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## **CALL TO ARTISTS TO SUBMIT ARTS PROJECTS AND CULTURAL EVENTS THAT WILL TAKE PLACE BETWEEN JULY 1, 2010 AND JUNE 30, 2011.**

*\$35,000 Available*

The Cultural Council of Santa Cruz County announces the availability of approximately **\$35,000 in grants for art and cultural projects**. The Project Support Grants fund well-planned, quality, short-term projects that respond to and serve the cultural needs and interests of the people of Santa Cruz County, such as concerts, plays, dance concerts, exhibits, poetry readings, and more. The primary purpose of the project must be artistic and/or cultural. This round of Grant Awards is for projects that will take place in Santa Cruz County between **July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011. The Projects Support Grants have a minimum award of \$1,000 and a maximum award of \$3,000.** List of last year's grantees is available at [www.ccscc.org](http://www.ccscc.org).

Applications and Guidelines are available at the Cultural Council office, on the Cultural Council's website at <http://www.ccscc.org/index.php/grants.html>, Louden Nelson Center, The 418 Project, The Actors' Theatre, The Santa Cruz Mountains Art Center, The Santa Cruz Art League, the Pajaro Valley Arts Council, and County public libraries.

Forms may be emailed to applicants upon request by contacting Nabil Ghachem at [grants@ccscc.org](mailto:grants@ccscc.org) or (831) 475-9600 x 16. **Completed applications must be received at the Cultural Council office located in Live Oak Business Park, 2400 Chanticleer Avenue, Ste. G, Santa Cruz, CA 95062. The deadline is Monday, March 8, 2010 at 5:00 pm. Postmarks do not count.**

**First time applicants MUST attend one of the free orientation sessions to get acquainted with the Grants forms and application process. Four orientation sessions will be held at the Cultural Council office on:**

Friday December 11, 2009 from 10:30 am to 12 noon;  
Friday December 11, 2009 from 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm;  
Friday January 15, 2010 from 10:30 am to 12 noon;

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### **About the Cultural Council:**

The Cultural Council of Santa Cruz County leads and advances the arts by providing funding, advocacy and support to artists and arts organizations without regard to race, color, creed, religion, national origin or ancestry, citizenship, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital or veteran status, political opinion, age, disability or medical condition, or any other status or characteristic protected by federal, state or local law.

And Thursday, January 21, 2010 from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm.

**WHAT: Cal to Artists to Submit Proposals for Arts Projects and Cultural Events**

**DEADLINE: MONDAY MARCH 8, 2010 at 5:00 PM.**

**MORE INFORMATION AT: 831-475-9600 X 16 OR**  
**<http://www.ccsc.org/index.php/grants.html>**.

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