

A Community Tribute: Dr. Beulah Agnes Curry-Jones named 2024 Austin Cultural Icon

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Eva June Lindsey

(AUSTIN, TX) - East Austin Creative Coalition and Women In Jazz, Inc. will pay tribute to Austin music legend Dr. Beulah Agnes Curry-Jones, honoring her lifetime achievements in music, education, and community service. With this event, Dr. Curry-Jones will become the second recipient of the Coalition's annual Austin Cultural Icon Award. The award ceremony will be at 5 p.m. on Sunday, February 25 at the KMFA Studios, 41 Navasota Street, Austin.

An Austin native, Dr. Curry-Jones has been a legend in Austin's music scene and the educational landscape since the 1950s. She is a graduate of the historic Original L.C. Anderson High School, where she was a pianist and member of the choir and band. Dr. Curry-Jones earned her B.A. in Music Education from Prairie View A&M University, M.A. from Texas Southern University, and her doctorate in education from the University of Houston. She taught music in Austin public schools for 15 years prior to joining Huston-Tillotson College (now University) as a piano, voice, and music educator. Dr. Curry-Jones now serves as Professor Emerita of Fine Arts and former Director of Music at Huston-Tillotson.

A special award will also be presented. Community activist and cultural preservation legend Eva June Lindsey will receive the Cultural Heritage Dis-

trict Trailblazer Award. Lindsey, a native of Austin and a graduate of Fisk University, was instrumental in saving and preserving the historic Victory Grill on E. 11th Street. The venue is now listed on the National Registry of Historic Places, archived by the Texas Historical Commission, and donned a Texas Treasure by the statewide organization Preservation Texas.

The mission of the East Austin Creative Coal-



Dr. Beulah Agnes Curry-Jones

ition is to support and sustain viable and visible African American cultural production in a way that facilitates the long-term viability and preservation of the African American arts and culture/creative professional community of Central East Austin, currently known as the African American Cultural Heritage District.

For tickets, sponsorships or other information, visit: eastaustincreatives.org.

Black History Month Kid's Day at the Carver!


(AUSTIN, TX) - Come join us for a fun-filled day of celebration and learning at the George Washington Carver Museum, Cultural and Genealogy Center! On Sat Feb 24, 2024, starting at 11:00 AM, we are hosting an exciting event dedicated to honoring and educating the little ones about the rich history of Black culture, with an emphasis on the 2024 Black History Month theme - African Americans and the Arts.

Bring your children along to immerse them in an interactive experience that will ignite their curiosity and appreciation for Black history. We have planned a range of engaging activities, including

storytelling sessions, arts and crafts workshops, and interactive exhibits.

Let your kids explore the remarkable achievements of influential Black artists of all disciplines. Through hands-on experiences and creative play, they will gain a deeper understanding of the contributions made by Black individuals throughout history.

Mark your calendars and join us for a day of discovery, inspiration, and celebration at the Black History Month Kid's Day at the Carver! We can't wait to see you there!



Funding Available (4th Round):
Approximately \$389,519

There are no funding caps. But costs must be reasonable.

What's Needed to Apply?

- 501c3
- Federal Tax ID
- DUN# and UEI #
- W-9
- Insurance
- Bylaws
- Articles of Incorporation
- Recent 990 Tax Return
- Recent Audit or Financial Review

Application Date:

Grant Applications will be available in March 1-18, 2024.

Request Notification of Grant Application Release:
cdbg-cv@traviscountytx.gov

TRAVIS COUNTY CDBG OFFICE
P.O. Box 1748
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<https://www.traviscountytx.gov/health-human-services/cdbg>

Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm

CDBG-CV (COVID-19 RESPONSE) NOTICE OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

Eligible Community/Public Service Activities

- Job Training/Expansion (i.e., Health Care Workers)
- Testing/Diagnosis/Other Services at a Fixed or Mobile Location
- Increase Capacity and Availability of Targeted Health Services for Infectious Disease
- Increased Capacity and Availability of Daycare or After-School Services
- Provide Equipment, Supplies, and Materials Necessary to Carry Out a Public Service such as: Food Banks; Youth Services; Health Care; WIFI; and Senior Services.
- Deliver Meals to Quarantined Individuals
- Pay Hotel Room Costs for Vulnerable Populations (e.g., homeless)
- Operating Food Banks to Distribute Food
- Operating and Maintenance Costs for Food Distribution Centers
- Rent Assistance
- Don't see your project? [Send us an email to inquire!](#)**

What makes a program eligible?

- The activity must be eligible
- The activity must serve low-to-moderate income clients
 - NOTE: **100% of clients served with CDBG-CV funding must be at or below 80% AMI** or meet a presumed benefit category
- The activity must serve clients in the Travis County CDBG service area:
 - Unincorporated Travis County, San Leanna, Webberville
- The program must have a funding gap (need exceeds available funding)
- The program must be for the preparation, prevention, or response to COVID-19

What will be requested with your application?


Information requested includes but will not be limited to the following:

- Budget
- Project Description
- Number of clients to be served
- Organization Policies & Procedures (procurement, non-discrimination, conflict of interest, privacy, confidentiality, code of conduct, etc.)
- CDBG-CV Funded Program - Policies & Procedures
- Outreach Plan - Specific to the Program Requesting CDBG-CV Funds
 - How will your organization reach out to clients in unincorporated Travis County, San Leanna and Webberville?

Note: There are other requirements not stated in this flyer. This flyer is created to give early notice and help interested applicants prepare to apply.

Questions? Email cdbg-cv@traviscountytx.gov or call (512) 854-3460

Travis County CDBG Office Team:
Somchan Vuthipadadon, Planning Manager
Shawn Lemieux, CDBG-CV Administrative Associate





Fondos Disponibles (4ta ronda):
Alrededor de \$389,519

No hay limites. Pero los costos deben ser razonables.

CDBG-CV (RESPUESTA A COVID-19) NOTIFICACIÓN DE OPORTUNIDAD DE FONDOS

Actividades de Servicios Comunitarios/Públicos Elegibles

- Entrenamiento/Expansión de Trabajos (i.e. Trabajadores de Salud)
- Servicios de Pruebas/Diagnosis/Otros Servicios en un Local Fijo o Móvil
- Aumento en Capacidad y Disponibilidad de Servicios de Salud Dirigidos a Enfermedades Infecciosas
- Aumento en Capacidad y Disponibilidad de Servicios de Guardería y Servicios Extra Escolar
- Provisión de Equipo, Suministros, y Materiales Necesarios para Llevar Acabo Servicios Públicos tales como: Bancos de Comida; Servicios para la Juventud; Salud; WIFI; y Servicios a Personas Mayores.
- Entrega de Comidas a Personas en Cuarentena
- Pago de Costos de Habitaciones de Hotel para Poblaciones Vulnerables (e.g. personas sin hogar)
- Operación de Bancos de Comida para Distribuir Comida
- Costos para la Operación y Mantenimiento de Centros de Distribución de Comida
- ¿No ve su proyecto? [Envíanos un email para preguntar!](#)**
- ¿Qué hace que un programa sea elegible?**
 - La actividad debe ser elegible
 - La actividad debe servir personas de bajos a mediados ingresos
 - NOTA: **100% de las personas/clientes atendidas con fondos de CDBG-CV deben estar al no mas 80% del AMI (ingreso medio del área)** o cumplir con una categoría de beneficio presunto
 - La actividad debe servir personas que viven dentro del área de servicio del Condado de Travis: Áreas no incorporadas del Condado de Travis, o en cualquier parte de San Leanna o Webberville
 - El programa debe tener un déficit de financiación (déficit excede los fondos disponibles)
 - El programa debe ser para la preparación, prevención, o en respuesta al COVID-19
- ¿Qué tiene que entregar con su aplicación?**

La información requerida incluirá, pero no estará limitada a, lo siguiente:

- Presupuesto
- Descripción del Proyecto
- Número de clientes que se atenderán
- Medidas y Procedimientos de la Organización (adquisición, no discriminación, conflicto de interés, privacidad, confidencialidad, código de conducta, etc.)
- Programa de Fondos de CDBG-CV - Medidas y Procedimientos
- Plan de Alcance - Especifico al Programa para el cual está solicitando fondos de CDBG-CV
 - ¿Como alcanzará clientes en las áreas no incorporadas del Condado de Travis, y en San Leanna y Webberville?

Nota: Hay requisitos adicionales que no están incluidos aquí. Este volante es para dar aviso temprano y ayudar a personas interesadas para que se preparen para aplicar.

¿Preguntas? Email cdbg-cv@traviscountytx.gov o llame (512) 854-3460

Equipo de la Oficina de CDBG del Condado de Travis:
Somchan Vuthipadadon, Gerente de Planificación
Shawn Lemieux, Asociado Administrativo de CDBG-CV



¿Qué se necesita para aplicar?

- 501c3
- Federal Tax ID
- DUN # and UEI #
- W-9
- Seguro
- Estatutos
- Artículos de Incorporación
- Declaración de Impuestos 990 reciente
- Auditoría o Revisión Financiera reciente

Fecha para la aplicación:

Aplicaciones estarán disponibles del 1 al 18 de marzo de 2024

Solicite notificación acerca de la aplicación:
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