



Dear Friends of the Arts,

I hope you are enjoying the Holiday Season and wish you all the best in the New Year! On behalf of the team at the Arts Council for Monterey County, I would like to extend our sincere gratitude for your continued support. As someone who cares deeply for the arts in Monterey County, you know that art has the power to heal and provide support during these challenging times.

This year, we were able to bring the arts to a variety of groups within our community. From school children, to senior citizens, veterans, at-risk-youth, and survivors of sex-trafficking. All of the amazing work we have done this year is without a doubt thanks to generous donors like you!

Next year we are looking forward to doing even more. Can we count on you to provide the support we need? Tomorrow is the last day to donate to our MC Gives! Campaign to support our Arts as Healing program! Thanks to support from the Community Foundation for Monterey County and Monterey County Weekly, a portion of every donation is matched to make your gift even more impactful.

Right now we are at 53% of our goal of \$60,000. When you make a donation to support our Arts as Healing program, you do more than support the arts. You support a community. **Your gift has the power to transform lives and give hope this holiday season.**

Please join me in supporting the incredible work that is being done through our Arts as Healing program by donating to our [MC Gives!](#) fundraiser. **There is still time to make an impact for the community we serve - MC Gives! runs through midnight on December 31!**

Donate Now

Thank you for making a difference!

Laurie Bend
Arts4MC Board Chair

