Arts Council Grants, Maryland State Arts Council, Department of Commerce \$5.0 Million (T00G00.05)

Purpose: Recovery Now Funding

The Council shall provide emergency art grants to artists, art districts, and art organizations. Organizations that have not received prior funding from the Council or that do not qualify for funding under other Council programs will receive priority.

June 16 - Program Highlights and Plans to Allocate Remaining Balance:

- All funds have been allocated.
- All returned Grant Agreement Forms have been countersigned.
- One outstanding grant agreement form remains the artist requested a hard copy form and Commerce is waiting on its return.

June 16 - Programmatic and/or Implementation Issues:

• None to report.

June 16 - Distribution of Funds:

- 550 invoices have been processed by Maryland State Arts Council and sent to Commerce Accounts Payable ("AP").
- The remaining invoices (approximately 300) are on track to be processed and sent to AP by the week of June 15th.

Source: Department of Commerce, Department of Budget and Management