

Arts commission awards local grants

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The St. Cloud Arts Commission is giving more than \$32,000 to local arts organizations.

The grants, which were approved Monday by the City Council, will provide money for projects or operating costs to 12 arts groups in the area.

The following organizations received money:

■ Chamber Music Society of St. Cloud: \$3,000.

■ Saint Cloud Civic Theatre: \$2,600.

■ St. John's Boys Choir: \$3,000.

■ Great River Educational Arts Theatre: \$3,000.

■ The Troupe Theatre: \$3,000.

■ Multicultural Children's Art Connection: \$3,000.

■ Minnesota Center Chorus: \$3,000.

■ Visual Arts Minnesota: \$2,729.

■ Boys and Girls Club of Central Minnesota (for a drumming project): \$1,884.

■ St. Cloud Area All-Star Jazz Band Association: \$2,800.

■ Granite City Folk Society: \$2,000.

■ St. Cloud State University College of Fine Arts and Humanities (for Voicings festival): \$2,000.