IMPACT! Arts & Culture

"Support for the production, distribution, and infrastructure of the arts is critical to success in tourism, attracting business interests, economic development, and quality of life issues."

National Conference of State Legislatures

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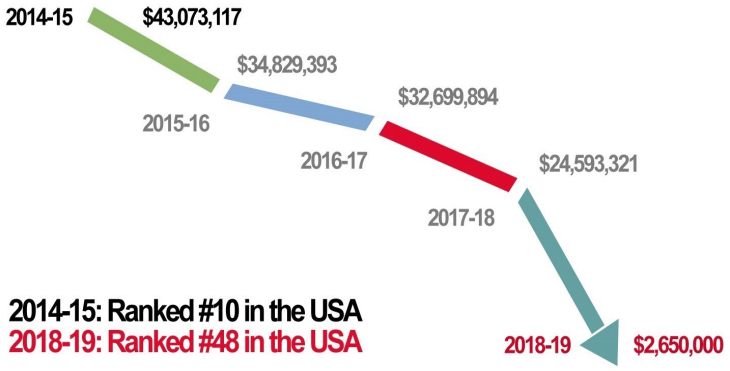
State investments in the Florida Department of State Division of Cultural Affairs (DCA) matching grants have gone from full funding in 2014-2015 to a 94% cut in 2018-2019.



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Sustainability & Accessibility Are Dependent On Funding Partnerships

More details. . .

- Admissions / Fees / Dues
- Foundation Support
- Corporate Support
- Individual Contributions
- Government Grants

Decline in DCA matching grants based in NORTH CENTRAL FL

Alachua Bradford Columbia Dixie Gadsden Gilchrist Hamilton Jefferson Lafayette Leon Levy Madison Suwannee Taylor Union Wakulla

Florida Fiscal Year: Click year to access DCA matching-grants' list for each county.	# of DCA matching-grants recommended:	Total qualified for in DCA-matching grants:	# of DCA matching-grants funded:	Funded by Florida Legislature:	% that the State Funded:
2014-2015	34	$ 2,946,203	34	$ 2,946,203	100%
2015-2016	33	$ 3,413,262	33	$ 2,436,750	71%
2016-2017	39	$ 3,116,742	38	$ 2,155,065	69%
2017-2018	45	$ 2,885,965	45	$ 1,259,826	44%
2018-2019	46	$ 3,148,367	35	$ 187,446	6%
Subtotals:	**197**	**$ 15,510,539**	**187**	**$ 8,985,290**	**58%**

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$9 to $1 Return to Local & State Government Treasuries

In Fiscal Year 2014-2015 when the Florida Legislature invested 100%, North Central Florida County-based arts and cultural nonprofits generated OVER $14,913,000 back to LOCAL government treasury; $20,770,000 back to STATE government treasury for a total of over $35,683,000 returned to government treasuries.

Arts & Economic Prosperity 5 Central FL Studies
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1,867 Arts-Related Businesses Located in 16 North Central FL Counties that Employ 7,033 People

Access to county reports
Dun & Bradstreet

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Please work to support FULL FUNDING INVESTMENTS for the Florida Department of State Division of Cultural Affairs' matching-grants programs. Thank you.

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