Public Funding Report: Arts and Culture
District 1
Congressman Richard Neal

In fiscal year 2020*, the National Endowment for the Arts invested $3,801,808 in Massachusetts, including $959,600 in grants to the Mass Cultural Council. The Mass Cultural Council invested a total of $16,717,164 in the vibrant and diverse cultural life of Massachusetts through 2,533 grants. This also included $4,154,000 for 329 local and regional cultural councils, representing all 351 cities and towns. These local councils invested $5,069,636 into 7,002 projects in their communities. Additionally, Massachusetts allocated $9,302,400 from its capital budget to 100 projects through the Cultural Facilities Fund. The following report has been compiled to demonstrate the breadth of the vital public investment in being made in District 1.

Federal funding through the National Endowment for the Arts:
- 13 grants totaling $695,000

State funding through the Massachusetts Cultural Council:
- 411 grants totaling $2,077,983

State funding through the Cultural Facilities Fund:
- 20 grants totaling $1,768,000

Regranting by Local and Regional Cultural Councils:
- The Massachusetts Cultural Council allocated $842,100 to 74 Cultural Councils that, in turn, invested $929,413 in local projects through 1,584 grants

Total Federal, State, and Local investment in District 1: $5,470,396

Symbols indicate at least one grant award recipient. One symbol may indicate multiple awards in densely populated areas.

* Map created by the National Assembly of State Arts Agencies
* This report includes the NEA’s federal fiscal year 2020 and Massachusetts’ state fiscal year 2020 which cover different periods of time