American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Music & Entertainment Update

MUSIC COMMISSION

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Music Community Relief (ARPA): \$4m

- Austin Music Disaster Relief Grant (\$2.3M) Closed January 28, 2022
 - Texas Accountants & Lawyers for the Arts (TALA) assisted applicants with technical assistance
 - The Long Center now evaluating nearly 3,000 applications
- Live Music Venue Preservation Fund (\$1.395M)
 - 12 Phase 1 grant recipients now receiving enhanced monthly grant funds through early summer 2022
 - Preparing survey to determine program funding impact on venue preservation outcomes
 - Venue Summit on Equity Strategic Plans in Spring / early Summer 2022

^{*} Music ARPA funds not used for grants were used for 3rd Party Admin fees.

Breakdown of Creative Sector Support

Program	Date	Source	Amount Funded	# of Grants	By Year
Austin Music Disaster Relief Grant	April 2020	COA	\$1,500,000	1,497	\$10 , 802 , 879
Austin Creative Space Disaster Relief Program	June 2020	COA	\$1,000,000	32	
Small Business Relief Grant (Creative Industries only)	July 2020	CARES	\$2,187,038	131	
Non-Profit Relief Grant (Arts & Culture only)	July/Sept 2020	CARES	\$1,921,841	127	
Creative Worker Relief Grant	August 2020	CARES	\$3,500,000	1,866	
Live Music Venue Preservation Fund (Phase 1)	December 2020	SAVES	\$694,000	77	
Live Music Venue Preservation Fund (Phase 2)	January-July 2021	SAVES	4,300,000	28	\$8,220,000
Arts & Culture Non-Profit Relief Grant	August 2021	ARPA+	\$3,920,000	196	
Arts Community Relief	January 2022	ARPA	\$5,297,960	380	\$8,992,660
Live Music Venue Preservation Fund (Completion)	January 2022	ARPA	\$1,394,700	12	
Austin Music Disaster Relief Grant	February 2022	ARPA	\$2,300,000	1,150	
		\$28	,015,539	5,496	