

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MANAGER TO ENTER INTO PERFORMANCE AGREEMENTS AND DISTRIBUTE FUNDS TO CREATE ARTS-RELATED PROGRAMS FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE RESIDENTS OF CHAPEL HILL (2026-03-25/R-1)

WHEREAS, In 2023 the Council authorized the Town Manager to create and implement an equitable, transparent, and accessible application process to fund arts-related programs by local nonprofit agencies (2023-02-22/R-2); and

WHEREAS, the arts and culture award program review team is responsible for evaluating annual applications and advising Council on funding needs for proposed projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill that the Council authorizes the Town Manager to enter into performance agreements with the following agencies to conduct arts-related programs for the benefit of the residents of Chapel Hill.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council approves the following distribution of FY26 funds for this purpose:

Agency	Funding Amount
ArtsCenter	4,836
Bridging the Gap	9,666
EMPOWERment, Inc.	9,666
Orange County Rape Crisis Center	9,666
Prism Design Lab	9,666
	\$ 43,500

This the 25th day of March, 2026.