

Strategic Program Area: Fund for the Arts

Service Provision: Discretionary

How We Do It: Program Budget Summary

Category	2023 Actual	2024 Actual	2025 Budget	2026 Budget	2025/2026 Variance
Expenditures	407,200	5,000	307,825	307,825	0
Tax Levy	407,200	5,000	307,825	307,825	0

Strategic Implementation:

The Milwaukee County Fund for the Arts, through the Milwaukee County Cultural Artistic and Musical Programming Advisory Council (CAMPAC), allocates County property tax dollars to support and encourage cultural and artistic activities, which have an important impact on the economic well-being and quality of life of the community.

Since 2014, the application process for CAMPAC has included information regarding sales tax paid from all applicant groups. In 2021, despite the challenges to the arts community, CAMPAC funding assisted these organizations in generating over \$1.059 million in sales tax revenue. The collective budgets of these arts groups total almost \$212 million in economic activity directly employing 1,767 full time positions.