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**TO:** Public Arts Commission  
**FROM:** Sarah Brody, Public Arts Intern  
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**SUBJECT:** Arts in the Schools Discussion

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**Update**

The arts education grant Arts in the Schools received seven proposals for the 2016 call for applications. Up to \$3,000 will be awarded to projects involving schools in the Urbana School District #116. The proposals were juried on October 9<sup>th</sup> to select finalists to move on to the second round of the application process. The winner(s) are to be announced within the month.

**Recommendation**

Staff recommends that the Public Arts Commission share any comments, suggestions, and concerns that they might have on the Arts in the School grant.

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