

January to March 2025 CIG Applications Summary

- The Bike-In Block Party Art Engagement grant application from the Santa Rosa Urban Arts Partnership requests \$1,987 for a community mural project that will take place during the 2nd annual Bike-In Block Party (BIBP). SR Urban Arts Partnership believes that the arts have the power to transform communities, foster meaningful connections, and create a true sense of place. Through collaborative projects, public art initiatives, and inclusive programming, they bring people together to celebrate shared stories, plant trees, create and shape the future of our public spaces. This public art project will beautify Santa Rosa and be a visual reminder of the social benefits of biking and community.

- The Circuit Rider Community Services (CRCS), College Ave Mural from Circuit Rider Community requests \$2,414.51 to fund a community mural project on its building along College Avenue, designed to enhance neighborhood vibrancy, foster community engagement, and provide a creative platform for alumni of the Vista Academy Program. Vista Academy is one of initiatives of CRCS. CRCS is a nonprofit organization dedicated to social justice, environmental stewardship, and community resilience. Vista Academy provides intensive, trauma-informed, and evidence-based programming to more than 1,000 juvenile probationers. This initiative will transform a public-facing space into an inspiring work of art that reflects the resilience, growth, and stories of the young people impacted by the Vista Academy Program.