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What is your personal background and experience in the arts?	I am a supporter of arts and culture through donations., I am a regular participant as an arts patron., I participate in arts programming through my place of worship, community center, or other community-based group.
What arts activities have you attended, participated in, or supported in the last few years (preCOVID to the present)?	Music, Theatre, Literary Arts (including book festivals or book clubs), Film (including film festivals), Visual Arts
What percentage of the Georgia economy revenue is made up of art and art related activities?	4.60%
The total economic impact of arts-related activities (pre-Covid-19) in the Atlanta region represents...	Over \$500 Million
The Atlanta region lost a net of __ arts and entertainment related jobs from 2019 to 2020.	54,000
Do you have an Arts Platform for Atlanta?	Yes https://www.brandoncorygoldberg.com/issues
Please share your thoughts on the creation of an arts district in the city of Atlanta that would support affordable studios, affordable rehearsal space, affordable housing, and affordable presentation space (theatre, blackbox, gallery, meeting space, etc.).	While I do support the idea of a dedicated arts district with all of these aspects, I also want to ensure that the arts permeate throughout Atlanta. The benefit of an arts district is that it can serve as a launching ground and hub. However, we don't want that to result in a decrease of artistic engagement elsewhere in Atlanta. We must work to provide a proper balance.
Please share your thoughts on providing relief funds from the American Relief Funds Act (ARPA) to arts organizations and artists	This absolutely needs to be a priority. Like any other industry, we must ensure the arts are a part of our COVID-19 recovery. Not only are the arts an important part of our quality of life, the very fact that they are businesses with employees justify this prioritization. I will work with organizations from across the arts

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<p>to recover, rebuild, and restore Atlanta's creative economy.</p>	<p>spectrum to provide the funding necessary to support an unequalled arts industry in Atlanta.</p>
<p>What is your vision for the arts in Atlanta, a major airport hub, film hub, and economic engine of the Southeast? (What does it look like, feel like, sound like? Who are the people? There is no wrong answer.)</p>	<p>We can make Atlanta a global center for the arts. From theaters and music venues to museums and murals, we need to invest in the arts in an unprecedented fashion. Artists from around the world will be drawn to the Atlanta scene, and the artists already among us should find the space, resources, and empowerment to share their gifts. We also need to work to make sure the arts are accessible to everyone in Atlanta and that students can study the arts without worry that their art programs might ever be cut. The arts feed the soul, and during the good times and the bad, our lives are enriched and made all the better for this expression of culture and community.</p>
<p>Is there any other information you would like voters to know?</p>	<p>Thank you for providing this opportunity to share information about my campaign. Please feel free to contact me at brandon@brandoncorygoldberg.com or 404-981-5778</p>