



## Arts Capital Grant FY 2026

### RECOMMENDED AWARDS - (Pending BPW Approval)

NAME	COUNTY	ARTS CAPITAL ACTIVITY	AMOUNT
Academy Art Museum	Talbot	Upgrading outdated HVAC systems to safeguard collections, reduce costs, and expand gallery and program space.	\$500,000
AnnMarie Sculpture Garden and Arts Center	Calvert	Converting a former barn into an expanded and accessible clay studio including the installation of essential utilities and equipment.	\$500,000
Arena Players	Baltimore City	Modernizing the theater, lobby, multipurpose spaces, and technology systems to improve flexibility, accessibility, and audience experience.	\$300,000
Baltimore County Arts Guild	Baltimore County	Modernizing the clubhouse including lighting and electrical systems upgrades, accessibility enhancements, and new flooring.	\$500,000
Cecil County Arts Council	Cecil	Stabilizing the historic building and updating mechanical systems improve accessibility and sustainability and create new classrooms and gallery spaces.	\$500,000
Cultura Plenara	Frederick	Transforming a former warehouse into a cultural center by installing all new systems, improving exterior accessibility and building out the interior to create flexible program spaces.	\$201,000
Maryland Theatre Association	Washington	Installing line array speaker system in the historic theatre to enhance sound quality, accessibility, and audience experience.	\$300,000
Pyramid Atlantic	Prince George's	Activating an underutilized third floor to add studio and classroom space, including the installation of a lift to expand accessibility.	\$359,000
Young Artists of America	Montgomery	Building a dedicated rehearsal and arts hub with new studios and classrooms to expand youth programming and community access.	\$450,000

## OVERVIEW

APPLICATIONS FUNDED	ELIGIBLE APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	FUNDING THRESHOLD	FUNDING RATE
9	34	Applications scoring 84.8% or more were funded	20% of applications received were funded
			<b>TOTAL FUNDING: \$3,610,000</b>

## PANELISTS

NAME	COUNTY
Marseja Cardwell	Washington
Andy Cook	Baltimore City
Colleen Daly	Anne Arundel
Pablo de Oliveira	Prince George's
David Kanter	Baltimore City
Sarah Lewitus	Baltimore City
Sue Malone	Baltimore County
Ashlee McKinnon	Prince George's
Tanya Myers	Washington D.C. (outside of MD)
Allianza Rivera	Charles
Belvey Russ	Montgomery
Hadassah St Hubert	Montgomery

## 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](#).