

Summary for projects submitted to the Appropriations Committee for the FY11 Appropriations Cycle

The proposed recipient: Ballet Theatre Foundation, Inc. AKA American Ballet Theatre

Address of the recipient:

Ballet Theatre Foundation, Inc. AKA American Ballet Theatre
890 Broadway
3rd Floor
New York, NY 10003

The amount of the request: \$300,000

Purpose of the project and why it is a good use of taxpayer funds: The funding would be used for providing public school students the opportunity to design, choreograph, construct, produce, and perform their own original performance piece, under the tutelage of ABT teaching artists and school faculty. Through Make a Ballet, ABT aims to increase students' school achievement, including school attendance, test scores, and self confidence, using the introduction of arts skills and practices as a means of providing inspiration.