

THE TIME IS RIGHT!

What we plan to do:

The objective of this project is to develop a multi-use community arts complex with the primary focus on a state of the art performance space indoors and an outdoor space that would provide access for community arts related programming and organizations. Additional concepts being considered and not limited to:

- Café/Bakery/Boutique/Arts library
- Teaching gardens
- Housing year round farmers market/seed swap/food subscription
- Artist 'cottages' along property line. 10x20 structure housing each art form.
- Outdoor green space and amphitheater

How we are going to do it:

- Generate community interest and involvement in the project.
- Raise \$150,000, which will allow us to purchase and operate the property until completion of construction and renovations.
- Execute a Capital Campaign to renovate the existing structure and create a state of the art 250 seat theatre, lobby, rehearsal and support facilities, and related site improvements, as well as fund the salaries of four full-time staff for the first two years after completion.

What we have done so far:

- Performed initial site feasibility review
- Analysis of financial needs to purchase and operate facility through construction
- Met with various professionals and interested parties, including building and energy consultants, theatre professionals, community partners, and town officials
- **What's Next:**
 - Develop Architectural Drawings and Comprehensive Site Plan
- Meet with State and local officials to review public funding options and building requirements
- Establish committees to move the project towards completion

WE NEED YOUR HELP!:

Please join us in creating this wonderful cultural center that will provide much needed education and arts facilities for our children and our community, and will be a cultural attraction to bring others to Williamstown. There are many opportunities to get involved.

WE CAN'T WAIT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

MINERVA ARTS CENTER