



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT of NATURAL and CULTURAL RESOURCES STATE COUNCIL on the ARTS

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19 Pillsbury Street CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE 03301

November 19, 2019

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Executive Council State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Pursuant to RSA 19-A:5, <u>Duties</u>, authorize the Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, State Council on the Arts to award a Partnership Grant to Arts Alive, Inc. (VC #268783), Keene, NH in the amount of \$30,000 to act as Fiscal Agent for the 24th Arts in Education Partnership Conference to be held in Dover, NH, effective upon Governor and Executive Council approval through June 30, 2020. 100% Federal Funds

Funding is available in account, Federal Arts Partnership Grant, as follows:

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FY 2020 \$30,000

EXPLANATION

At a recent meeting, the State Arts Council's Board unanimously voted to accept the recommendations for the Partnership Initiative of Arts Alive with the State Council on the Arts to support the 24th Arts in Education Partnership Conference, "Culturally Responsive Leadership Race and Equity in Education and Community," to be held in Dover, NH. The conference is devoted to the continuing professional development of educators, artists, parents, and school leaders. The Arts in Education Conference connects artist with educators and explores the power of the arts to improve learning. Facilitators, speakers, and youth leaders will guide attendees in understanding how race, socio-economic status, trauma, and mental health uniquely form the ways in which students learn and engage with the community. Sessions will utilize the disciplines of dance, theatre, media, visual arts, and music as an essential asset in student centered and project based learning.

In accordance with the State of New Hampshire requirements for an open bid process, a Request for Proposal to act as Fiscal Agent for the 24th Arts in Education Partnership Conference was issued on September 15, 2019 to non-profit arts organizations and posted on our website. Arts Alive, Inc. was the only proposal received.

The Attorney General's office has reviewed and approved the agreement as to form, substance and execution.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah L. Stewart Commissioner



NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE COUNCIL ON THE ARTS GRANT AGREEMENT

This agreement between the State of New Hampshire, New Hampshire State Council on the Arts (hereinaster "Council") and Arts Alive Inc. (hereinaster "Grantee") is to witness receipt of funds subject to the following conditions:

1. GRANT PERIOD: FY2020

2. OBLIGATIONS OF THE GRANTEE:

- The Grantee agrees to accept \$30,000.00 and apply it to the program (s) described in the grant application and approved budget for To support the Arts in Education Partnership Conference. In the performance of this grant agreement, the Grantee is in all respects an independent contractor and is neither an agent nor employee of the State.
- Funding credit including Council logo must appear in all programs, publicity, and promotional materials. The following wording and Council logo should be used:



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Arts Alive Inc. is supported in part by a grant from the New Hampshire State Council on the Arts & the National Endowment for the Arts.

State Council on the Arts

- The Grantee acknowledges that the NHSCA Program Coordinator may schedule a site visit to the organization and may request a site visit from the NHSCA.
- The Grantee agrees to abide by the limitations, conditions and procedure outlined herein and in the attached appendices. If appropriated funds for this grants program are reduced or terminated, all payments under this grant may cease. That determination rests within the sole discretion of the Council.
- 3. PAYMENT will be made following the receipt and execution of all required documents and approval of the Governor and Executive Council
- 4. FINAL/REPORT: The Grantee agrees to submit a final financial and narrative report on a form provided by the Council no more than 30 days after the end of the grant period. Failure to submit the final report will render the Grantee ineligible for Council funding for two years.
- 5. SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY: No provision of this contract is to be deemed a waiver of sovereign immunity by the State of New-Hampshire.

<u>COUNCIL APPROVAL</u>		
		GRANTEE SIGNATURE
Contracting Officer for Sta	ate Agency	Org/ Name: Arts Alive Inc.
Signature Signature	mt 11/22/19	Address: 15 Eagle Ct Keen UH Jessica Gelter
	K. Stewart	Printed Name of Authorized Official for Grantee Executive Director 10/29/1
Commi	ssioner	Authorized Official's Signature & Title Date
	9	NOTARIZATION REQURIED:
		STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIPE, COUNTY OF CHOSKITE
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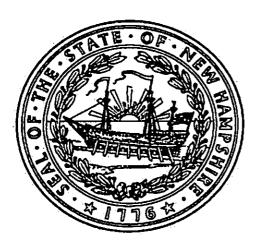
State of New Hampshire Department of State

CERTIFICATE

I, William M. Gardner, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that ARTS ALIVE, INC. is a New Hampshire Nonprofit Corporation registered to transact business in New Hampshire on February 17, 2009. I further certify that all fees and documents required by the Secretary of State's office have been received and is in good standing as far as this office is concerned.

Business ID: 608788

Certificate Number: 0004492493



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,

I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the Seal of the State of New Hampshire, this 9th day of April A.D. 2019.

William M. Gardner

Secretary of State

Board Resolution

I, Joseph Stracy, hereby certify that I am duly elected Clerk/Secretary of (Name)
Name of Organization). I hereby certify the following is a true copy of a vote taken at
a meeting of the Board of Directors/shareholders, duly called and held on 60 Cottoes, 2019
at which a quorum of the Directors/shareholders were present and voting.
VOTED: That <u>Jessice Gelter</u> is duly authorized to enter a (Name and Title) person that signs gout agreement
Contract on behalf of Ats Alive! Inc. with the (Name of Organization)
_NH State Council on the Arts State of New Hampshire and further is (Name of State Agency)
Authorized to execute any documents which may in his/her judgment be
desirable or necessary to effect the purpose of this vote.
I hereby certify that said vote has not been amended or repealed and remains in full
force and effect as of the 16 of October 20 19. I further certify that it is understood that the
State of New Hampshire will rely on this certificate as evidence that the person listed above currently
occupies the position indicated and that they have full authority to bind the corporation to the specific
contract indicated.
DATED: 10/29/19 ATTEST: Marke and Title) Clark Secretary

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CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) 10/29/2019

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED

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GRANTEE INFORMATION FORM for ORGANIZATIONS

Please complete the following for fulfillment of grant requirements by the State of New Hampshire's Department of Administrative Services.

Name of Organization	Arts Alive	Inc.	
1. Statement of Purpose: (Give your organization's miss Alto Alive! Only to Culture	sion statement or list you enhances que	our organization's object ality of life adnuct Region	tives in the space below) by advancing

2. Salary of Administrator:

(List annual salary of administrator, not artist's fees, who will be involved in this grant.)

\$ 42,500.00

Attach the Following:

- 3. DUNS Number (If not provided on application) 0 52209583
- 4. Resume of Administrator
- 5. Financial Statement:

A one-page financial statement of your organization's most recently completed fiscal year.

- 6. Board of Directors:
 - A list of the current directors and officers of your organization.
 - Please do not include any personal information such as home addresses, phone numbers or emails.
- 7. List Geographic Areas Served by Organization
- 8. Certificate of Liability and Workers Comp Insurance with the **Department of Natural &**Cultural Resources as the certificate holder
- 9. Please include a copy of a <u>current</u> year Certificate of Good Standing. (if not provided with the application)
 - If you do not have a Certificate of Good Standing with the state of NH please call Secretary of State Corporate Division at 271-3244 and request an application.

	Jan - Dec 18	Jan - Dec 17
Income		
Direct Public Grants		
Foundation and Trust Grants	04 500 00	00 005 00
Foundation and Trust Grants - Other	24,500.00	33,225.00
Total Foundation and Trust Grants	24,500.00	33,225.00
Direct Public Grants - Other	500.00	0.00
Total Direct Public Grants	25,000.00	33,225.00
Direct Public Support		
Individ, Business Contributions		
Individuals & Businesses	34,440.03	38,139.66
Total Individ, Business Contributions	34,440.03	38,139.66
Total Direct Public Support	34,440.03	38,139.66
Other Types of Income		
Fiscal Sponsorship Fees	5,635,12	1,051,13
Miscellaneous Revenue	6.54	6.28
Total Other Types of Income	5,641.66	1,057.41
Program Income Seminars	0.00	360.20
Discover Monadnock	0.00	\ 0.00 \ 0.00
	2,000.00	2,780.00
Ewing Arts Awards	950.00	2,780.00
Brownfields Bootcamp Artist to Artist	778.69	0.00
	0.00	0.00
Other Programs	3,728.69	3,140.20
Total Program Income	3,728.09	3,140.20
Total Income	68,810.38	75,582.27
Expense		
Contract Services		
Accounting Fees	2,587.50	2,400.00
Fiscal Sponsorship Fee Share	2,813.13	242.27
Total Contract Services	5,400.63	2,642.27
Facilities		
Repairs & Maintenance	45.00	0.00
Rent	1,728.00	1,728.00
Telephone/DSL/Fax	1,107.05	1,125.98
Total Facilities	2,880.05	2,853.98
Total insurances	1,102.20	1,525.80
Development		
Marketing Services	2,532.20	642.43
Website	501.69	976.25
Development Supplies	680.85	1,852.38
Total Marketing & Advertising	3,714.74	3,471.06
Office		
	240.31	251.97
Banking Fees		-+
Banking Fees Dues & Subscriptions	972.00	853.40
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Statement of Activities

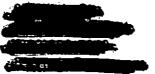
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Office Supplies	1,427.22	776.53		
Postage	523.00	381.43		
Printing	0.00	37.99		
Total Office	3,435.42	2,517.42		
Payroll	•			
Payroll tax	3,265.26	3,035.75		
Salaries	42,500.12	39,500.04		
Total Payroll	45,765.38	42,535.79		
Programs		•		
Special Projects	1,587.56	0.00		
Discover Monadnock	2,110.03	0.00		
Ewing Arts Awards	4,509.98	6,000.00		
Arts & Economic Prosperity	0.00	6,353.91		
Artist to Artist	1,393.77	0.00		
Total Programs	9,601.34	12,353.91		
Total Seminars & Conferences	185.00	103.49		
Total Travel	1,245.66	1,049.88		
Total Expense	73,330.42	69,053.60		
Net Income	(4,520.04)	6,508.67		



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Arts Alive enhances quality of life by advancing arts and culture in the Monadnock Region

Arts Alive! Board of Directors

Andy Oram, Acera Consulting (Co-Chair 2019-2020)



Two Term: 2016 - 2021

The Dublin School

Joseph Stacey
Connection
(Secretary Oct 2019-2020)



One Term: 2019-2021

Kathy Hodgkins, Hogancamp (Treasurer 2017-20)

One Term: 2017-2019
Chair of Finance Committee

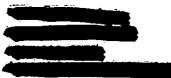
(Co-Chair 2019)

Eric Russell,

One Term: 2018-2020

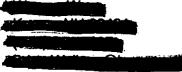
Chair of Development Committee

Rick Swanson, Historical Society of Cheshire County



One Term: 2019 - 2021

Brian Wallace, Thorne Sagendorph Art Gallery



Two Term: 2016 - 2021

Trim Hahn, Posies for Trim



One Term: 2017 - 2019 Chair of 10 year committee Pelagia Vincent, Depot Square



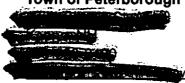
Two Term: 2014 - 2019

Shannon Mayers, Redfern

Keene State College



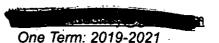
Two Term: 2014 - 2019 Chair of Marketing Committee Kristin Bixby,
Town of Peterborough



One Term: 2019-2021

Katharina Rooney, Artist

Keene, NH





About Jessica Gelter, Arts Alive! Executive Director

Jessica Gelter is a theatre and performing artist. She spent the first 10 years of her career as an arts educator, transitioning away from that role and into arts community leadership five years ago, when she began working with Arts Alive!



Resume

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR: Arts Alive!, Keene (2014-current)

ARTS EDUCATOR:

- Music Together (2009-2014)
- New England Youth Theatre (2004-2013)
- Boston University Summer Theatre Intensive (2006)

MARKETING DIRECTOR: New England Youth Theatre, Brattleboro (2009-2013) EVENT PRODUCER & DIRECTOR:

- Ewing Arts Awards (2015-19)
- Radically Rural: Arts Track (2018-19)
- Irene Recovery Events: Get Up 8! (2011), Flat St. Rising (2012)
- Bonnyvale Environmental Education Center Annual Forest of Mystery (2013-19)
- Vermont Theatre Company's annual production of A Christmas Carol (2014-18)
- Shakespeare in the Park, Brattleboro (2011, 2012, 2017)
- Original Works Festival, NEYT Alumni Association (2010, 2011, 2012, 2013)

BOARD MEMBER:

- New Hampshire Creative Communities Network (2014-current), Chair (2018-current)
- Brattleboro Town Planning Commission (2016-current)
- NEYT Alumni Association (2008-2014), Founder & President (2008-2013)
- Vermont Theatre Company (2010-2014), President (2012-2014)
- Friends of Music at Guilford (2009-2015)

EDUCATION

- Creative Communities Fellowship with National Arts Strategies, 2019
- Leadership Monadnock, 2015-2016
- Nonprofit Management Certificate, University of Massachusetts Amherst, 2009
- Theater Performance B.F.A. Boston University College of Fine Arts, 2007

Towns Served

Monadnock Region:

Antrim Hinsdale
Bennington Jaffrey
Chesterfield Keene
Deering Lyndeborough
Dublin Marlborough

Dublin Marlborough
Fitzwilliam Marlow
Francestown Mason
Gilsum Milford
Greenfield Nelson
Greenville New Ipswich

Hancock Peterborough Harrisville Richmond

Hillsborough Rindge

Roxbury
Sharon
Stoddard
Sullivan
Surry
Swanzey
Temple
Troy
Walpole

Westmoreland

Wilton

Winchester 'Windsor

Statewide partners

NH Division of Travel & Tourism Development

NH Travel Council

NH Arts Learning Network

NH Creative Communities Network

Plan NH Arts4NH

NH Business Committee for the Arts

Regional & National partners

New England Foundation for the Arts

Americans for the Arts