



**KILLEEN ARTS
COMMISSION**

RS-17-090

September 5, 2017

Conformity to Policy/Statute

The City Council may allocate up to 15% of the Hotel Occupancy Tax collections for the encouragement, promotion, improvement, and application of the arts, including instrumental and vocal music, dance, drama, folk art, creative writing, architecture, design and allied fields, painting, sculpture, photography, graphic and craft arts, motion pictures, radio, television, tape and sound recording, and other arts related to the presentation, performance, execution, and exhibition of these major art forms under section 351.101(a)(4) of the Texas Tax Code for Municipal Hotel Occupancy Tax.

Grant Recommendations

- A total of \$187,167 in grant awards are recommended:
 - \$ 16,233 Armed Forces Natural Hair and Health
 - \$ 4,975 Artesania y Cultura Hispana
 - \$ 5,000 Central Texas College Foundation
 - \$ 9,000 Crossroads to Texas Quilt Guild
 - \$ 8,000 Cultura Filipiniana Arts, Inc.
 - \$ 10,600 IMPAC Outreach
 - \$ 52,500 Killeen Sister Cities, Osan, Korea
 - \$ 30,000 Killeen Volunteers, Inc.
 - \$ 3,859 Vive Les Arts Children's Theatre
 - \$ 45,000 Vive Les Arts Societe
 - \$ 2,000 Killeen Arts Commission

Recommendation



Staff recommends that the City Council approve the Killeen Arts Commission proposed grant awards.