

City of Houston
Arts and Culture Investments and Funding Sources

City Department, Division, Office or Related Local Government Corporation		Hotel Occupancy Tax (Arts)	Hotel Occupancy Tax (Other)	Civic Art Ordinance (Bonds)	Special Revenue/Enterprise	TIRZ, Chapter 380, Other ¹	General Fund, Other Bonds	State/Federal Grant	Sponsorships/ Private
Programs	Finance Dept.	Houston Arts Alliance- grants	●						
		Miller Theatre Advisory Board, Inc- grants	●						
		Theater District Improvement, Inc- grants	●						
		Museum District Association- grants	●						
		Library Department- exhibitions, lectures, events					●		
		Parks & Recreation Department- HCDE/after school					●		
		Dept. of Neighborhoods- Mayor's arts scholarships						●	
		Mayor's Office of Cultural Affairs- exhibitions	●						●
		Mayor's Office of Special Events- parades, festivals	●		●				●
Public Art	General Services Dept.	Combined Utility (water and sewer)		●					
		Fire Department		●					
		Health & Human Services Department		●					
		Library Department		●					
		Parks & Recreation Department		●					
		Parking Management			●				
		Police		●					
		Public Works & Engineering		●					
	Econ. Dev.	Midtown- public art included				●			
		Main Street Corridor- public art included				●			
		Greater Third Ward Neighborhood Proj- public art				●			
		Sawyer Park- public art included				●			
		Fifth Ward Jam				●			
		Upper Kirby- zone-wide public art				●			
		Palm Center- public art included				●			
		Mayor's Office partnership with SPARK Program						●	●
		Houston Airport System		●					
		Convention & Entertainment/Houston First Corp.		●					
	Facilities	Houston First	Talento Bilingue de Houston		●				
Wortham Theater Center				●					
Jones Hall				●					
Sunset Coffee Building				●					
Miller Outdoor Theatre				●					
Economic Development Division		Asia Society Texas Center				●			
		Buffalo Soldiers National Museum				●		●	
		Deluxe Theater				●			
		Jones Plaza				●			
		Menil Collection				●			
		Midtown Arts and Theater Center (MATCH)		●		●			
		Houston Museum of African American Culture				●			
		Museum of Fine Arts- street abandonment				●			
		Museum of Fine Arts- utility agreement				●			
		Midtown Baldwin Park- performance stage				●			
		Jones Plaza- concept/design				●			
		Emancipation Park- community center renovation				●			
		Fourth Ward- Freedman's Town hist. monuments				●			
Old Sixth Ward Historic District Monumentation				●					
	Parks Department - numerous historic structures					●			
	Planning & Development Dept.- historic pres. ord.				*				
Pro-motion		Houston First Corporation/ Greater Houston Convention & Visitors Bureau	●						

¹ Tax Increment Reinvestment Zones (TIRZs), Chapter 380 Agreements, Enterprise Zones, Historic Site Tax Exemption, Street Abandonment, Utility agreements

● In discussion

* Historic designation required for City Historic Site Tax Exemption