



Arts Capital Grant FY 2025

RECOMMENDED AWARDS - (Pending BPW Approval)

NAME	COUNTY	ARTS CAPITAL ACTIVITY	AMOUNT
Art League of Ocean City, Inc.	Worcester	Enhancing exterior usability, aesthetics, and accessibility with walkway improvements, a shaded pergola, and updated signage.	\$83,000
Audrey Herman Spotlighters Theatre, Inc.	Baltimore City	Improving accessibility with a platform lift, ADA-compliant renovations, and enhanced seating options.	\$160,000
Baltimore Improv Group Inc.	Baltimore City	Upgrading theater facilities with HVAC, plumbing, accessibility improvements, and a modern kitchenette.	\$100,000
Crisfield Arts Syndicate, LLC.	Somerset	Transforming unused space into a performing arts and cultural education center for a rural community.	\$218,000
Dancemakers, Inc.	Prince George's	Enhancing safety and accessibility with new flooring, bathroom renovations, child-friendly doors, and a hydration station.	\$360,000
Eubie Blake National Jazz Institute and Cultural Center, Inc.	Baltimore City	Modernizing historic facilities for accessibility and safety with system upgrades, flooring, lighting, restrooms and kitchenettes.	\$295,000
Garrett County Arts Council, Inc.	Garrett	Replacing the roof on historic building to ensure long-term stability and support diverse arts programming in a historic building.	\$136,000
Germantown Cultural Arts Center, Inc.	Montgomery	Revitalizing BlackRock Center's outdoor spaces for accessibility and functionality with walkways, seating, lighting, and theater risers.	\$288,000
Maryland Ensemble Theatre, Inc.	Frederick	Upgrading stage lighting and communication systems for sustainability, safety, and production quality.	\$95,000

Nanticoke Historic Preservation Alliance, Inc.	Dorchester	Constructing an ADA-accessible building for expanded capacity to host exhibits and programs on local cultural history.	\$315,000
Pennsylvania Avenue Black Arts and Entertainment District, Inc.	Baltimore City	Creating an accessible cultural hub with art studios, co-working spaces, and a performance venue for Black creatives.	\$450,000
St. Mary's County Arts Council	St. Mary's	Establishing a safe and inclusive makerspace for pottery, glass, and fiber arts in a renovated community center wing.	\$450,000
Strand Theater Company, Inc.	Baltimore City	Improving safety and functionality by upgrading performance and operations spaces to increase capacity and accessibility.	\$50,000

OVERVIEW

APPLICATIONS FUNDED	ELIGIBLE APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	FUNDING THRESHOLD	FUNDING RATE
13	56	Applications scoring 91.8% or more were funded	23% of applications received were funded
			TOTAL FUNDING: \$3,000,000

PANELISTS

NAME	COUNTY
Dr. Maame Amoyaw	Prince George's
Marian Glebes	Baltimore City
Holly Holly Gilpin	Dorchester
Irina Lapteva	Montgomery
Berta Maginniss	Worcester
Martha Garcia Mowbray	Harford
Caitlin Patton-Rosenberg	Kent
Alec Sparks	Baltimore City
Sue Veith	St. Mary's
Dave Williams	Allegany

MORE INFO

The Arts Capital grant program provides eligible organizations with state capital funding for projects that improve or produce a complete, useable, and accessible arts facility. Learn more on MSAC's site by [clicking here](#).