

MASSACHUSETTS CULTURAL COUNCIL

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FY2017 Local Cultural Council Program

Allocations for Local Regranting

Representative Frank Israel Smizik

Brookline Commission for the Arts

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\$10,900

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FY2017 Direct Grants

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Back Bay Chorale, Brookline (www.bbcboston.org)	\$3,800
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to perform great choral music that inspires our audiences, challenges the members, and is prepared with a commitment to excellence.	
Brookline Symphony Orchestra, Inc. (www.brooklinesymphony.org)	\$2,500
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to support the Brookline Symphony Orchestra Concerto Competition and associated concerts.	
Collage New Music, Brookline (www.collagenewmusic.org)	\$3,800
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to commission, perform, and record contemporary classical music -- with a special emphasis on the music of Boston-based composers; and to provide an arena for the union of composer, performer, and listener through thoughtful and innovative programming and related events.	
Coolidge Corner Theatre Foundation, Inc., Brookline (www.coolidge.org)	\$25,500
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to celebrate the experience of cinema by presenting the finest international, documentary, animated, and independent/experimental film series while helping to preserve Boston's last original Art Deco moviehouse with live performances, educational programs, lectures, young/local filmmaker showcases--that all goes to nurture a broad-based, diverse audience.	
Metropolitan Chorale of Brookline (www.metropolitanchorale.org)	\$3,800
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to unite singers who share the joy of learning and performing a challenging traditional and contemporary repertoire, and to support the growth of music in our community.	
Puppet Showplace, Inc., Brookline (www.puppetshowplace.org)	\$5,600
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to support excellence in puppetry as a theatrical experience that educates, enlightens, and entertains all audiences.	
Zephyr Press, Brookline (www.zephyrpress.org)	\$3,800
Cultural Investment Portfolio Program: to publish literary titles that foster a deeper understanding of other cultures and languages, with a focus on contemporary literature in translation from Russia, Eastern Europe, and East Asia; and to further promote cross-cultural exchange by organizing bilingual readings, translation workshops, and other cultural events.	

Total FY17 Direct Grants: \$48,800