

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR DELAWARE

Grants to Delaware Organizations and Individuals in 2022, including from the *American Rescue Plan –* \$2,285,633

Number of Grantees - 6

Recent Project Highlights:

- The Delaware Public Archives received a grant to hold a workshop called New Skills for Stewards of Delaware's History. The goal is to offer twenty-five archivists training to improve curatorial skills and to instruct them in best practices of long-term preservation.
- Cindy Ott, an associate professor of history at the University of Delaware, was awarded a \$60,000 research grant to write a book about the Crow reservation in Montana. The tribe defied the myths of the reservation by building viable economic enterprises demonstrating resiliency and complexity in the Native American story.

NEH also provides annual funding to <u>Delaware Humanities</u>, the designated humanities council in the state, to support a wide array of public programming.

Recent Delaware Humanities Highlights:

- As part of NEH's A More Perfect Union initiative, Delaware Humanities sponsored the program "IDENTITY: Community Perspectives on Delaware's History." Delaware Humanities worked to be a resource in promoting civil discourse and preserving community history.
- Supported <u>Voices of Delaware's Black History</u> to collect stories about the African-American experience growing up in segregated Delaware to better inform the public. The stories were posted on the Delaware Humanities social media pages and then broadcast on WHYY, the local PBS station.

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