

Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art	Ready in 2020
Total Cost: \$2,000,000	Funding Amount: \$1,000,000
<p>Description: This funding will enable a renovation of the current facility, which is necessary for the organization to sustain its current levels of growth and provide the best service for the community. The project includes upgrades to the interior of the current building that will honor its history and architectural significance, while enabling BMoCA to expand community uses and education programs, while concurrently improving and expanding its exhibit space.</p> <p>Learn more: www.bmoca.org Population served: 47,000 visitors in 2016</p>	
<p>Planning: BMoCA’s vision is to expand its facilities to the adjacent lot of roughly 12,000 square feet south of the current location, up to the alley and to the center of the block that stretches from 13th to 14th Streets. The renovations funded through the capital tax will allow for upgrades to the current facility, while not limiting the current Civic Area East Bookend planning process.</p>	
<p>Operating cost impacts: Renovations would include electrical and lighting upgrades as well as exterior brick repair which should result in a more energy efficient facility.</p>	

Opportunities, challenges, and considerations:
The city is planning the “East Bookend” of the Civic Area (where BMoCA is located) as part of the implementation of the Civic Area Master Plan. BMoCA has indicated its willingness to participate in that planning, during which issues such as establishing a Public Market Hall, accommodating city facilities, parking (including parking for BMoCA), and flood issues will be addressed. The proposed renovations will help improve the current museum without expanding the footprint of the building.

