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## Pawtucket Arts Panel Review Committee

### Grant Application Evaluation Criteria

#### Artistic Merit (60%)

- What is the quality of the artist (s) or art organization (s) involved in this project?
- Is this project designed to expand its audience's knowledge of and appreciation for the art form?
- Will this project give the audience a hands-on experience which will broaden his/her understanding of the subject artistic medium?
- Does the project bring your work to new or expanded audiences?
- Does the project support the vision of the arts in Pawtucket?

#### Cultural Community Connections (20%)

- Does the project strengthen support for the arts or make the arts a more visible part of the community?
- Does the project attempt to bring the arts together with others in the community?
- Does the project promote knowledge of and respect for culturally or artistically diverse expression?
- Is the applicant a resident of Pawtucket?
- Does the applicant show a cash match for the grant?

#### Clarity and Achievability (20%)

- Does the application clearly support the mission of the arts in Pawtucket?
- Does it adequately address the identified application questions?
- Does it provide evidence that what is proposed is achievable?
- Has past experience shown the applicant is capable of carrying out the project?
- In the absence of past experience, is there anything in the application that gives you confidence that the project will be carried out with a good chance for success?

#### Bonus Points (5 points added to total score for each of the following)

- Is this a new, innovative project different from projects that have previously received grant funding.
- Is this project accessible to City of Pawtucket residents at no cost?