

General Operating Support – This category provides unrestricted general operating support to Montgomery County arts and cultural organizations with annual budgets of more than \$300,000. The money is distributed through a formula process. This year \$1,250,000 will be distributed to 15 of the County’s premiere cultural institutions.

- **Dayton Art Institute**
- **Dayton Ballet**
- **CityFolk**
- **Carillon Historical Park**
- **Dayton Contemporary Dance Company**
- **Dayton Opera**
- **Boonshoft Museum of Discovery**
- **Dayton Philharmonic**
- **Greater Dayton Public Television (Think TV)**
- **The Human Race Theatre**
- **The Muse Machine**
- **Montgomery County Historical Society**
- **Rhythm in Shoes**
- **Victoria Theatre Association**
- **WDPR (Dayton Public Radio)**

TOTAL

\$1,250,000

Special Projects - These funds provide an opportunity for small and medium sized Arts, Cultural, and Community based organizations, to produce and present projects that will benefit the neighborhoods or communities they serve. These funds were awarded through a competitive process administered by Culture Works. Approximately \$222,240 has been awarded to 36 organizations for 40 projects.

• Association for Study of African American Life & History	\$ 10,000.00
• Bell Haven Elementary School	\$ 2,993.00
• Carillon Brass	\$ 9,600.00
• Children’s Medical Center*	\$ 7,750.00
• Dayton-American Guild of Organists	\$ 2,510.00
• Dayton Black Cultural Festival	\$ 9,500.00
• Dayton Black Family Coalition (2)*	\$ 10,400.00
• Dayton Boys Choir	\$ 5,388.00
• Dayton Cultural Center (3 projects)*	\$ 24,077.00
• Dayton Jazz Orchestra	\$ 2,200.00
• Dayton Jewish Community Center	\$ 1,000.00
• Dayton Music Club	\$ 1,974.00
• Dayton Playhouse Youtheatre	\$ 6,875.00
• Dayton Public Arts Commission	\$ 4,000.00
• Downtown Dayton Partnership	\$ 2,500.00
• Dayton Visual Arts Center *	\$ 4,410.00
• Englewood Hills Elementary	\$ 7,000.00
• Founders Family Center	\$ 10,000.00
• Gem City Ballet	\$ 3,668.00
• Growth with Neighbors/Five Rivers Metro Parks	\$ 4,930.00

• K12 Gallery for Young People	\$ 10,000.00
• Kettering Children’s Choir *	\$ 7,647.00
• Learning Tree Farm	\$ 8,500.00
• Lutheran School of the Miami Valley	\$ 6,053.00
• Miami Valley Cooperative Gallery *	\$ 5,830.00
• Miami Valley Dance Company	\$ 4,000.00
• Miami Valley Jazz Camps *	\$ 5,000.00
• Operafunatics	\$ 4,200.00
• Oregon Historic District Society	\$ 5,930.00
• Rosewood Arts Center	\$ 4,750.00
• Southern Christian Leadership Conference	\$ 3,207.00
• The Miami Valley School *	\$ 9,000.00
• Top Brass	\$ 8,100.00
• University of Dayton Arts Series	\$ 7,000.00
• University of Dayton – First Tuesday	\$ 3,278.00
• Vincent Brothers Company *	\$ 4,800.00
• We Care Arts *	\$ 5,170.00
Totals	\$233,240.00

Special Note: Aullwood Audubon Center and Farm was recommended for funding for two special project grants totaling \$17,000 and two inventing flight grants totaling \$4,000, however, they have qualified to become one of our Major General Operating Support Recipients in 2003 and have opted to decline this year's Special Project Awards. Congratulations Aullwood. Welcome to the Majors.

Inventing Flight Awards - For 2002 and 2003 The Inventing Flight Organization has given \$24,000 per year to be included in the Special Project Grants pool to go to those organizations whose projects have an Aviation Theme and will be part of the 2003 Inventing Flight Celebration. Applicants could request an additional \$2,000 for such projects. Ten projects were awarded the Inventing Flight Award this year (Aullwood excluded):

- **Dayton Cultural Center's Living Arts Academy – *I Believe I Can Fly* Musical production**
- **The Miami Valley School – Dreams That Fly program**
- **Miami Valley Jazz Camp – Jazz Summer Camp focusing on flight**
- **Children's Medical Center – Amelia Piano Trio – *Flight of Fancy***
- **Kettering Children's Choir – Flight of the Imagination Commissions**
- **The Vincent Brothers Review – Flight and Flying Project**
- **Miami Valley Cooperative Gallery – Digital Millennium**
- **We Care Arts – Fly Up to Success Program**
- **Dayton Visual Arts Center – Imagining Flight Exhibition**
- **Dayton Black Family Coalition – Youth in Flight CD Compilation**

