







# THEARC

## TOWN HALL EDUCATION ARTS & RECREATION CAMPUS

- Opened in 2005, the mission of THEARC is to provide quality cultural, health, educational and social services to children and families living east of the Anacostia River in Washington, DC and to build bridges between communities.
- Built by Building Bridges Across the River (BBAR) for \$27 million on 110,000 square feet and 16.5 acres east of the Anacostia River in Washington, DC's Ward 8. BBAR is the nonprofit organization founded by William C. Smith & Co. and formed to develop, construct and manage THEARC.
- Funding for building THEARC came entirely from charitable contributions from the Federal and District government, corporations, foundations and individuals.





# **THEARC PARTNER AGENCIES**

- **The Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Washington**
  - **Children's Health Project of DC**
    - **Corcoran Art Reach Program**
    - **Covenant House Washington**
      - **Levine School of Music**
    - **Parklands Community Center**
      - **The Washington Ballet**
      - **Trinity University**
- **The Washington Middle School for Girls**



# THE ARC THEATER





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- THEARC Theater is the *only* theater of any kind located east of the Anacostia River in Washington, DC.
- Officially opened in 2005, THEARC Theater is the premier location east of the Anacostia River for theater, dance and music performances, as well as community and town hall events such as school graduations, political forums, community workshops, meetings and even film festivals.







