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Broward	1	Museum of Discovery and Science, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Hillsborough	2	Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center, Inc. / David A. Straz Jr. Center for the Performing Arts	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Brevard	3	Titusville Playhouse, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$90,000
Palm Beach	4	Norton Museum of Art, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Pinellas	5	Ruth Eckerd Hall, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Palm Beach	6	Loggerhead Marinelife Center, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
St. Lucie	7	A. E. Bean Backus Gallery and Museum, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$300,000
Pinellas	8	Museum of Fine Arts of St. Petersburg, Florida, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$92,891
Palm Beach	9	South Florida Science Center and Aquarium, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Miami-Dade	10	Miami Children's Museum, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$497,504
Broward	11	City of Pembroke Pines	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Taylor	12	Taylor County Board of Commissioners / Phase 2 of the renovation of Forest Capital Hall	Cultural Facility Grant	\$152,327
Broward	13	Nova Southeastern University / NSU Art Museum Fort Lauderdale	Cultural Facility Grant	\$57,450
Alachua	14	The Hippodrome State Theatre, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$73,400
Pinellas	15	Arts Center Association, Inc. / Morean Arts Center	Cultural Facility Grant	\$84,352
Highlands	16	Highlands Little Theatre, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$80,000
Palm Beach	17	The Zoological Society of the Palm Beaches, Inc. / Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Alachua	18	Cade Museum Foundation, Inc. / Cade Museum for Creativity + Invention	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000

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Miami-Dade	19	Miami-Dade County / upgrades at the Miami-Dade County Auditorium	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Brevard	20	East Coast Zoological Society of Florida, Inc. / Brevard Zoo	Cultural Facility Grant	\$65,500
Miami-Dade	21	Friends of the Bass Museum, Inc. // Bass Museum of Art	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Palm Beach	22	Center for Creative Education, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$400,000
Palm Beach	23	Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$129,000
Highlands	24	Highlands Art League, Inc	Cultural Facility Grant	\$50,000
Indian River	25	City of Fellsmere	Cultural Facility Grant	\$200,000
Flagler	26	Flagler Auditorium Governing Board Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Alachua	27	Arts Association of Alachua County, Inc. / The Doris Bardon Community Cultural Center	Cultural Facility Grant	\$79,000
Osceola	28	Osceola County Historical Society	Cultural Facility Grant	\$80,000
Leon	29	Tallahassee Little Theatre, Inc. / Theatre Tallahassee	Cultural Facility Grant	\$225,000
Broward	30	City of Miramar	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Palm Beach	31	Village of Wellington / Wellington Community Center's New Venue for Arts	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Flagler	32	The Palm Coast Arts Foundation Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$150,000
Broward	33	City of Oakland Park	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Palm Beach	34	Indian Trail Improvement District	Cultural Facility Grant	\$100,000
Miami-Dade	35	City of Homestead / Renovation of Seminole Theater	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000
Sarasota	36	Florida Studio Theatre, Inc.	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000

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Broward	37	City of Pompano Beach	Cultural Facility Grant	\$500,000

<p>The 37 organizations listed above have gone through a rigorous state-application-and- review process to qualify for a total-state-investment request of \$11,906,424. This state investment would fully fund all 37 organizations for what each qualify for (Column 5 above) under the state's Cultural Facilities Grants-Funding Category for specific cultural facility projects in their local communities.</p> <p>All of these 37 grant amounts are more than matched locally with earned and other public and private contributions and grants.</p> <p>This specific state investment is a critical catalyst to help generate these matching dollars necessary to sustain these organizations' programs and services. Also, the return on investment to local and state governments is substantial -- for every dollar the state invests, \$5 is generated back to local and state government treasuries.</p>	<p>\$11,906,424</p>
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