

*Here is what Central Oklahoma Businesses have to say about Allied Arts Workplace Campaign!*



"Bank of Oklahoma views Allied Arts as a true asset to our community. Its support of the 20 art & cultural organizations are critical to attracting new businesses to our area and to enriching the lives of our citizens."

- *Mr. Mark Funke, OKC President, Bank of Oklahoma*



"Allied Arts helps raise the curtain--and the accountability--for our arts agencies. That, in turn, helps us grow as individuals and as a community."

- *Mr. Dave Lopez, President, American Fidelity Foundation*



"At OGE, we believe that by talking directly with our employees about Allied Arts, we are able to increase awareness of this valuable organization. The benefit for us is that our people learn about the arts, the economic impact the arts can have on a community and about opportunities to participate in arts-related programs."

- *Mr. Pete Delaney, Chairman of the Board, President and CEO, OGE Energy Corp.*



"As a company, *The Oklahoman* strongly believes in the importance of advancing the arts and cultural organizations in Oklahoma City. We feel that an Allied Arts workplace giving campaign provides employees the opportunity to conveniently support the arts and see their dollars make an impact in the community. Of course, participation is strictly voluntary, but one express benefit is the opportunity to easily take advantage of the OKCityCard, which we know is a very good value."

- *Mr. David Thompson, President, The Oklahoma Publishing Co.*



"We take pride in our Oklahoma roots and understand the importance of giving back to the community where we live and work. Supporting Allied Arts allows Devon to play an active role in enhancing our community by bringing our state's rich culture to life for all Oklahomans to enjoy."

- *Mr. Larry Nicholas, Chairman and CEO, Devon Energy Corporation*



"I believe that the arts are an essential part of any vibrant community and the Allied Arts Campaign provides critical support to twenty arts and cultural organizations. The YMCA of Greater Oklahoma City conducts a workplace campaign to educate our staff about the variety of experiences available to them, to encourage their support of the organizations that provide those experiences, and to facilitate that support through payroll deduction."

- *Mr. Mike Grady, President, YMCA of Greater Oklahoma City*



"St. Anthony benefits significantly by participating in the Allied Arts workplace campaign. We see the campaign as a way for our employees to come together for a common goal for the benefit of the community and at the same time raise awareness about the arts in Oklahoma City."

- *Mr. Joe Hodges, President, St. Anthony Hospital*