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ARTS COUNCIL INVITES APPLICATIONS FOR HARTFORD EVENTS GRANT AND ARTS & WELLNESS GRANT PROGRAM

Hartford, CT (June 12, 2015) – Applications are now available for the Greater Hartford Arts Council's Hartford Events Grant and the new Arts and Wellness Grant program, which support programs and organizations throughout our region.

The Hartford Events Grant, supported in part by the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving, funds events, concerts, parades, and festivals in Hartford. This application cycle supports events that take place between October 1, 2015 and March 31, 2016. Intent to Apply forms for Hartford Events Grants are due June 25. Visit LetsGoArts.org/HartfordEventsGrants for more information, guidelines, and applications.

The Arts and Wellness Grant, made possible by support from UnitedHealthcare, funds artistic programs that use creativity as a tool to enrich lives and enhances the well-being of veterans and their families. Launched earlier this month, the Arts and Wellness Grant will support four local arts organizations in producing arts-related programs to engage veterans in creative therapy to promote physical, mental, and emotional rehabilitation. Intent to Apply forms to the Arts & Wellness Grants are due July 9. Visit LetsGoArts.org/Wellness for more information, guidelines, and applications.

Applicants approved through the Intent to Apply process for both the Hartford Events Grant and the Arts Wellness Grant program will be invited to submit an application. For more information about the Arts Council's range of grant programs, visit LetsGoArts.org/Grants.

**Please note: Late applications are not accepted. Applications must be preceded by Intent to Apply form for consideration.*

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The Greater Hartford Arts Council is the central voice for the cultural sector in our region. We secure community resources and responsibly reinvest those dollars through a stringent grant-making process into a wide array of organizations and programs that keep our community strong. We promote the arts as a regional asset and connect citizens to the arts. To learn more about Arts Council programs and services, as well as our United Arts Campaign, visit www.LetsGoArts.org.