Growing Season

Everything you need to know about American Rescue Plan grants

Thu, Aug 19
11:00a.m.–12:00p.m. CT
QUESTION PROCESS

• Ask questions to the panelists via the "Q&A" button. We will answer via text or during the Q&A time later on.

• Use the chat function to talk to other attendees and have conversation outside of questions to the panelists.
AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN GRANT
SOUTH DAKOTA HUMANITIES COUNCIL
ABOUT THE SDHC

The South Dakota Humanities Council (SDHC), founded in 1972 in response to an act of Congress, is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit and the only cultural organization in the state whose sole mission is to deliver humanities programming to the people of South Dakota.

Our vision is to lead statewide advocacy for the humanities, working with other partners to foster literary and civic engagement.
ABOUT THE SDHC ARP GRANT

The SDHC will provide ARP funding to humanities organizations and cultural institutions to help prevent, prepare for, respond to, and recover from the coronavirus.

Funding for the program is provided by the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.
WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

The following groups:
- Nonprofit organizations with 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status
- Accredited public and 501(c)(3) institutions of higher education
- State and local governmental agencies
- Federally recognized Native American tribal governments

This includes, but is not limited to:
- Public libraries and archives
- Historical societies and heritage groups
- Museums with a humanities focus
- Historical homes and cultural sites
- Nonprofit organizations conducting humanities programming
WHAT CAN ARP FUNDING SUPPORT?

ARP grants can support numerous initiatives, such as:

- Humanities programming
- General operating costs of humanities-focused organizations
- Strategic planning and capacity building efforts
- Technical and consultant needs related to a digital transition
- Equity assessments and planning related to the coronavirus
HOW CAN I APPLY?

1. Visit sdhumanities.org
2. Click on “Grants” at the top of the page
3. Visit the “ARP 2021 Grant” page
4. Read about the program, access guidelines, download the application template, and complete the online application

SDHC ARP grant deadline: August 31, 2021
CONTACT INFORMATION

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Virtual Office Hour: Join us on August 25th at 2:00 pm CT
- Zoom Link: bit.ly/sdhcarp
- Zoom Meeting ID: 980 9452 5223
- Passcode: SDHC21
SOUTH DAKOTA ARTS COUNCIL

Mission to provide grants and services to artists, arts organizations and schools across the state.

Funding from the National Endowment for the Arts and the South Dakota Legislature.
OPPORTUNITIES

SDAC American Rescue Plan Grants

Residencies for Recovery
SDAC American Rescue Plan Grants

Support South Dakota arts organizations and artists Recover, Re-establish, Rebuild in a way that works better for all arts organizations

Incorporate principles of equity, access, and inclusion

Support arts organizations to inspire community recovery

Offer flexibility through non-matching general operating support

Applications are open now! https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/ARP_Grants.aspx
AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN GRANTS

Support the *organization’s regular, day-to-day work*

*CANNOT be for new or special projects or program*

Application Deadline: **Oct. 8, 2021**

Anticipated Announcement of Grant Awards: **Nov. 1, 2021**

Estimated Number and Type of Awards: Approximately 100 grants

Period of Performance: From grant award date through **June 30, 2022**
ELIGIBILITY

Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organizations
Nonprofit institutions of higher education
Units of state or local government
Federally recognized tribal governments

Arts addressed in mission statement
Over 50% of programming is arts-related
History of arts/cultural programming/services
Fiscal Agents for regranting are not eligible
CANNOT apply for both SDAC & SDHC funding
CAN apply for both SDAC & NEA funding

Full guidelines are available online at
AWARDS

Level I - annual operating budget above $20,000
Grants of $5,000 - $20,000
Awards based on eligible operating expenses

Level II - annual operating budget below $20,000
Grants of $4,500
Additional funds awarded to organizations that specifically engage underserved populations

No match required
SUPPORT

Grants must support the organization’s regular, day-to-day work and CANNOT be for new or special projects or programs.

Support is limited to any or all of the following:

- Salary support, full or partial, for one or more staff positions.
- Fees/stipends for artists and/or contractual personnel to support services they provide for specific activities of organizational operations.
- Facilities costs such as rent and utilities, e.g., electric, phone, gas bills. Not to include upgrades to HVAC systems. Note: Costs related to home offices are unallowable.
- Costs associated with health and safety supplies for staff and/or visitors/audiences, e.g., personal protective equipment, cleaning supplies, hand sanitizer, etc.
- Marketing and promotion costs.
REVIEW CRITERIA

The artistic excellence and artistic merit of the proposal, which includes the:

- Arts central to the mission and core work of the organization.
- Potential to have an immediate impact on the arts workforce.
- Ability to carry out an award including the appropriateness of the budget, the resources involved, and the personnel.
- Responsive to the needs and priorities of the audience, community, and/or constituency it serves through its programming and services.
- As appropriate, the potential to serve and/or reach individuals whose opportunities to experience the arts are limited by geography, ethnicity, economics, or disability, or other factors.

Application questions are available online at [https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/ARP_Guidelines.pdf](https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/ARP_Guidelines.pdf)
THINGS TO REMEMBER

Late applications are not accepted **DEADLINE OCTOBER 8**

If you aren’t registered with DUNS get started now. You will need a DUNS to apply. Online at [https://www.dnb.com/duns-number/get-a-duns.html](https://www.dnb.com/duns-number/get-a-duns.html)

Submit your application well in advance of the OCTOBER 8 DEADLINE to give yourself ample time to resolve any issues.


Apply online at [https://sdac.gosmart.org/](https://sdac.gosmart.org/)
Frequently Asked Questions

Can I apply to for SDAC ARP if I have already applied for NEA support, or other federal relief funds (such as SVOG or PPP)? Yes.

What is “arts-related activity”? Please review the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities Act of 1965 for a full definition of arts-related activities. Online at https://www.arts.gov/sites/default/files/Legislation.pdf

How do I know what my grant request should be? Organizational annual operating budget below $20,000 - $4,500. Organizational annual operating budgets above $20,000 – staff will notify ARTS CHALLENGE grantees soon with anticipated award amounts.

What is considered “general operating” expenses? In an operations-based grant, eligible costs are not tied to a specific project. Additional specific examples of allowable use of funds can be found on the American Rescue Plan Resource Page. https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/ARP_Grants.aspx
RESIDENCIES FOR RECOVERY

Support artists working intensively with community organizations and local governments to engage with the local community

Creates a space for the formation and activation of dialogue between artists and community

Supports a place for art beyond the aesthetic, as a way of engaging and addressing the challenges communities face

Build networks within the community with a focus on preparedness and resiliency
RESIDENCIES FOR RECOVERY

Application Deadline: **Oct. 8, 2021**

Anticipated Announcement of Grant Awards: **Nov. 1, 2021**

Estimated Number of Awards: Approximately 12 grants

Period of Performance: From grant award date through **June 30, 2022**

Guidelines are available online at [https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/R4R_Guidelines.pdf](https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/R4R_Guidelines.pdf)
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Preference will be given to community arts organizations which have not received Residency for Recovery grant funds in past cycles. However, past recipients are eligible to apply.
AWARDS

Grants of $8,000 to organizations
- $7,225 payment to residency artist(s)
- $775 payment to the organizations for costs associated with grant administration, marketing, and supplies

Residencies should last 6-9 months and may include more than one artist

Guidelines, application questions and details on how to apply are available online at https://artscouncil.sd.gov/grants/R4R_Guidelines.pdf
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AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN RESOURCES:
SAVE THE DATE!

Join us Wednesday, September 8th at 11am CT / 10am MT, for a conversation with staff from the South Dakota Arts Council and a panel of past Residencies for Recovery grantees.

We will talk through their projects, presenting case studies on successful community driven programming as well as generating ideas for future Residencies for Recovery projects.

GRANT DEADLINE OCTOBER 8th, 2021.
THANK YOU!

Please find any referenced materials, links to speakers, recordings of past webinars, and upcoming sessions at: ArtsSouthDakota.org/webinars/

Contact Community Development Director Andrew Reinartz at Andrew@ArtsSouthDakota.org with any questions, or ideas for future professional development sessions.

Thank you, for all you do to support your creative communities! Please reach out to Arts South Dakota any time.