

## IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR WASHINGTON

Grants to Washington Organizations and Individuals in 2022, including from the *American Rescue Plan* – \$ 6,118,635

## **Number of Grantees – 44**

## **Recent Project Highlights:**

- Washington State University was awarded \$34,647 to develop a certificate program to be called "Dwelling in American Literature: An Experiential Program for Architects and Engineers." The program aims to enhance the humanistic aspect of engineering and architecture education through interdisciplinary courses that will combine literature and technical instruction.
- Vashon Island is the traditional homeland of the sxwəbabš (pronounced Schwaah-babsh) people. The Vashon Maury Island Heritage Museum received a \$287,000 award to complete and install a permanent exhibit that welcomes the community and accurately reflects the diverse, multi-faceted history of the island and its many peoples.

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

## **Recent Humanities Washington Highlights:**

- A More Perfect Union, a media project presented by HW, KUOW, Spokane Public Radio, and Northwest Public Broadcasting, explores the complexities of American democracy through radio programs, podcasts, and oral histories.
- The Center for Washington Cultural Traditions is the state's folklife and traditional arts program, developed in partnership with HW and Arts Washington. Launched in 2018, the Center serves Washington communities by surveying, studying, and supporting cultural traditions and tradition bearers.

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