

## Regional Arts & Culture Grants Auckland Funded Projects 2021-2022 Round Two

The Regional Arts and Culture grants programme is designed to enable organisations, communities and artists to deliver arts and culture projects and activities across the Auckland region. Grants delivered through this programme support the implementation of Toi Whītiki, Auckland's Arts and Culture Strategic Action Plan.

Following consultation with staff and external arts sector professionals based on the arts and culture assessment matrix criteria, a total of \$315,584 was granted: \$125,763 to ten audience development and programming grants; \$154,821 to nine business and capacity project grants and \$35,000 to one returning strategic relationship grant.

The Regional Arts and Culture Grants Programme budget is allocated under the following three categories:

**Audience development and programming project grants:** These grants support the delivery of a wide range of high quality arts and cultural experiences that would not otherwise be economically viable. These projects should be capable of attracting audiences from across the Auckland region.

**Business and capacity development project grants:** These grants are intended to increase the professionalism and build the sustainability of regional arts and culture organisations through the development of strategic, business and marketing plans; feasibility studies; organisational development and digital/web development activities.

**Strategic relationship grants:** These grants are single or multi-year funding relationships with a small number of strategic organisations operating at the regional level. These organisations are, or are capable of becoming the 'cornerstones' of a thriving arts and culture sector in Auckland.

Applicant	Project	Grant
<b>Audience development and programming</b>		
Tala Pasifika Productions Ltd	Takurua-Nafanua War Goddess multi-discipline performance series	\$25,000
Indian Ink Theatre Company	"Dirty Work" Development Season at TAPAC	\$10,000
Objectspace	Pacific Architectures: The Mike Austin Archive	\$10,000
Metro Media Group Ltd	M – a new free arts and culture magazine by Metro	\$16,333
Indian Ink Theatre Company	Krishnan's Dairy 25th anniversary production	\$10,000
Storylines Children's Literature Charitable Trust of New Zealand Te Whare Waituhi Tamariki o Aotearoa	Storylines Auckland Region Story Tour	\$5,680
Massive Theatre Company	Emerging Artist Production 2022	\$15,000
Atamira Dance Collective Charitable Trust	Kaha 2022	\$20,000

The Oryza Foundation (Oryza)	PORTRAITS: Extended Edition   TALKS	\$6,000
Samuel Snedden Productions	The Wasp Auckland 2022	\$7,750
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$125,763</b>
<b>Business capacity and development</b>		
Te Tuhi Contemporary Art Trust	Māori Artists and Curators Programme	\$16,420
Northern Dance Network Incorporated	Dance sector feasibility study	\$25,000
Show Me Shorts Film Festival Trust	Website development update for online delivery	\$16,840
MF Catt	Professional development and support for arts educators	\$4,200
Auckland Festival of Photography Trust	Strategic planning	\$25,000
Nightsong	Digital strategy and website	\$25,000
Depot Artspace	Strategic review	\$9,861
The Dust Palace Charitable Trust	Operational planning and review	\$10,500
Brilliant Adventures Ltd	Website development	\$22,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$154,821</b>
<b>Strategic relationship grants</b>		
Manukau Orchestral Society	Strategic relationship - Provide high quality, engaging orchestral concerts and development for artists from throughout the region	\$35,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$35,000</b>
<b>TOTAL RECOMMENDED</b>		<b>\$315,584</b>