

## **Dane Arts Need Grant Program 2- 2021**

**Dane Arts** has created the *Dane Arts Need Grant Program!* (DANG!)

This is a support program for Dane County **working musicians, DJ, dancers, actors/producers, poets/writers, visual artists, performers and any independent working artist with a history of at least two (2) years of continuous work.**

It will be administered by Dane Arts until funds are exhausted.

DANG! is available only to independent working artists (IWAs) across disciplines experiencing financial difficulties as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak.

Through this support program, Dane Arts will help IWAs continue to develop work amidst the COVID-19 public health crisis, which has caused many of these workers to lose much needed income.

Artists can apply for financial support to afford and purchase products that will help them develop an online presence to promote their art form, present live and in person, or present a forum through a live feed of **music, theater, dance, literature, performance art, history and/or multidisciplinary work.** Funds can also be used, for example, to afford space rentals or repairs, upgrades, re-instating one's liability, teaching or performing insurance. Artists can also use the funds to support the purchase of supplies and/or use the funds to further develop their skills through training.

All requests will be juried and decided on a case-by-case basis. The total amount available is \$1,000,000. At least 400 artists will be awarded.

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