



Florida D I V I S I O N O F
ARTS & CULTURE

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Specific Cultural Project

- ❖ ... is designed to fund a cultural project, program, exhibition, or series taking place within the grant period.

Proposal Types:

- Arts in Education

 - Arts Partnerships
 - Arts Residencies

 - Teaching Artists

 - Artist Performances on Tour

- Discipline-Based

 - Community Theatre

 - Dance

 - Literature

 - Media Arts

 - Multidisciplinary

 - Museums

 - Music

 - Presenters

 - Professional Theatre

 - Traditional Arts

 - Visual Arts

- Individual Artist

General Program Support

- ❖ ... is designed to support the general programmatic activities of an organization that is realizing its stated mission and furthering the state's cultural objectives by:
- ❖ conducting, creating, producing, presenting, staging, or sponsoring cultural exhibits, performances, educational programs, or events or
- ❖ providing professional services as a State Service Organization or Local Arts Agency

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Arts in Education

➤ Local Arts Agency

➤ State Service Organization

- ❖ All General Program Support and Specific Cultural Project grants are matching grants.
- ❖ 1:1 for most grants
- ❖ Exception of 50% match for organizations that are located in REDI counties or communities



Cultural Facilities

Definition: A Cultural Facility is a building where the programming, production, presentation, exhibition of any of the arts and cultural disciplines are carried out (Section 265.283(7), Florida Statutes).

Eligibility

- Be a public entity governed by either a municipality or county **OR**
- Be a not-for-profit, tax-exempt Florida corporation



Cultural Facilities

Funding Levels

- **\$500,000** -- Purpose-built/single use facilities that are used for programming, production, presentation, or exhibition of any of the arts and cultural disciplines **AT LEAST 85% of the time**. Includes theatres, performance centers, museums (including aquariums, botanical gardens, history centers, zoos) and art centers.
- **\$200,000** – Multi-purpose facilities that are used for programming, production, presentation, or exhibition of any of the arts and cultural disciplines **LESS THAN 85% of the time**. Includes community centers, recreation centers, civic centers and municipal buildings.

Cultural Facilities

Match Requirement

Total Support and Revenue	Match
Annual Budget equal to or less than \$1,000,000	1:1
Annual Budget of \$1,000,000 or more with a REDI waiver	1:1
Annual Budget of \$1,000,000 or more without a REDI waiver	2:1

- Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI)
- Applicants seeking a REDI waiver must submit a letter from the county government acknowledging the application and certifying county or community REDI designation.

Cultural Facilities

Use of Funds “Bricks and mortar” construction, renovation, or acquisition. Only one type of project allowed per grant.

Funds may **NOT** be used for:

- Parking facilities, sidewalks, walkways, trails, or landscaping
- Exhibits not part of a permanent building
- General operating costs
- Funds spent outside the grant period
- Bad debts, contingencies, etc.
- Travel, entertainment, food, awards, etc.
- Projects not open to the general public
- Re-granting, contributions, donations



Cultural Facilities

Program Requirements

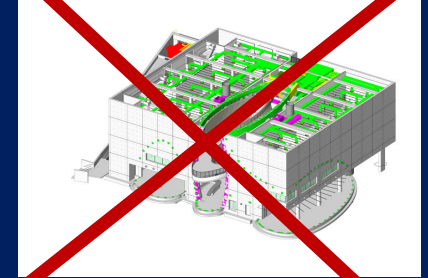
- Own or have an executed lease for the undisturbed use of the land or buildings or both
- Retain ownership of all improvements made under the grant
- Submit an organization audit or financial statement showing Total Revenue and Support for the last completed fiscal year
- Architectural plans and budget estimate
- Submit support letters



Cultural Facilities

Program Restrictions

- The Cultural Facilities Program does not fund project planning, such as feasibility studies and architectural drawings, or operational support.
- Cultural Facilities grants do not fund Preservation projects.
- A project funded by the Legislature outside of the review of the Florida Council on Arts and Culture or Secretary of State are not eligible to receive Cultural Facilities grant support for the same Scope of Work from the Division of Arts & Culture within the same fiscal year in which legislative funding is appropriated.



Cultural Facilities

Program Restrictions

- No organization may receive more than \$1.5 million during a consecutive previous five state fiscal years.
- Only 1 (one) Cultural Facilities application per cycle.
- Commercial property (coffee shops, cafés, and gift shops are allowable if they support the operations of the organization).
- Property must be owned by a public entity (city or county) or non-for-profit tax exempt Florida organization.

Cultural Facilities

Historical Review Requirements

- Facilities that are 50 years old or older must be reviewed by the Bureau of Historic Preservation (BHP). BHP must approve your project plans before submission of your application.
- This requirement includes structures where the intent is demolition.



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Restrictive Covenant Requirement

- Florida law requires that all Cultural Facilities grantees/property owners must sign and record a restrictive covenant or purchase a surety bond.
- Restrictive Covenant = lien on the property and ensures that the property will be used as a cultural facility for ten years after the date that the grant award agreement is fully executed.
- Violation of restrictive covenants result in the return of grant funds to the State.

Purpose

- Small Matching: To assist local, regional and state-wide efforts to preserve significant historic and archaeological resources, and to promote knowledge and appreciation of Florida history.
- Special Category: To assist local, regional and state-wide efforts to preserve significant historic and archaeological resources, to assist major archaeological excavations or research projects, and assist in the development and fabrication of major museum exhibits that will promote knowledge and appreciation of Florida history.
- Abandoned African-American Cemeteries: To assist research institutions, colleges, universities, or qualified non-profit organizations research abandoned African-American cemeteries and to assist local governments or qualified non-profit organizations protect and preserve abandoned African-American cemeteries.

Grant Application Cycle

Submission Period:

April 1- June 1 , 5:00 P.M. Eastern

Funding Availability:

Applications will be evaluated on a competitive basis and the selected projects will be awarded funds for the following fiscal year.

Funding for state Small Matching, Special Category, and Abandoned Cemeteries grants is contingent upon an annual appropriation by the Florida Legislature.

Application Website:

The DOS Grants online system can be accessed at www.DOSgrants.com.

Small Matching at a Glance

- One-year grant (July 1 to June 30)
- Awards up to \$50,000
- Grant amount and required match must be spent and project completed within the fiscal year.
- One-to-one (1:1) match required and 25% of this match must be cash-on-hand
- A Match Waiver may be requested if the grantee is:
 - Certified Local Government
 - Main Street Programs
 - Located in Rural Economic Development Initiative counties or communities
 - Submitting a Nomination to the National Register of Historic Places

Project Types

- **Survey** of historical or archaeological resources, including re-surveying
- **Planning** for historic districts or specific historic buildings
- **Nominations to the National Register of Historic Places** of eligible resources
- **Wayfinding** signage, brochures and other directional material for CLGs and Main Streets
- **Historical Markers** requires pre-approved by DHR's Historical Marker Council

Special Category at a Glance

- Two-year grant (July 1 to June 30 of the second fiscal year)
- Awards up to a maximum of \$1,000,000
- Grant amount and required match must be spent and project completed within the two fiscal years.
- 50% match required and 25% of this match must be cash-on-hand
- A Match reduction to 25% of the grant award may be requested if the grantee is
 - Located in Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI)

Project Types

- **Development** (such as restoration, stabilization, assessments)
- **Archaeological Research** (terrestrial or underwater)
- **Museum Exhibits** (major permanent exhibits for established history museums)
- **Acquisition** of a historical property or Archaeological Site

- One-year grant (July 1 to June 30)
- Awards up to \$50,000
- Grant amount must be spent and project completed within the fiscal year.
- No match is required

Eligibility

- Target property/cemetery shall not be a licensed cemetery under Chapter 497, Florida Statutes.
- Target property/cemetery shall have a majority of interments occurring more than 50 years ago, with no interment in the previous 10 years and no contracted future interment.
- Its presence shall have been previously reported, recorded, identified or documented.
- It shall have a documented association with interments of persons of primarily African-American ancestry.

Project Types

- **Cemetery Protection** to repair, maintain, and restore abandoned African-American Cemeteries
 - Eligible applicants include research institutions, colleges and universities, and qualified non-profit organizations
- **Cemetery Research** to study the history and genealogy of a cemetery
 - Eligible applicants include local governments and non-profit organizations

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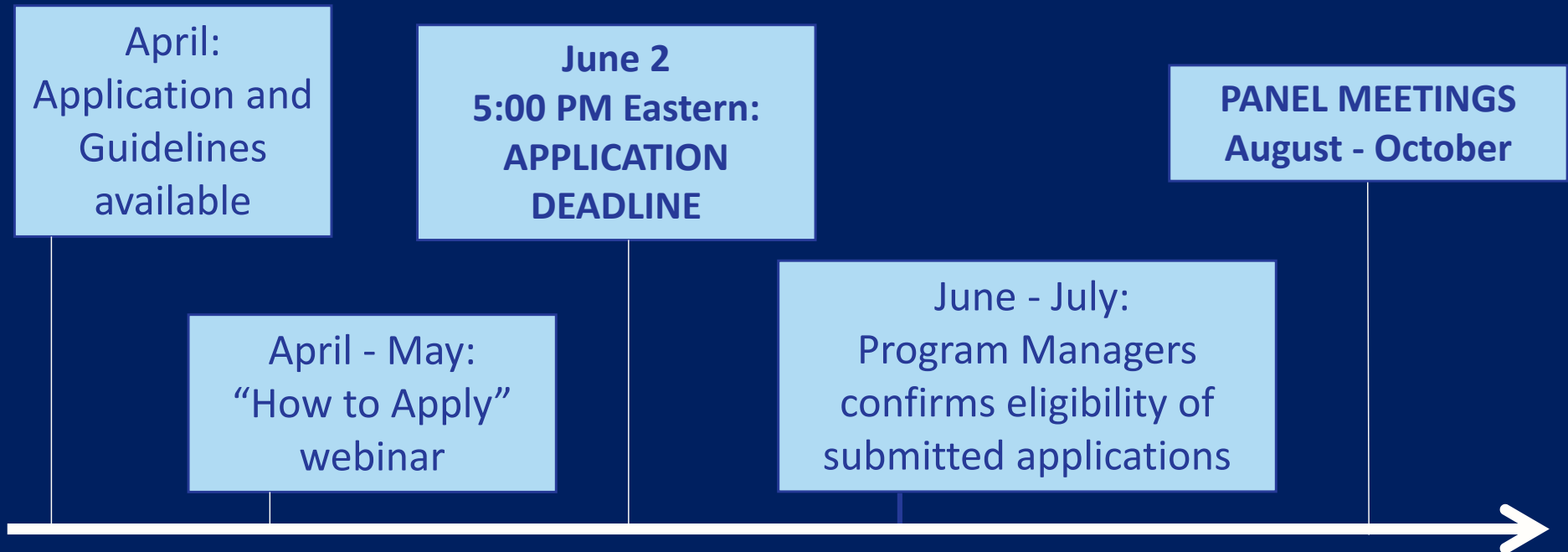
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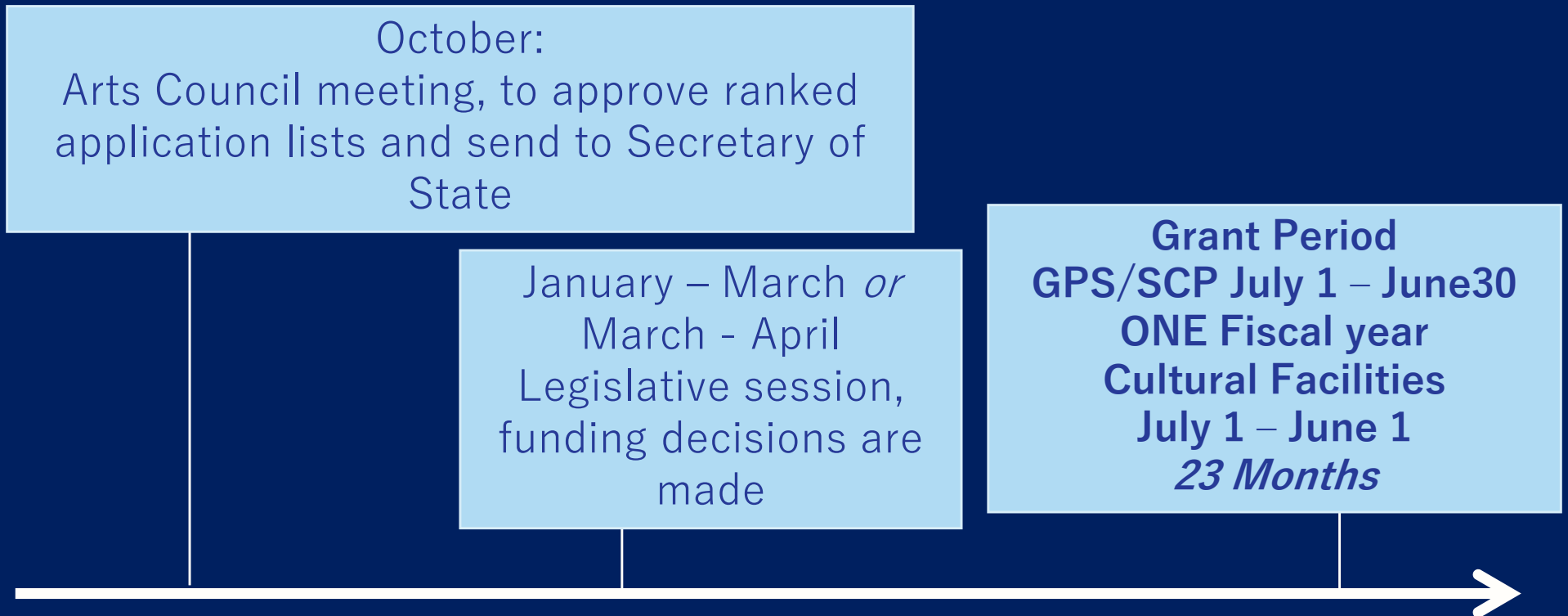
**Department of State Online
Application and Grants System:**

DOSgrants.com

Funding Timeline



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Any Questions ?



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