

## Selected Research Resources about the Arts and Livability

- [Community Development Investment Review: Creative Placemaking](#), published by the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
- [Why Cities Can't Afford to Lose Their Artists](#), by Richard Florida, in *The Atlantic City Lab*
- [The Impact of the Arts on Downtown Redevelopment for a Traditional City](#), by Joanna Ganning
- [The Location Patterns of Artistic Cultures: A Metro and Neighborhood-Level Analysis](#), by Carl Grodach, Elizabeth Currid-Halkett, and Nicole Foster
- [Knight Soul of the Community 2010, Why People Love Where They Live and Why it Matters: A National Perspective](#), by the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation and Gallup
- [Creative Placemaking](#), by Ann Markusen and Anne Gadwa Nicodemus
- [Beyond the Building: Performing Arts and Transforming Place](#), by Jenna Moran, Jason Schupbach, Courtney Spearman, and Jennifer Reut.
- [Track-It-Hennepin 2012: Baseline Indicators and Data Roadmap](#), by Anne Gadwa Nicodemus
- [Metris Arts Consulting Reports and Papers](#)
  - [How Art Spaces Matter](#), by Anne Gadwa Nicodemus
  - [How Art Spaces Matter II](#), by Anne Gadwa Nicodemus and Anna Muessig
- [Exploring Our Town](#), National Endowment for the Arts
- [How U.S. Cultural Districts Reshape Neighborhoods](#), by Douglas Noonan
- [Cultural Concentrations: The Spatial Concentration of Arts Nonprofits](#), by Stephen Sheppard
- [Cultural Ecology, Neighborhood Vitality, and Social Well Being—A Philadelphia Project](#), by Mark Stern and Susan Seifert
- [Texas Cultural Districts Program: Indicators for Measuring Success](#), by TXP, Inc. for the Texas Cultural Trust and the Texas Commission on the Arts
- [Social Impact of the Arts Project](#), University of Pennsylvania
- [Sustainable Community Indicator Catalog](#), Partnership for Sustainable Communities, produced by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency