

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR MARYLAND

Grants to Maryland Organizations and Individuals in 2022, including from the *American Rescue Plan* – \$6,319,082

Number of Grantees – 39

Recent Project Highlights:

- The Maryland Public Broadcasting Foundation, with funding from NEH, is making a documentary that tells the story of the peaceful transfer of power. With recent history on the fragility of this institution of our democracy, this documentary aims to take a deep and substantive look at this badge of American democracy.
- The Walters Art Museum received an NEH grant to host a landmark traveling exhibition entitled "Ethiopia at the Crossroads." The exhibition, which covers artistic traditions of Ethiopia from antiquity to the present, also encompasses the cultural importance of the country and will be the first exhibit in the U.S. to show Ethiopian art in a global context.

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

Recent Maryland Humanities Highlights:

- The council supports Maryland History Day, an annual program for middle and high schoolers throughout the state to create unique projects exploring historical topics.
- Supports a strong grantmaking program to humanities organizations across the state, including addressing the roots of racism, highlighting the history of Latin and jazz music, and telling the stories of underrepresented communities.

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