

September 22, 2011

Joseph A. Curtatone, Mayor
City of Somerville
City Hall
93 Highland Avenue
Somerville MA 02143-1794

Dear Mayor Curtatone:

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that Somerville Arts Council has been awarded an FY2012 Massachusetts Cultural Council (MCC) YouthReach grant in the amount of \$7,500 (FY12-YR-YR1-0395). Since the MCC notifies only primary applicants of award decisions, we ask that you notify organizations collaborating on this project.

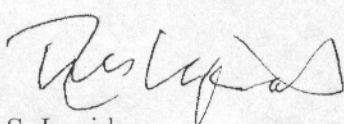
This is the second year of funding for a two-year grant. If you want further YouthReach funding after this year, see www.massculturalcouncil.org for the application and guidelines.

Enclosed you will find a contract package that contains award instructions and reporting requirements. Please review these documents carefully and return the required paperwork by **November 10, 2011**. This will help us process your award as quickly as possible.

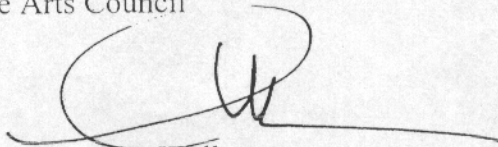
If you have any questions about the contract or reporting requirements, please contact Cyndy Gaviglio, MCC's Contracts Coordinator (Cyndy.Gaviglio@art.state.ma.us). If you have questions about the upcoming application process, please contact H. Mark Smith, Program Manager (Mark.Smith@art.state.ma.us).

Again, congratulations on your grant award and thank you for your valuable investment in our state's young people.

cc: Gregory Jenkins, Executive Director, Somerville Arts Council



Ira S. Lapidus
Chair



Anita Walker
Executive Director

Enclosures

