

**Live Entertainment Venue Grants, Neighborhood Revitalization,  
Department of Housing and Community Development**  
\$10.0 Million (S00A24.01)

**Purpose: American Rescue Plan Funding**

The Neighborhood Revitalization program, in the Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD), shall provide grants to live entertainment venues or promoters of live performances. DHCD shall prioritize grants to those who closed or cancelled live performances due to capacity limitations in response to the pandemic and for which any previously received State or federal stimulus funds was not sufficient to cover the fixed costs of the live venue or promoter.

**June 2 - Program Highlights and Plans to Allocate Remaining Balance:**

DHCD opened the Entertainment Venues II application round via Maryland OneStop on March 22 to accept applications from nonprofit and for-profit live entertainment venues and promoters of live performances. The application round closed on April 2 and 70 applications were submitted requesting \$22,643,269. Currently the Department is reviewing the submitted applications and funding announcements are projected to be made by or before the end of May 2021. The Department shall prioritize providing grants to live entertainment venues or promoters that closed or cancelled live performances due to capacity limitations in response to the pandemic; and for which any previously received State or federal stimulus funds due to the size of the venue were not sufficient to cover the fixed costs of the live entertainment venue or promoter. Award recommendations were approved on May 10 and DHCD will begin to send grant agreements to awardees the week of May 17. Awardees will receive their funds no later than June 30, 2021. See Distribution of Funds chart below for awardee name and award amounts.

**June 2 - Distribution of Funds:**

<b>County / Venue Type</b>	<b>Number of Awardees</b>	<b>Approved Amount</b>
<b>Allegany</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>\$219,865</b>
For Profit	1	\$158,105
Non-Profit	1	\$61,760
<b>Anne Arundel</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>\$1,097,527</b>
For Profit	4	\$752,908
Non-Profit	3	\$344,619
<b>Baltimore</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>\$1,061,279</b>
For Profit	3	\$600,305
Non-Profit	2	\$460,974
<b>Baltimore City</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>\$2,921,761</b>
For Profit	6	\$1,321,404
Non-Profit	12	\$1,600,357
<b>Baltimore City</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>\$247,039</b>
For Profit	1	\$247,039

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<b>Frederick</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>\$254,055</b>
For Profit	2	\$216,999
Non-Profit	1	\$37,056
<b>Howard</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>\$804,460</b>
For Profit	3	\$691,709
Non-Profit	2	\$112,751
<b>Kent</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>\$41,995</b>
Non-Profit	1	\$41,995
<b>Montgomery</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>\$1,407,211</b>
For Profit	2	\$494,078
Non-Profit	5	\$913,133
<b>Prince George's</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>\$517,942</b>
For Profit	3	\$409,739
Non-Profit	2	\$108,203
<b>Talbot</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>\$247,039</b>
Non-Profit	1	\$247,039
<b>Washington</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>\$637,676</b>
For Profit	2	\$275,201
Non-Profit	3	\$362,475
<b>Wicomico</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>\$244,716</b>
For Profit	1	\$244,716
<b>Statewide</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>\$297,435</b>
For Profit	1	\$247,039
Non-Profit	1	\$50,396
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>\$10,000,000</b>

Source: Department of Housing and Community Development, Department of Budget and Management