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## Status Update: Grants

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The **OC Arts and Culture Resilience Fund** has awarded \$30,000 to individual Orange County artists. The fund was launched last month by Arts Orange County in partnership with Charitable Ventures and the Orange County Community Foundation. The goal is to support creative artists and local nonprofit arts and culture organizations as they face significant challenges due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Funding was awarded to 40 artists who live in the county and have experienced significant financial losses due to COVID-19. Each artist received a one-time grant of \$750. Support for the artist assistance grants came from the Larry and Helen Hoag Foundation and other contributors to the OC Arts and Culture Resilience Fund.

The OC Arts and Culture Resilience Fund continues to accept donations to meet the needs of more individual artists and the local arts organizations that hire them. Donate at [charitableventuresoc.org/resilience-fund-arts/](https://charitableventuresoc.org/resilience-fund-arts/)