



## ARTS ORGANIZATION GRANT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2021

**Grant limit: Up to \$4,000 per Grantee**

Grant Applications Due to Dakota West Arts Council by **October 1, 2021**

**Directions:** Please type your application in this fillable PDF form. This fillable PDF form must be saved to your computer. Use the latest version of Adobe Reader to complete the fillable PDF. Avoid completing the form online within your web browser using a built-in PDF viewer, or by using MAC Preview (Macintosh OS). Information can be lost using these methods. Once finished please email to [dakotawestartscouncil@gmail.com](mailto:dakotawestartscouncil@gmail.com) with the subject line DWAC Grant 2021 along with any supporting grant materials (photos/sketches/recordings etc) by October 1, 2021.

Please note once your project is completed you are required to fill out the Arts Organization Grant Evaluation form to account for your funds, or your funding will be ineligible. Thank you for applying for DWAC granting and your interest and involvement in Public Arts in our community.

Grant Recipient Notification and Contracts Issued by Email after: **November 14, 2021**

All Grant Contracts Must Be Completed, Signed, and Returned to

Dakota West Arts Council no later than **November 30, 2021**.

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Web Site: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Artistic Discipline of Proposal: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your organization a registered 501(c)3?  Yes  No

If yes, please list your Tax ID # (EIN): \_\_\_\_\_

Or, you may be fiscally sponsored by a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization with the necessary tax-exempt status. Either way, we will need a tax-exempt ID # (EIN).

**Fiscal sponsorship is a formal arrangement in which a 501(c)3 nonprofit sponsors a project or program related to the organization's mission. This is an alternative to starting your own nonprofit and allows you to seek grants under your sponsor's legal and tax-free status. You must provide DWAC with a copy of the written agreement between both groups.**

Do you have a Fiscal Sponsor?  Yes  No

Who is your Fiscal Sponsor and what is their Tax ID # (EIN): \_\_\_\_\_

**(Please attach a copy of your agreement with your submitted application.)**

1. What is your group or organization's mission statement?
  
2. Vision Statement (What is your organization's long term desired impact in our community of Bismarck)?
  
3. Title of the project you are requesting funds for:
  
4. Description of your project?
  
5. Total Budget Amount for project? \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Amount Requested from DWAC for your project? \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Total annual budget for your organization? \_\_\_\_\_
  
6. Estimated number of people benefitting from your project (cast, audience, teachers, kids, adults, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_
  
7. Estimated age range of people benefitting from this project: \_\_\_\_\_
  
8. What are your program/project goals?
  
9. How will the program/project be managed and by whom? Describe any partnerships you are in relationship with that may help you meet your program/project goals.

10. Describe the artistic quality of the program/project. Detail key artists and qualifications they hold. How many artists involved? How many artists paid?
  
11. What value does the community receive from your program/project (i.e. education, entertainment, opportunity to try something new and different, outlet to meet new people in community, etc.)? Describe demographics of your audience.
  
12. How will your organization deem the project successful? How will you evaluate or assess the program/project?
  
13. What efforts does your organization take to reach a diverse audience (i.e. historically and presently underserved and culturally diverse individuals)?
  
14. Describe your publicity/marketing strategy and how your program/project will be promoted to the general public? Please note that if awarded a DWAC grant you must indicate as such by using DWAC's logo (provided) in all promotional materials.
  
15. Please list your board members, their affiliations, addresses and email (if an incorporated 501 (c)3 non-profit):

16. COVID Contingency:

Please describe possible contingency plans should COVID pause in person activities. Online and creative solutions are welcomed.