

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR MINNESOTA

Grants to Minnesota Organizations and Individuals in 2022, including from the *American Rescue Plan* – \$4,927,964

Number of Grantees - 24

Recent Project Highlights:

- The Minnesota Historical Society received a grant from NEH to digitize 100,000 pages of historic Minnesota newspapers published between 1690-1963 with an emphasis on the period from 1923-1963. This collection will also highlight Black and Native newspapers from immigrant communities in Minnesota. These newspapers would be gathered in their original languages, translated, and added to this collection, which would represent Minnesota's diverse population.
- The Minnesota Society of Fine Arts received a grant to reinstall 76 galleries at the Minneapolis Institute of Art. The collection would represent contemporary global art and arts of Europe and North and South America. This collection will narrate an expansive and integrated history of art that is more global in scope and more inclusive of historically marginalized artists, artworks, and communities.

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

Recent Minnesota Humanities Center Highlight:

• The Minnesota Humanities Center launched a new media collaboration titled: *Racial Reckoning: The Arc of Justice*. This journalism initiative would provide coverage around the trials of the former Minneapolis police officers charged with the murder of George Floyd. Through this project, people can examine the criminal justice system in the USA, through the lenses of African American communities.

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