



## Seattle and King County ARRA Arts Jobs Applications At a Glance

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The Seattle Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs and 4Culture, King County's cultural services agency, have both received and will distribute to local organizations one-time National Endowment for the Arts funding through the 2009 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). These federal funds are designated "to preserve jobs in the non-profit arts sector threatened by declines in philanthropic and other support during the current economic downturn."

[www.seattle.gov/arts/funding/arts\\_jobs.asp](http://www.seattle.gov/arts/funding/arts_jobs.asp)

**Deadline:** Aug. 10, 2009, 11 p.m. online

**Eligibility:** Seattle-based 501(c)(3) non-profit arts and cultural organizations that are designated "Civic Partners" for the 2009/2010 biennium

**Applicants may apply for:**

- **\$5,000** -- organizations with FY 2008 budgets less than \$150,000.
- **\$15,000** – organizations with FY 2008 budgets of \$150,000 or more.

Awards will be made in these **fixed** amounts.

**Funds can be used for:**

Wages and benefits for salaried staff, or fees for contractors.

Full or part-time positions.

Any position except for development (fundraising) positions (per federal guidelines).

More than one position or contract.

[www.4culture.org/arts/saveartjobs](http://www.4culture.org/arts/saveartjobs)

**Deadline:** Aug. 10, 2009, postmarked

**Eligibility:** King County-based 501(c)(3) non-profit arts organizations and local arts agencies (LAAs) that are current recipients of "Arts Sustained Support" program funding

**Applicants may apply for:**

- **Any amount from \$1,000 to \$15,000**  
Organizations may be awarded full or partial support of their request.

**Funds can be used for:**

Wages and benefits for salaried staff, or fees for contractors.

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**File only one application.** ARRA funds have also been made available to arts organizations through the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA), Western States Arts Federation (WESTAF) and Washington State Arts Commission (WSAC). Organizations may receive only ONE ARRA art jobs grant. Granting agencies are cooperating to minimize the effort required of applicants and maximize the reach of limited funds. If your Seattle or King County organization applied to WSAC and is not funded but is qualified under OACA and/or 4Culture guidelines, that application will automatically be forwarded to the City and County processes as appropriate. Similarly, applications of qualifying Seattle organizations not funded by the Seattle Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs will be forwarded to 4Culture for consideration.