

FY26 Ticket & Participation Subsidy Grant

Information Session

August 21, 2025

Agenda

- Introduction to ArtsFairfax
- Ticket & Participation Subsidy Grant Overview
- Before You Apply
- Application Process & Submittable
- After Grant Approval

ArtsFairfax funds the arts through advocacy & grantmaking

FY25 GRANTS

AT A GLANCE

82

AWARDS

\$799,026

FUNDS AWARDED

65

ORGANIZATIONS FUNDED

Project
Support

Ticket &
Participation
Subsidy

Operating
Support



We connect arts workers to opportunities

Free Resources

- Artist Calls
- Arts Directory
- Events Calendar
- Job Board



We connect arts workers to each other



Ticket & Participation Subsidy Grant Overview

- Purpose
 - To fund free and reduced-price tickets, participation, and transportation for performances, workshops, classes, and camps for Fairfax residents who may not have regular opportunities to experience the arts
- Details
 - Rolling deadline, dependent on the date of your event
 - Short application
 - Submission before or after event takes place

Ticket & Participation Subsidy Grant Updates

- Award Cap
 - Organizations with under \$20,000 in expenses from their most recently completed fiscal year may request a maximum of 25% of their fiscal year expenses.
- Individual Cap
 - Ticket requests are capped at \$150 per person.
 - Participation subsidies are capped at \$500 per person.
- Treasurer's Report
 - If you have not already submitted an ArtsFairfax FY26 Operating Support Grant or FY26 Project Support Grant, you will be asked to submit a Treasurer's Report.

Ticket & Participation Subsidy Grant Overview

- [Ticket & Participation Subsidy Website](#)
- Guidelines & Eligibility
 - Evaluation Criteria & Process
 - Reporting Requirements
- Application & Template
- Application Resources
- Award Process
- [Submittable](#)

Ticket & Participation Subsidy Grant Reminders

- Grant now open through June 30, 2026 **OR until funds are depleted**
- Contact staff for funding availability updates if needed
- Unsure if you should apply? Staff can answer questions and talk through projects
- View Full Grant Guidelines on artsfairfax.org/ticketsubsidy



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Thank you!

