreach serves about 2,000 children annually, free, about 2/3 from K-5 and 1/3 in middle or high school. It runs through the year and consists of: classroom visits/assemblies by small groups in four Miami-Dade schools and a chamber music workshop at UM; a youth concerto competition with winners performing at Ransom-Everglades; an in-school symphonic concert in Devon Aire K-8; and summer opera at UM for camp groups and other children.

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3. **Arts Ballet Theatre of Florida, Inc** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
15939 Biscayne Boulevard
North Miami Beach, Florida 33160
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 3,160

Arts Ballet goes to school is an outreach program that gives in-school and after school ballet instruction to an estimated 3,200 underprivileged students PK-12 in the North Miami-Dade area. The program includes music education for dance, expanding the program to higher levels. It will run October 2010 to September 2011 at 11 public schools and at Arts Ballet's studios in North Miami. The program inspires and engages students in the art of ballet and music, making it accessible to all.

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4. **ArtSouth A-Not-For-Profit Corporation** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
240 N. Krome Avenue 1
Homestead, Florida 33030
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 380

ArtSouth's Learn & Serve Program will take place October 6, 2010-June 2, 2011 at ArtSouth; providing 150 at-risk youth ages 11-18 with visual arts training connected to opportunities to re-shape themselves and their community. Youth will translate skills learned at ArtSouth to engage in cultural revitalization activities and teach

workshops to approximately 230 children with cognitive and physical disabilities and emotional distress. These activities will impact student achievement as well as community vitality.

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5. ArtSpring, Inc. **Recommended Award: $6,750**
PO Box 343432
Florida City, Florida 33034
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 302

Grant funds will be used to support ArtSpring's continued expansion of its Community Arts for Youth programs for girls aged 12-17 at the Juvenile Detention Center and for boys and girls aged 6-15 at the Belafonte TACOLCY Center in Liberty City. Ongoing weekly workshops will be conducted throughout the grant period using multiple art disciplines and interdisciplinary art forms to increase social skills, self-reflection and self esteem. Our youth programs serve approximately 300 children and adolescents in a 12-month period.

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6. **Community Concert Association, Inc. DBA Miami String Project** **Recommended Award: $6,000**
5195 SW 64 Avenue
Miami, Florida 33155
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 1,300

Grant funds will be used to support the Outreach Programs of MSP, which is a youth chamber orchestra of approximately 25 young musicians ages 12-19. From September 2010 through May 2011, these Outreach Programs bring music to Homeless Shelters, Public Libraries, Community Centers, Hospitals, etc. throughout South Florida. Youth musicians share their love of music with youth who would not otherwise have this opportunity. The young musicians as well as audience children learn and grow through their interactions.

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7. **Coral Gables Congregational Church, Inc. Community Arts Program** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
3010 De Soto Boulevard
Coral Gables, Florida 33134
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 1,550

Grant funds will be used to support Coral Gables Congregational Church's (CGCC) youth arts musical ensembles from October through May. "Active-Learning Development," brings an anticipated 110 Miami-Dade County students (ages 8-18) into beginning or advanced orchestra or jazz ensemble learning within CGCC's Arts & Education Wing. Individual and collaborative group work provides the cross learning of classical, jazz and new works, sight-reading, rhythm, and performance practice (five free public concerts). Benefits include team building, team learning and well-rounded musicianship.

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8. **Creative Children Therapy, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $17,470**
5600 SW 135 Avenue, Suite 207
Miami, Florida 33183
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 200

Artistic Realization Technology (A. R. T.) enables children with disabilities ages 4-21 who cannot use their own hands, to create paintings or photographs using child-controlled lasers and human 'trackers.' A.R.T. runs 10/1/10 to 9/30/11 at Villa Lyan, 12400 SW 72 St. The A.R.T. exhibit showcases art and student artists. Weekly sessions are held with trackers. Group seminars by mentor artists are held to expand the students' creative visions. A youth entrepreneurial initiative for older students develops art products for marketing and sales.

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9. **Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $17,429**
10901 Old Cutler Road
Coral Gables, Florida 33156
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 800

The Fairchild Challenge (FC) will offer art options and trainings. Two art workshops and three student performance events will take place at Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden (FTBG). "Florida Ecosystems: Past Present and Future," requires students to perform a 2-3 minute, mini-musical or interpretative dance and research environmental changes. 500 students are expcted to perform. 300 students are expected to participate in "The Art Workshops," which are tailored to all grade levels."

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10. **Florida Grand Opera, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $18,057**
8390 Northwest 25th Street
Miami, Florida 33122
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 4,050

Grant funds will be used to support Florida Grand Opera's 2011 'Cyrano' Family Festival during April 2011. Free outreach events include in-school performances, film retrospectives, a downloadable Student Study Guide, and a 'Family Day at the Opera' at the Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts of Miami-Dade County. In addition, 1,200 complimentary tickets to the final dress rehearsal will be distributed. Over 4000 students ages 5-18 will learn about language, history, music and opera.

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11. **Friends of the Bass Museum, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $9,860**
2121 Park Avenue
Miami Beach, Florida 33139-1729
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 4,260

Grant funds will be used to support the expansion of this in-school, curriculum-based creativity program for children grades K-3 that uses art as a catalyst to promote imagination, discussion, and critical thinking through the

creation of prototypes (models). The core activity centers on using art from the collection to encourage questions and foster observation, brainstorming, creativity, and presentation. Students then create prototypes to solve a common problem associated with the stimulus.

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12. **GABLESTAGE, INC.** **Recommended Award: $11,250**
1200 Anastasia Avenue, Suite 230
Coral Gables, Florida 33134
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 15,000

Grant funds will be used to support GableStage's Outreach Program which reaches approximately 45,000 middle and high school students, between November 2010 and March 2011 at Hialeah High School Auditorium in Hialeah and Lou Rawls Auditorium at Florida Memorial University, in Miami Gardens. Project activities will include special performances of select plays. The audience will receive many benefits from seeing live professional theatre at no cost.

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13. **Haitian Heritage Museum Corp.** **Recommended Award: $6,000**
4141 NE 2nd Aveenue, STE 105C PO Box 370809
Miami, Florida 33137
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 800

The Museum Magnet Program will serve approximately 1600 students ranging from 5-17 years of age, and 100 adults. The project duration is from 10/9/10 to 9/30/11 at North Miami Middle, WJ Bryan, and North Miami Sr. High. The program merges standard academics, and museum proposed programs into Object Based Learning activities that focus on cultural arts, architecture, geography and history of Haiti. Various artists will conduct presentations on Haiti's culture.

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14. **Historical Association of Southern Florida, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $16,711**
101 W. Flagler Street
Miami, Florida 33130
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 1,200

Grant funds will be used to support HistoryMiami's Historic Site Visit program for 1,200 low income students in grades 4-12. Students visit historic sites around Miami-Dade County and document them using photography, video documentary, art and writing activities. Each site visit is preceded and followed by sessions at HistoryMiami and in school, where students engage in art-making activities that encourage creative and critical thinking skills, and collaborative learning.

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15. **Karen Peterson and Dancers Inc** **Recommended Award: $7,500**
11760 Southwest 72 Avenue
Miami, Florida 33156-4616
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 600

Grant funds will be used to support the "5th Talent Showcase," providing 10 weeks of movement instruction, from January to March 2011, for 150 - 175 special needs students, in ten Miami-Dade schools. A public dance performance, performed by the students with disabilities, will be held at the Booker T Washington Auditorium in March 2011. This program offers a positive program where physical fun, creativity, esteem building, team work, dignity and the 'can-do' spirit is built into the weekly classes.

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16. **Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
6767 Crandon Boulevard
Key Biscayne, Florida 33149
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 500

Grant funds will be used to support the 'Patterns of Nature' program for 500 inner-city, minority students, in Miami-Dade County at the MSD Biscayne Nature Center in Crandon Park, Key Biscayne. Local artists will explore nature with 25 students for twenty, all- day, art and environmental education expeditions. Students will explore their natural environment by wading in the seagrass beds, walking the coastal hardwood hammock and butterfly garden looking for patterns in nature.

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17. **Miami Bridge Youth and Family Services, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $17,735**
2810 N.W. South River Drive
Miami, Select 33125
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 300

Grant funds will be used to support Carnival Arts for 300 students ages 10 to 17, from October 1 through September 30 at the Miami Bridge shelters in Miami and Homestead. Project activities will include traditional carnival storytelling, dancing, drumming, maskmaking, as well as videography. Participants will engage in and benefit from writing a script, learning choreography and rhythmic patterns, designing, building, and painting masks, and recording and editing video.

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18. **Miami Children's Museum (MCM)** **Recommended Award: $16,227**
980 Macarthur Causeway
Miami, Florida 33132
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 180

Grant funds will be used to support MCM's Art2Start program for 180 students ages 5-6, from 10/1/10-4/30/11 at Liberty City, Carol City, and WJ Bryan Elementary Schools. Project activities will include outreach/arts instruction

by MCM's Artist in Residence, public exhibition of the art pieces and a Family Exhibit Night at MCM. Participants will benefit from the unique opportunity to work alongside a professional artist to create projects which also address state standards for arts education.

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19. **Miami Light Project** **Recommended Award: $10,506**
P.O. Box 1048 109 NE 104 Street
Miami, Florida 33138
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 845

Grant funds will be used to support the expansion of the Out of the Box Outreach Program which will include: 1) the presentation of a Contemporary Performance Lecture/Demonstration Series of three performances at the Design & Architecture Senior High School (DASH) conducted by three nationally/internationally recognized artists; 2) Here & Now in the Schools at Robert Morgan Educational Center; and 3) Here & Now in the Schools at Miami Beach Senior High School.

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20. **Miami Momentum Dance Co, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $7,500**
PO Box 331973
Coconut Grove, Florida 33233
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 5,200

Grant funds will be used to support Momentum Dance Company's 'Four Tiered Residency: Educational Dance Outreach Project,' providing over 100 hours of in-depth, sequential, curriculum-based dance instruction, original choreography, and educational performances by Momentum's professional dancers and teachers to students in Moton Elementary, South Miami Middle, and John Ferguson High School. This project adds a new site, the Carrie Meek Community Center/Artz N The Hood, reaching ages 5-9.

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21. **Miami Short Film Festival Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,000**
2501 Brickell Avenue, Suite # 608
Miami, Florida 33129
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 150

Grant funds will be used to support 'Tomorrow Filmmakers Today' program for 150+ students ages 14-18, year-round in Miami, Homestead, and Palmetto Bay. Year-round project activities include the production of short films. Participants engage in film making while being mentored by film professionals and benefit from learning film concepts, techniques, editing and production. Works produced by teens are screened during MsFF in November 2011.

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22. **Michael-Ann Russell Jewish Community Center, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $14,542**
18900 NE 25 Avenue
North Miami Beach, Florida 33180
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 2,500

Grant funds will be used to support the Alan & Diane Lieberman Children's Cultural Arts Series (CCAS) to present 4 free productions by professional theatre companies to introduce 'the world of the arts' to 2,500 North Miami-Dade students, grades PK4-6. The CCAS will include drama, music and movement. Productions will be on October 21 & 29, 2010 and May 13 & 19, 2011. 2 shows will be at the JCC in NMB and 2 will be at the Julius Littman Performing Arts Theater in NMB. Each show has a Study Buddy for teacher use prior to each show.

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23. **Museum of Contemporary Art, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $19,215**
770 NE 125th Street
North Miami, Florida 33161
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 2,000

Grant funds will be used to support the MOCA Art Institute, the first free comprehensive art and communication community-based program of its type in a museum in North Miami. The MOCA Art Institute has developed an overall educational plan where each year more than 2,000 students ages 6 -18 will progressively build skills and resources that will advance their exploration and discovery of art and communication making them life-long learners and lovers of art.

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24. **Mystery Park Arts Company, Inc dba SoBe Institute of the Arts** **Recommended Award: $6,000**
2100 Washington Avenue
Miami Beach, Florida 33139
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 200

Grant funds will be used to support Music for Youth, for students ages 6 through 17, from September 13, 2010 - January 13, 2011 at the SoBe Institute of the Arts (Carl Fisher Clubhouse/Little Stage Theater.) The program includes instrumental and vocal instruction, as well as music theory, music appreciation and music performances. Full or partial scholarships will continue to be offered to children from low-income families.

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25. **National Foundation for Advancement in the Arts, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $16,934**
777 Brickell Avenue, Suite 370
Miami, Florida 33131
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 5,040

Grant funds will be used to support YoungArts Miami, offering 5,040 high school students at 30 schools free interdisciplinary and discipline-specific workshops, in-school visits, information sessions, access to performances, portfolio and audition preparation, and career related skills in nine artistic disciplines: cinema, dance, jazz, music,

photography, theater, visual arts, voice, and writing. Program components will take place at YoungArts offices, Adrienne Arsht Center, Miami Dade College North and high schools TBD.

26. **Orchestra Miami, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
PO Box 7598
Miami, Florida 33255
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 7,500

Grant funds will be used to support OM's presentation of 'Carnival of the Animals' for all Miami-Dade County Public School's 2nd graders. Working with the Dranoff Two Piano Foundation and the Miami-Dade Public Schools Cultural Passport program, Orchestra Miami will provide thousands of kids with their first exposure to professional symphonic music at the Miami-Dade County Auditorium. Funds will also be used for the Free Family Concerts & inschool education concerts, reaching over 7500 children.

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27. **Seraphic Fire, Inc** **Recommended Award: $11,465**
1900 Coral Way Suite 301
Miami, Florida 33145
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 320

Seraphic Fire's Miami Choral Academy (MCA) seeks to establish a tuition-free after school program that creates a little league-type network of choral ensembles for children in underserved communities of Miami-Dade County. Over 200 students chosen from Citrus Grove, Lorah Park, Morningside and Natural Bridge Elementary Schools will participate in the 2010-11 academic year. MCA seeks to make positive academic and social change through participation in choral singing.

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28. **Shake-A-Leg Miami** **Recommended Award: $18,057**
2620 S Bayshore Drive
Miami, Select 33133
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 430

The ICAN2 Project enhances the experiential and interactive learning of our students. Shake- A- Leg Miami will serve approximately 430 students ages 8-18 during morning, afterschool, and summer programs. Approximately 295 of these students have a documented disability. All arts workshops will take place at the SALM facility, where students will meet professional artists, and be given the opportunity to develop artistic talent and learn skills necessary for possible entrepreneurial careers.

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29. **The Dance Now! Ensemble, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
PO Box 416525 9313 NW 2 Court
Miami Beach, Florida 33141
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 500

Grant funds will be used to support Dance Now!'s residency at the Academy of Arts and Minds in Coconut Grove. This 15-week residency for the School's Dance Program will include master classes, the creation of two new works to be performed by the students, and one free open dress rehearsal by Dance Now! at the Little Haiti Cultural Center. 270 students from dance and other disciplines, ages 14 through 18, will participate in this program's activities.

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30. **The M Ensemble Company, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
12320 West Dixie Highway 1
Miami, Florida 33161
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 210

The 'Students on Stage' project is a theater program that will expose 210 youth ranging from ages 6-14 to acting and musical theater in a classroom setting at Hadley Park Senior and Cultural Center - Black Box Theater, located at 1300 N.W. 50th Street in the Allapattah community. It will run 10/4/10 to 9/30/2011. The project activities will consists of theater games and exercises that will encourage creativity, develop personality, and improve the participant's social and emotional growth.

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31. **The Murray Dranoff Foundation, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
3550 Biscayne Blvd. Suite 702
Miami, Florida 33137
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 3,000

PIANO SLAM brings Dranoff winning pianists and renowned poets to Homestead, South Dade, Doral, Norland and Central High Schools performing classical music and give workshops for teachers and students on the cross inspiration and function of music and poetry for 3,000 students ages 15-18 in March and April. Students will write poetry about music for an interschool competition. Winners will perform their work in a classical/hip hop concert at the Arsht receiving cash prizes for their work on May 19th.

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32. **Tigertail Productions, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $7,500**
842 NW 9th Court
Miami, Florida 33136
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 1,000

WordSpeak is a dynamic inner city spoken word, intervention writing project that impacts the lives of 1,000 teens ages (13-18). WordSpeak teens gain insight into their potential and helps them to invest in education through the power of the spoken word. Young people have an opportunity for their voices to be front and center as part of

larger cultural dialogue. The goal is to develop a significant writing and speaking project in Miami-Dade for teens, led by artists of excellence.

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33. **Young Patronesses of the Opera, Inc.** **Recommended Award: $6,750**
8390 NW 25th Street c/o Florida Grand Opera
Miami, Florida 33122
Est. # of children/youth to be served directly by this grant: 25,000

Grant funds will support four additional performances of the 45 minute production of the children's opera 'Little Red Riding Hood,' presented twice daily at six Title 1 elementary schools. These additional shows will reach at least 3,000 students in Miami-Dade County during the January - May 2011 season and will be presented free of charge. Performances funded by YEP will be reserved for elementary schools which draw the majority of their students from economically disadvantaged neighborhoods.

Total Estimated Number of Children to be Served: 93,477