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Form **990**  
 Department of the Treasury  
 Internal Revenue Service

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**  
**Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)**  
 The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

OMB No 1545-0047  
**2011**  
**Open to Public Inspection**

**A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2011 and ending 06-30-2012**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<b>C</b> Name of organization METROPOLITAN REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL		<b>D</b> Employer identification number 41-1684647
	Doing Business As		<b>E</b> Telephone number (651) 645-0402
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 2324 UNIVERSITY AVENUE WEST	<b>G</b> Gross receipts \$ 3,432,068	
	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 ST PAUL, MN 55114		

**F** Name and address of principal officer

**H(a)** Is this a group return for affiliates?  Yes  No

**H(b)** Are all affiliates included?  Yes  No  
 If "No," attach a list (see instructions)

**H(c)** Group exemption number

**I** Tax-exempt status:  501(c)(3)  501(c) ( ) (Insert no )  4947(a)(1) or  527

**J** Website: WWW MRAC ORG

**K** Form of organization:  Corporation  Trust  Association  Other

**L** Year of formation: 1989

**M** State of legal domicile: MN

**Part I Summary**

**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities  
 The Metropolitan Regional Arts Council increases access to the arts in 7-county metropolitan area communities by providing informational, organizational support and grants

**2** Check this box  if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets

<b>3</b> Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	15
<b>4</b> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	15
<b>5</b> Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2011 (Part V, line 2a)	8
<b>6</b> Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	360
<b>7a</b> Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	0
<b>7b</b> Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	

		Prior Year	Current Year
<b>8</b>	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	3,772,974	3,364,416
<b>9</b>	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		0
<b>10</b>	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	8,493	10,243
<b>11</b>	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	22,825	57,409
<b>12</b>	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	3,804,292	3,432,068
<b>13</b>	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	3,340,010	2,905,216
<b>14</b>	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0
<b>15</b>	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	436,617	451,188
<b>16a</b>	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0
<b>b</b>	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) $\rightarrow$ 0		
<b>17</b>	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	247,648	205,906
<b>18</b>	Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	4,024,275	3,562,310
<b>19</b>	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	-219,983	-130,242

		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
<b>20</b>	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	1,314,384	1,122,426
<b>21</b>	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	904,758	843,042
<b>22</b>	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	409,626	279,384

**Part II Signature Block**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

**Sign Here**

Signature of officer: \*\*\*\*\*  
 Date: 2012-11-02

Jeff Prauer Executive Direc  
 Type or print name and title

**Paid Preparer's Use Only**

Preparer's signature: Neal O Evert  
 Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check if self-employed:

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: Carpenter Evert & Associates  
 7760 France Ave S 940  
 Bloomington, MN 55435

Preparer's taxpayer identification number (see instructions): \_\_\_\_\_  
 EIN: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone no: (952) 831-0085

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)  Yes  No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission

The Metropolitan Regional Arts Council increases access to the arts in 7-county metropolitan area communities by providing information, organizational support and grants

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a (Code ) (Expenses \$ 3,320,663 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

The Arts Activities Support program offers grants of up to \$10,000 in project support for groups wishing to offer quality arts activities in any discipline to communities within the seven-county metro area Grant requests may include costs for artists and other personnel, postage, supplies, equipment, printing, travel and other expenses necessary to carry out the project In FY2012, MRAC received 244 applications requesting \$2,212,420, and awarded 114 grants totaling \$1,043,651 in this program The Community Arts grant program provides grants of up to \$5,000 in project support for metro groups wishing to offer quality arts activities in any discipline to communities within the seven-county metropolitan area The program utilizes a "block grant" system to distribute funds Each of the counties in MRAC's service area - Anoka, Carver, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey, Scott and Washington - receives a block of funds designated for arts activities occurring within that county Community Arts is intended for community based and volunteer groups, smaller, established arts groups, and newly formed groups or first-time initiatives Grant requests may include costs for artists and other personnel, postage, supplies, equipment, printing, travel and other expenses necessary to carry out the project In FY2012, MRAC received 194 applications requesting \$906,927, and awarded 124 grants totaling \$582,268 in this program The Arts Learning program provides grants of up to \$10,000 for high-quality, age-appropriate arts education for Minnesotans of all ages to develop knowledge, skills, and understanding of the arts MRAC's goals for the Arts Learning Program are to cultivate creativity and deepen knowledge of and/or through the arts for children, youth and adults by engaging people in extended arts experiences and activities with clearly articulated learning objectives In FY2012, MRAC received 126 applications requesting \$1,148,996, and awarded 42 grants totaling \$390,729 in this program The Creative Intersections program is designed to support innovative partnerships that integrate arts and culture into plans for community development and enrichment The Creative Intersections grant program provides up to \$15,000 for projects that will build bridges among community sectors and that have the benefit of building momentum toward strengthening the community as a whole through a quality arts development project In FY2012, MRAC received 24 applications requesting \$320,301, and awarded 8 grants totaling \$97,930 in this program The Organizational Development program offers grants of up to \$10,000 for projects designed to strengthen the management or administration of nonprofit arts groups Such projects must 1) advance the mission of the group and 2) have the potential for significant or long-term impact In FY2012, MRAC received 45 applications requesting \$380,706, and awarded 25 grants totaling \$214,095 in this program The Capital grant program provides funds of up to \$10,000 to purchase equipment and related supplies and services, or to make capital improvements Such activities must 1) advance the mission of the group and 2) have the potential for significant or long-term impact In FY2012, MRAC received 35 applications requesting \$263,734, and awarded 19 grants totaling \$151,909 in this program The ADA Access Improvement Fund is operated in partnership with VSA Minnesota, a nonprofit organization specializing in arts programs and services for people with disabilities The program provides grants of up to \$15,000 for arts organizations to increase accessibility to consumers and participants in their activities In FY2012, VSA Minnesota received 20 applications requesting \$203,946, and awarded 16 grants totaling \$162,985 MRAC also paid \$38,000 to VSA Minnesota for administration of the program The Management Consulting Fund program offers grants of up to \$1,500 to provide consultants for groups to complete small projects to strengthen the management or administration of the group Such management consulting projects must 1) strengthen the management or administration of nonprofit arts groups, 2) advance the mission of the group, and 3) have the potential for significant or long-term impact The Management Training Fund program offers grants of up to \$600 to provide training funds for the staff and volunteers of nonprofit arts groups to attend management workshops, seminars or conferences In FY2012, MRAC received 109 applications requesting \$90,959 and awarded 79 grants totaling \$50,734 in these two programs The Next Step Fund is MRAC's first grant program for individual artists, providing grants up to \$5,000 to professional artists in any discipline for the purpose of career development and artistic achievement The Next Step Fund is funded entirely by the McKnight Foundation In FY2012, MRAC received 366 applications requesting \$1,791,072 and awarded 32 grants totaling \$155,900 in this program

4b (Code ) (Expenses \$ 127,602 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

MRAC also provides skill-building trainings and workshops for administrators of small arts organizations at no charge to participants in areas such as marketing, finance, fund-raising, and governance In FY2012, MRAC provided 25 such workshops for approximately 400 participants

4c (Code ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses \$ 3,448,265

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

	Yes	No
<b>1</b> Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A.</i>	Yes	
<b>2</b> Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)?		No
<b>3</b> Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I.</i>		No
<b>4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II.</i>		No
<b>5</b> Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III.</i>		No
<b>6</b> Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I.</i>		No
<b>7</b> Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II.</i>		No
<b>8</b> Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III.</i>		No
<b>9</b> Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV.</i>		No
<b>10</b> Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V.</i>		No
<b>11</b> If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes,' then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
<b>a</b> Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.</i>	Yes	
<b>b</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.</i>		No
<b>c</b> Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.</i>		No
<b>d</b> Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.</i>		No
<b>e</b> Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		No
<b>f</b> Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i>		No
<b>12a</b> Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII.</i>	Yes	
<b>b</b> Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional.</i>		No
<b>13</b> Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E.</i>		No
<b>14a</b> Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		No
<b>b</b> Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I.</i>		No
<b>15</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the U S? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II and IV.</i>		No
<b>16</b> Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the U S? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III and IV.</i>		No
<b>17</b> Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000, of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I.</i>		No
<b>18</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II.</i>		No
<b>19</b> Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III.</i>		No
<b>20a</b> Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H.</i>		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach its audited financial statement to this return? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers that operated one or more hospitals must attach audited financial statements.		

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

<b>21</b>	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> . . . . .	<b>21</b>	Yes	
<b>22</b>	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> . . . . .	<b>22</b>	Yes	
<b>23</b>	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5, about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> . . . . .	<b>23</b>	Yes	
<b>24a</b>	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i> . . . . .	<b>24a</b>		No
<b>b</b>	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? . . . . .	<b>24b</b>		No
<b>c</b>	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? . . . . .	<b>24c</b>		No
<b>d</b>	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? . . . . .	<b>24d</b>		No
<b>25a</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . . . .	<b>25a</b>		No
<b>b</b>	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . . . .	<b>25b</b>		No
<b>26</b>	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> . . . . .	<b>26</b>		No
<b>27</b>	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> . . . . .	<b>27</b>		No
<b>28</b>	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties? (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
<b>a</b>	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .	<b>28a</b>		No
<b>b</b>	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .	<b>28b</b>		No
<b>c</b>	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .	<b>28c</b>		No
<b>29</b>	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	<b>29</b>		No
<b>30</b>	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . . . .	<b>30</b>		No
<b>31</b>	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> . . . . .	<b>31</b>		No
<b>32</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> . . . . .	<b>32</b>		No
<b>33</b>	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> . . . . .	<b>33</b>		No
<b>34</b>	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i> . . . . .	<b>34</b>		No
<b>35a</b>	Is any related organization a controlled entity of the filing organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	<b>35a</b>		No
<b>b</b>	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . . .	<b>35b</b>		No
<b>36</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . . .	<b>36</b>		No
<b>37</b>	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	<b>37</b>		No
<b>38</b>	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O . . . . .	<b>38</b>	Yes	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

Table with columns for question number, question text, sub-questions (1a-14b), and Yes/No columns. Includes questions about Form 1096, W-2G forms, employee reporting, foreign accounts, and charitable trusts.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI . . . . .

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a (15), 1b (15), 2 (No), 3 (Yes), 4 (No), 5 (No), 6 (No), 7a (No), 7b (No), 8a (Yes), 8b (Yes), 9 (No).

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a (No), 10b (No), 11a (Yes), 12a (Yes), 12b (Yes), 12c (Yes), 13 (Yes), 14 (Yes), 15a (Yes), 15b (Yes), 16a (No), 16b (No).

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed MN
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public. See Additional Data Table.
20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization. BARB SIMONSON, 2324 UNIVERSITY 114, ST PAUL, MN 55114, (651) 645-0402

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

**1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any See instructions for definition of "key employee "
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order individual trustees or directors, institutional trustees, officers, key employees, highest compensated employees, and former such persons

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organizations compensated any current or former officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) MELISSA WRIGHT Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(2) CHRISTINE MURAKAMI NOONAN Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(3) DAMEUN STRANGE Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(4) JOAN ELWELL Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(5) ERIKA EKLUND Vice Chair	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
(6) MELISSA BRECHON Treasurer	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
(7) PETER LEGGETT Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(8) SHELLY CHAMBERLAIN Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(9) JILL ANFANG Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(10) RACHEL SMOKA-RICHARDSON Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(11) BETH STARBUCK Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(12) MARGARET ROG Chair	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
(13) KRISTI GAUDETTE Secretary	1 00	X		X				0	0	0
(14) KATHY BUSCH Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(15) HEATHER BEAL Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(16) PAUL CREAGER Director	1 00	X						0	0	0
(17) Jeff Prauer Executive Direc	40 00			X				88,577	0	5,001



**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514		
<b>Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts</b>	<b>1a</b>	Federated campaigns . . . . . <b>1a</b>						
	<b>b</b>	Membership dues . . . . . <b>1b</b>						
	<b>c</b>	Fundraising events . . . . . <b>1c</b>						
	<b>d</b>	Related organizations . . . . . <b>1d</b>						
	<b>e</b>	Government grants (contributions) <b>1e</b>						
	<b>f</b>	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above <b>1f</b>	3,364,416					
	<b>g</b>	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ _____						
	<b>h</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . . <b>▶</b>	3,364,416					
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2a</b>	_____ Business Code _____						
	<b>b</b>	_____						
	<b>c</b>	_____						
	<b>d</b>	_____						
	<b>e</b>	_____						
	<b>f</b>	All other program service revenue						
	<b>g</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0					
<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b>	Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts) . . . . . <b>▶</b>	10,243			10,243		
	<b>4</b>	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0					
	<b>5</b>	Royalties . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0					
	<b>6a</b>	Gross rents	(i) Real					
			(ii) Personal					
			<b>b</b>	Less rental expenses				
			<b>c</b>	Rental income or (loss)				
	<b>d</b>	<b>Net rental income or (loss)</b> . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0					
	<b>7a</b>	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities					
			(ii) Other					
			<b>b</b>	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses				
			<b>c</b>	Gain or (loss)				
	<b>d</b>	<b>Net gain or (loss)</b> . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0					
	<b>8a</b>	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 . . . . . <b>a</b>	<b>b</b>	Less direct expenses . . . . . <b>b</b>				
			<b>c</b>	<b>Net income or (loss) from fundraising events</b> . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0			
<b>9a</b>			Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 . . . . . <b>a</b>	<b>b</b>	Less direct expenses . . . . . <b>b</b>			
	<b>c</b>	<b>Net income or (loss) from gaming activities</b> . . . . . <b>▶</b>		0				
	<b>10a</b>	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . . <b>a</b>		<b>b</b>	Less cost of goods sold . . . . . <b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			<b>Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory</b> . . . . . <b>▶</b>	0				
Miscellaneous Revenue Business Code								
<b>11a</b>	Miscellaneous _____ 900099	57,409	57,409					
<b>b</b>	_____							
<b>c</b>	_____							
<b>d</b>	All other revenue . . . . .							
<b>e</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . . <b>▶</b>	57,409						
<b>12</b>	<b>Total revenue.</b> See Instructions . . . . . <b>▶</b>	3,432,068	57,409		10,243			

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D)

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>		<b>(A)</b> Total expenses	<b>(B)</b> Program service expenses	<b>(C)</b> Management and general expenses	<b>(D)</b> Fundraising expenses
<b>1</b>	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21	2,749,316	2,749,316		
<b>2</b>	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22	155,900	155,900		
<b>3</b>	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
<b>4</b>	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
<b>5</b>	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	93,578	77,670	15,908	
<b>6</b>	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0			
<b>7</b>	Other salaries and wages	261,331	216,819	44,512	
<b>8</b>	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	0			
<b>9</b>	Other employee benefits	69,251	57,547	11,704	
<b>10</b>	Payroll taxes	27,028	22,427	4,601	
<b>11</b>	Fees for services (non-employees)				
<b>a</b>	Management	0			
<b>b</b>	Legal	0			
<b>c</b>	Accounting	0			
<b>d</b>	Lobbying	0			
<b>e</b>	Professional fundraising See Part IV, line 17	0			
<b>f</b>	Investment management fees	0			
<b>g</b>	Other	23,116	5,543	17,573	
<b>12</b>	Advertising and promotion	0			
<b>13</b>	Office expenses	13,781	11,451	2,330	
<b>14</b>	Information technology	0			
<b>15</b>	Royalties	0			
<b>16</b>	Occupancy	43,410	36,071	7,339	
<b>17</b>	Travel	6,748	4,803	1,945	
<b>18</b>	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
<b>19</b>	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	0			
<b>20</b>	Interest	0			
<b>21</b>	Payments to affiliates	0			
<b>22</b>	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	2,648	2,200	448	
<b>23</b>	Insurance	5,648	4,693	955	
<b>24</b>	Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24f If line 24f amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24f expenses on Schedule O )				
<b>a</b>	TRAINING/WORKSHOPS	43,263	43,263		
<b>b</b>	Printing and Publications	11,925	9,909	2,016	
<b>c</b>	PANEL EXPENSES	26,490	26,490		
<b>d</b>	EQUIPMENT RENTAL & MAINTENANCE	9,602	7,979	1,623	
<b>e</b>	DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	11,207	9,312	1,895	
<b>f</b>	All other expenses	8,068	6,872	1,196	
<b>25</b>	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24f	3,562,310	3,448,265	114,045	0
<b>26</b>	<b>Joint costs.</b> Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	55,966	<b>1</b>	29,912
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	427,730	<b>2</b>	644,920
	<b>3</b> Pledges and grants receivable, net . . . . .	175,000	<b>3</b>	0
	<b>4</b> Accounts receivable, net . . . . .	7,449	<b>4</b>	8,363
	<b>5</b> Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		<b>5</b>	0
	<b>6</b> Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		<b>6</b>	0
	<b>7</b> Notes and loans receivable, net . . . . .		<b>7</b>	0
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .		<b>8</b>	0
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	15,583	<b>9</b>	14,633
	<b>10a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	51,427		
	<b>b</b> Less accumulated depreciation . . . . .	36,357	<b>10c</b>	15,070
	<b>11</b> Investments—publicly traded securities . . . . .	626,845	<b>11</b>	402,578
	<b>12</b> Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .		<b>12</b>	0
	<b>13</b> Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .		<b>13</b>	0
	<b>14</b> Intangible assets . . . . .		<b>14</b>	0
	<b>15</b> Other assets See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	2,312	<b>15</b>	6,950
<b>16</b> <b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) . . . . .	1,314,384	<b>16</b>	1,122,426	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	28,759	<b>17</b>	35,814
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .	875,999	<b>18</b>	807,228
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .		<b>19</b>	
	<b>20</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities . . . . .		<b>20</b>	
	<b>21</b> Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D . . . . .		<b>21</b>	
	<b>22</b> Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		<b>22</b>	
	<b>23</b> Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .		<b>23</b>	
	<b>24</b> Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .		<b>24</b>	
	<b>25</b> Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D . . . . .		<b>25</b>	
	<b>26</b> <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 . . . . .	904,758	<b>26</b>	843,042
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Unrestricted net assets . . . . .	189,626	<b>27</b>	234,384
	<b>28</b> Temporarily restricted net assets . . . . .	175,000	<b>28</b>	
	<b>29</b> Permanently restricted net assets . . . . .	45,000	<b>29</b>	45,000
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	<b>30</b> Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . . . . .		<b>30</b>	
	<b>31</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund . . . . .		<b>31</b>	
	<b>32</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . . . . .		<b>32</b>	
<b>33</b> Total net assets or fund balances . . . . .	409,626	<b>33</b>	279,384	
<b>34</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances . . . . .	1,314,384	<b>34</b>	1,122,426	

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	3,432,068
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	3,562,310
<b>3</b>	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	-130,242
<b>4</b>	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	<b>4</b>	409,626
<b>5</b>	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	<b>6</b>	279,384

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
<b>1</b>	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
<b>2a</b>	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		No
<b>b</b>	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	Yes	
<b>c</b>	If "Yes," to 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	Yes	
<b>d</b>	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separated basis		
<b>3a</b>	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		No

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2011**

**Open to Public Inspection**

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization  
METROPOLITAN REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL

Employer identification number

41-1684647

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box )

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E )
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state
  
- 5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II )
- 6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II )
- 8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II )
- 9  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III )
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h  
 a  Type I      b  Type II      c  Type III - Functionally integrated      d  Type III - Other
- e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f  If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?  
 (i) a person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the the supported organization?  
 (ii) a family member of a person described in (i) above?  
 (iii) a 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
<b>11g(i)</b>		
<b>11g(ii)</b>		
<b>11g(iii)</b>		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of support?
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
<b>Total</b>									

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	1,193,089	1,346,499	3,729,503	3,772,974	3,364,416	13,406,481
<b>2</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						0
<b>3</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						0
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3	1,193,089	1,346,499	3,729,503	3,772,974	3,364,416	13,406,481
<b>5</b> The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						377,785
<b>6 Public Support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4						13,028,696

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
<b>7</b> Amounts from line 4	1,193,089	1,346,499	3,729,503	3,772,974	3,364,416	13,406,481
<b>8</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	46,113	18,432	4,033	8,493	10,243	87,314
<b>9</b> Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0
<b>10</b> Other income (Explain in Part IV.) Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets	15,696	8,397	12,636	22,825	57,409	116,963
<b>11 Total support</b> (Add lines 7 through 10)						13,610,758

**12** Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (See instructions.)**12****13 First Five Years** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here** **Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage****14** Public Support Percentage for 2011 (line 6 column (f) divided by line 11 column (f)) **14** 95.720%**15** Public Support Percentage for 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 **15** 64.310%**16a 33 1/3% support test—2011.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization **b 33 1/3% support test—2010.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization **17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization **b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2010.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization **18 Private Foundation** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a or 17b, check this box and see instructions

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b						
<b>8 Public Support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6 )						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
<b>13 Total support</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11 and 12.)						
<b>14 First Five Years</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public Support Percentage for 2011 (line 8 column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	<b>15</b>	
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	<b>16</b>	

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for <b>2011</b> (line 10c column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	<b>17</b>	
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from <b>2010</b> Schedule A, Part III, line 17	<b>18</b>	

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests—2011.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3% and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- b 33 1/3% support tests—2010.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- 20 Private Foundation** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a or 19b, check this box and see instructions

**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanation required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; or Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

<b>Facts And Circumstances Test</b>
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<b>Explanation</b>
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SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

OMB No 1545-0047

Supplemental Financial Statements

2011

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization METROPOLITAN REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows 1-4: Total number at end of year, Aggregate contributions to (during year), Aggregate grants from (during year), Aggregate value at end of year.

- 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

- 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply): Preservation of land for public use, Protection of natural habitat, Preservation of open space, Preservation of an historically important land area, Preservation of a certified historic structure.

2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

Table with 2 columns: Description, Held at the End of the Year. Rows 2a-2d: Total number of conservation easements, Total acreage restricted by conservation easements, Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a), Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06.

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting and enforcing conservation easements during the year

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?

9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items

a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** *(continued)*

**3** Using the organization's accession and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

- a**  Public exhibition
- b**  Scholarly research
- c**  Preservation for future generations
- d**  Loan or exchange programs
- e**  Other

**4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV

**5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

**1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table

	Amount
<b>1c</b>	
<b>1d</b>	
<b>1e</b>	
<b>1f</b>	

**2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

**b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current Year	(b) Prior Year	(c) Two Years Back	(d) Three Years Back	(e) Four Years Back
<b>1a</b> Beginning of year balance . . . . .					
<b>b</b> Contributions . . . . .					
<b>c</b> Investment earnings or losses . . . . .					
<b>d</b> Grants or scholarships . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Other expenditures for facilities and programs . . . . .					
<b>f</b> Administrative expenses . . . . .					
<b>g</b> End of year balance . . . . .					

**2** Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶
- b** Permanent endowment ▶
- c** Term endowment ▶

**3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

	Yes	No
<b>(i)</b> unrelated organizations . . . . .	<b>3a(i)</b>	
<b>(ii)</b> related organizations . . . . .	<b>3a(ii)</b>	
<b>b</b> If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? . . . . .	<b>3b</b>	

**4** Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
<b>1a</b> Land . . . . .				
<b>b</b> Buildings . . . . .				
<b>c</b> Leasehold improvements . . . . .				
<b>d</b> Equipment . . . . .		10,308	10,308	
<b>e</b> Other . . . . .		41,119	26,049	15,070
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).) . . . . . ▶				15,070



**Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements**

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	3,432,068
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	3,562,310
<b>3</b>	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	-130,242
<b>4</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b>	Investment expenses	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Prior period adjustments	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 - 8	<b>9</b>	
<b>10</b>	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	<b>10</b>	-130,242

**Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

<b>1</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements . . . . .	<b>1</b>	3,432,068
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
<b>a</b>	Net unrealized gains on investments . . . . .	<b>2a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants . . . . .	<b>2c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV) . . . . .	<b>2d</b>	
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b> . . . . .	<b>2e</b>	
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b> . . . . .	<b>3</b>	3,432,068
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line <b>1</b>		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	<b>4a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV) . . . . .	<b>4b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b> . . . . .	<b>4c</b>	
<b>5</b>	Total Revenue Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12 ) . . . . .	<b>5</b>	3,432,068

**Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

<b>1</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements . . . . .	<b>1</b>	3,562,310
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
<b>a</b>	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	<b>2a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Prior year adjustments . . . . .	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Other losses . . . . .	<b>2c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV) . . . . .	<b>2d</b>	
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b> . . . . .	<b>2e</b>	
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b> . . . . .	<b>3</b>	3,562,310
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line <b>1</b> :		
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	<b>4a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIV) . . . . .	<b>4b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b> . . . . .	<b>4c</b>	
<b>5</b>	Total expenses Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18 ) . . . . .	<b>5</b>	3,562,310

**Part XIV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b Also complete this part to provide any additional information

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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Schedule I (Form 990)

OMB No 1545-0047

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States
Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
Attach to Form 990

2011

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization METROPOLITAN REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL

Employer identification number 41-1684647

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?
2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

Table with 8 columns: (a) Name and address of organization or government, (b) EIN, (c) IRC Code section if applicable, (d) Amount of cash grant, (e) Amount of non-cash assistance, (f) Method of valuation, (g) Description of non-cash assistance, (h) Purpose of grant or assistance. Row 1 contains data for Sibley Street, St Paul, MN.

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table
3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

**Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.  
Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
(1) See Schedule I 2		155,900			

**Part IV Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Grantmaker's Description of How Grants are Used		See Schedule I 1

**Schedule J**  
(Form 990)

**Compensation Information**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2011**

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For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization  
METROPOLITAN REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL

Employer identification number  
41-1684647

**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

Yes No

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel            | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax idemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account           | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

**1b**

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

**2** Yes

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization

**a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?

**4a** No

**b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?

**4b** No

**c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

**4c** No

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

**Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.**

**5** For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of

**a** The organization?

**5a** No

**b** Any related organization?

**5b** No

If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

**6** For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of

**a** The organization?

**6a** No

**b** Any related organization?

**6b** No

If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

**7** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**7** No

**8** Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs section 53 4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**8** No

**9** If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53 4958-6(c)?

**9** No



**Part III Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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**SCHEDULE O**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

**Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.**

OMB No 1545-0047

**2011**

**Open to Public  
Inspection**

Name of the organization  
METROPOLITAN REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL

**Employer identification number**

41-1684647

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 19	Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 Other Organization Documents Publicly Available	The Organization's Board of Directors and grant panel review meetings are held in the spirit of the Minnesota Open Meeting Law , and as such are open to the public
Form 990, Part VI, Line 15b	Form 990, Part VI, Line 15b Compensation Review and Approval Process for Officers and Key Employees	The organization utilizes the annual comprehensive salary and benefit surveys conducted by the MN Council of Nonprofits to compare salaries by field, geography, type of position, etc
Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c	Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c Explanation of Monitoring and Enforcement of Conflicts	The Board approves all grants made by the organization Board members with conflicts of interest with any group being recommended for a grant are required to declare such conflicts at the time the vote is taken
Form 990, Part VI, Line 11	Form 990, Part VI, Line 11 Form 990 Review Process	The Executive Committee will review the 990 prior to filing
Form 990, Part VI, Line 3	Form 990, Part VI, Line 3 Description of Delegated Duties to Management Company	USE PAYCHEX FOR PAYROLL GENERATING AND REPORTING

**Arts Activities Support - FY2012****June**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
AAS12-2-001	Sample Night Live!		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-002	Young Dance, Inc		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-005	Cultural Society of Filipino-		Dakota	\$7,500
AAS12-2-007	Sandbox Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-008	Dakota Center for the Arts		Dakota	\$10,000
AAS12-2-014	River Valley Band	HPAAC	Dakota	\$3,900
AAS12-2-016	Two Chairs Telling	Northstar Storytelling	Hennepin	\$5,000
AAS12-2-018	Kenwood Symphony Orchestra		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-022	Alive & Kickin		SubHennepin	\$9,983
AAS12-2-024	Chaska Cikala Wacipi (Little Dance	City of Chaska	Carver	\$6,600
AAS12-2-025	Arts in Action	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$5,756
AAS12-2-026	Altered Esthetics		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-029	Art of This		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-031	Theatre Pro Rata		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-032	Upstream Arts, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-033	Hollywood Studio of Dance		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-035	People Incorporated		Ramsey	\$9,000
AAS12-2-036	Mizna		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-042	Capri Big Band	Plymouth Christian Youth	Hennepin	\$6,176
AAS12-2-043	Kantorei, Inc		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-047	Alan Berks & Company	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-048	St Croix Valley Chamber Chorale		Washington	\$10,000
AAS12-2-051	Lyndale Neighborhood Association		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-052	Frank Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-054	Photography at the Center		Hennepin	\$9,600
AAS12-2-057	Zeitgeist		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-060	Contempo-Physical Dance	Springboard for the Arts	SubRamsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-061	Allegro Choral Academy		Dakota	\$9,050
AAS12-2-065	Rain Taxi, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-068	In Progress		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-069	Kaotic Good Productions	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-071	20% Theatre Company Twin Cities		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-072	Theatre Or	Sabes Jewish Community	SubHennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-074	ARENA Dances, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000

## Arts Activities Support - FY2012

June

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
AAS12-2-076	Kulture Klub Collaborative		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-077	CAAM Chinese Dance Theater		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-082	Katha Dance Theatre		SubHennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-084	Soo Visual Arts Center		Hennepin	\$9,000
AAS12-2-086	Japan America Society of Minnesota		Hennepin	\$3,700
AAS12-2-088	Walker West Music Academy		Ramsey	\$6,435
AAS12-2-090	Mama Mosaic Theater	Springboard for the Arts	SubHennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-093	ArtStart		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-098	Creative for Causes dba Art Buddies		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-099	St. Paul Art Collective		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-104	Rosetown Playhouse		SubRamsey	\$9,300
AAS12-2-105	Dangerous Productions	Rosetown Playhouse	Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-107	FTF Works	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$9,000
AAS12-2-109	Zorongo Flamenco Dance Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-111	Indian Music Society of Minnesota		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-112	Barebones Productions		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-116	Flying Forms	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$9,000
AAS12-2-117	Lyra Baroque Orchestra		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-2-119	Music in the Heart of Victory	Misplaced Music	Hennepin	\$3,600
AAS12-2-121	Jazz at Studio Z	Misplaced Music	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-126	Bedlam Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-2-128	Dakota County Sheriff's Office		Dakota	\$5,344
			<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>	<b>\$507,944</b>

## Arts Activities Support - FY2012

### September

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
AAS12-1-001	Bach Society of Minnesota		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-002	Yellow Tree Theatre		SubHennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-007	Thursday Musical		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-009	Urban Spectrum Theatre		Hennepin	\$8,200
AAS12-1-011	Oratorio Society of Minnesota		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-012	Veterans in the Arts	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$9,510
AAS12-1-013	East Metro Symphony Orchestra		Washington	\$10,000
AAS12-1-016	Patrick's Cabaret		Hennepin	\$7,500
AAS12-1-018	Weaver's Guild of Minnesota		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-019	White Bear Center for the Arts		SubRamsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-020	Theatre Novi Most	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-022	JazzMr, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-024	Twin Cities Women's Choir		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-028	Minneapolis Jewish Film Festival	Sabes JCC	SubHennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-029	Plymouth Christian Youth Center		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-033	Minhua Chorus		SubRamsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-035	TU Dance		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-038	Minneapolis Pops Orchestra		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-045	Ethnic Dance Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-046	New Prague Arts Council	New Prague Community	Scott	\$8,000
AAS12-1-047	Ascension Place		Hennepin	\$8,000
AAS12-1-049	Minnesota Guitar Society		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-050	Cleveland Neighborhood		Hennepin	\$7,325
AAS12-1-052	East Side Arts Council		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-053	Gremlin Theatre		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-058	Centro Cultural Chicano, Inc.		Hennepin	\$9,250
AAS12-1-060	Dakota Valley Symphony		Dakota	\$10,000
AAS12-1-064	Magic Lantern Puppet Theater	In the Heart of the Beast	Hennepin	\$6,100
AAS12-1-067	Skylark Opera		Ramsey	\$6,040
AAS12-1-068	Theatre Unbound		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-069	Artsy Aging Project	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$5,266
AAS12-1-071	Urban Arts Academy		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-072	Ananya Dance Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-073	Chamber Music Lakeville	Friends of the Lakeville	Dakota	\$7,310

## Arts Activities Support - FY2012

### September

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
AAS12-1-076	Iraqi and American Reconciliation		SubHennepin	\$9,950
AAS12-1-079	Hinterhands Puppet Company	In the Heart of the Beast	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-080	Kairos Dance Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-081	Partnership Resources, Inc.		SubHennepin	\$8,295
AAS12-1-085	Square Lake Film and Music	ArtReach St. Croix	Washington	\$10,000
AAS12-1-091	Les Jolies Petites School of Dance		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-093	Twin Cities Jazz Workshops	Misplaced Music	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-095	Red Eye Collaboration		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-097	The Unseen Ghost Brigade	Access Philanthropy	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-100	Al-Bahira Middle Eastern Dance	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-102	Tapestry Folkdance Center		Hennepin	\$7,400
AAS12-1-103	Minnesota Jewish Theatre Company		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-106	Mixed Precipitation	Interact Center for the	Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-107	Teatro del Pueblo		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-111	Open Eye Figure Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-112	Walking Shadow Theatre Company		Hennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-113	Angel Foundation		Hennepin	\$5,561
AAS12-1-114	Minnesota Association for		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-116	Amherst H. Wilder Foundation		Ramsey	\$10,000
AAS12-1-122	Reach for Resources, Inc		SubHennepin	\$2,000
AAS12-1-123	Katha Dance Theatre		SubHennepin	\$10,000
AAS12-1-125	The Singers - Minnesota Choral		Hennepin	\$10,000
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$515,707</b>

\*by county of ACTIVITY

**Total Amount Requested/Awarded - Community Arts  
March SG12-2**

<b>Organization</b>					<b>Amount requested</b>	<b>Amount awarded</b>
<b>Anoka</b>						
Banfill-Locke Center for the Arts					\$5,000	\$5,000
Blaine Parks and Recreation					\$3,000	\$3,000
Copper Street Brass Quintet					\$5,000	\$5,000
Fridley Community Theatre					\$5,000	\$5,000
Lee Carlson Center for Mental Health and Well Being					\$5,000	\$5,000
<b># Applications</b>	<b>5</b>	<b># Grants</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Subtotals:</b>	<b>\$23,000</b>	<b>\$23,000</b>
<b>Carver</b>						
Edge of the Big Woods Art Wander					\$5,000	\$5,000
ISD 110 Community Education					\$3,000	\$3,000
Nordic Heritage Club					\$5,000	\$5,000
Watertown Film Festival					\$5,000	\$5,000
Watertown Mayer Community Education					\$5,000	\$5,000
<b># Applications</b>	<b>5</b>	<b># Grants</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Subtotals:</b>	<b>\$23,000</b>	<b>\$23,000</b>
<b>Dakota</b>						
Capon Art Park					\$5,000	\$5,000
Chameleon Theatre Circle					\$5,000	\$5,000
Dragonfly					\$2,200	\$2,200
Eagan Parks and Recreation					\$5,000	\$5,000
ISD 197 Community Education					\$3,000	\$3,000
<b># Applications</b>	<b>5</b>	<b># Grants</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Subtotals:</b>	<b>\$20,200</b>	<b>\$20,200</b>
<b>Hennepin</b>						
Balkanicus Ensemble					\$4,440	\$4,440
Batucada Do Norte					\$5,000	\$5,000
Dans Askina Turkish Dance Ensemble					\$5,000	\$5,000
Deborah Elias Danza Espanola					\$5,000	\$5,000
Eclectic Ensemble					\$5,000	\$5,000
Grassroots Culture					\$5,000	\$5,000
Hope Community, Inc.					\$5,000	\$5,000
Misplaced Music					\$5,000	\$5,000
Nightpath Theatre Company					\$5,000	\$5,000
Out Twin Cities Film Festival					\$5,000	\$5,000

**Total Amount Requested/Awarded - Community Arts  
March SG12-2**

<b>Organization</b>					<b>Amount requested</b>	<b>Amount awarded</b>
Savage Umbrella					\$5,000	\$5,000
Stevens Square Community Organization					\$5,000	\$5,000
Strange Capers					\$5,000	\$5,000
Swandive Theatre					\$2,080	\$2,080
The Anicia Saxophone Quartet					\$5,000	\$5,000
The Dream Songs Project					\$5,000	\$5,000
The Gateway Mural Project					\$5,000	\$5,000
Twin Cities World Refugee Day					\$4,964	\$4,964
<b># Applications</b>	<b>18</b>	<b># Grants</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Subtotals:</b>	<b>\$86,484</b>	<b>\$86,484</b>
<b>Ramsey</b>						
Beyond The Other Side Of The Eye					\$5,000	\$5,000
Minnesota Brass, Inc.					\$5,000	\$5,000
Minnesota Music Coalition					\$4,950	\$4,950
Sounds of Hope, Ltd.					\$5,000	\$5,000
Spirit in the House					\$5,000	\$5,000
The Francois Rabbath Project Consortium					\$1,760	\$1,760
The Origin(s) Project					\$5,000	\$5,000
Twin Cities Housing Development Corporation-Liberty Plaza					\$5,000	\$5,000
Young Artists Initiative					\$5,000	\$5,000
<b># Applications</b>	<b>9</b>	<b># Grants</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Subtotals:</b>	<b>\$41,710</b>	<b>\$41,710</b>
<b>Scott</b>						
Savage Arts Council					\$5,000	\$5,000
<b># Applications</b>	<b>1</b>	<b># Grants</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Subtotals:</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<b>SubHennepin</b>						
4 Community Theatre					\$5,000	\$5,000
After 5					\$1,905	\$1,905
Brooklyn Community Band					\$5,000	\$5,000
Discovery Arts Council					\$2,890	\$2,890
Maggie's Farm Free-Range Theater					\$5,000	\$5,000
Northern Intercultural Spiritual Experiences					\$5,000	\$5,000
Public Theater of Minnesota					\$5,000	\$5,000
St. Louis Park Friends of the Arts					\$5,000	\$5,000

**Total Amount Requested/Awarded - Community Arts  
March SG12-2**

Organization				Amount requested	Amount awarded	
# Applications	8	# Grants	8	Subtotals:	\$34,795	\$34,795
<b>SubRamsey</b>						
Northwest Youth & Family Services				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Roseville Parks and Recreation				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Three Rivers Park District - Silverwood Park				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Twin Cities Housing Development Corporation - Calibre				\$5,000	\$5,000	
# Applications	4	# Grants	4	Subtotals:	\$20,000	\$20,000
<b>Washington</b>						
Forest Lake Park Board				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Grand Symphonic Winds				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Masquers Theatre Company				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Music Saint Croix				\$5,000	\$5,000	
Washington County 4-H Federation				\$5,000	\$5,000	
# Applications	5	# Grants	5	Subtotals:	\$25,000	\$25,000
<b>Grand Totals for All Listed Requests</b>						
# Applications	60	# Grants	60	Totals:	\$279,189	\$279,189

CORE = \$128,194

Non CORE = \$150,995

**Total Amount Awarded - Community Arts**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Amount awarded</b>
SG12-1-044	Fridlev City Band	Anoka	\$2,740
SG12-1-023	Musikearten of Anoka	Anoka	\$5,000
SG12-1-011	North Artists' Studio Crawl	Anoka	\$2,295
<b># Grants</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Anoka Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$10,035</b>
SG12-1-002	ISD 108 Community Education	Carver	\$5,000
SG12-1-072	ISD 112 Community Education	Carver	\$5,000
<b># Grants</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Carver Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
SG12-1-037	Art And All That Jazz, Inc	Dakota	\$5,000
SG12-1-016	Burnsville Visual Arts Society	Dakota	\$5,000
SG12-1-068	City of South St. Paul	Dakota	\$5,000
SG12-1-038	Eagan Men's Chorus	Dakota	\$2,600
SG12-1-086	Exultate	Dakota	\$5,000
SG12-1-035	International Festival of Burnsville	Dakota	\$4,620
SG12-1-100	IZUN/MIZAN: A Film and Dialogue Series	Dakota	\$5,000
SG12-1-105	Rosemount Area Arts Council	Dakota	\$5,000
SG12-1-009	Velvet Tones	Dakota	\$5,000
<b># Grants</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Dakota Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$42,220</b>
SG12-1-013	Aicoh	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-012	Breann's Gift	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-042	Carlisle Brown and Company	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-057	Christopher Watson Dance Company	Hennepin	\$3,040
SG12-1-096	Global Site Performance	Hennepin	\$4,780
SG12-1-056	Midtown Global Jazz Festival	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-069	Minneapolis Southside Singers	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-075	Morris Park Players	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-060	Nimbus Theatre	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-071	Off Leash Area	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-043	Powderhorn Park Neighborhood Association	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-085	Rosv Simas Dance Projects	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-073	South Sixteenth High Links	Hennepin	\$5,000

**Total Amount Awarded - Community Arts**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Amount awarded</b>
SG12-1-067	Southside Family Nurturing Center	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-041	The Sisters Boil	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-097	TuckUnder Projects	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-104	Twin Cities Carifest	Hennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-062	YouthCare	Hennepin	\$5,000
<b># Grants</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>Hennepin Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$87,820</b>
SG12-1-070	Friends of Swede Hollow (FOSH)	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-053	Hot Summer Jazz Festival	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-026	Lao Family Community of Minnesota, Inc.	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-031	Minnesota State Band	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-024	North Suburban Chorus	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-055	Selby Avenue JazzFest	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-093	The Moving Company	Ramsey	\$5,000
SG12-1-036	The PuppetTellers	Ramsey	\$4,850
SG12-1-054	Twin Cities Chinese Dance Center, Inc.	Ramsey	\$3,800
<b># Grants</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Ramsey Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$43,650</b>
SG12-1-001	Czech Area Concertina Club	Scott	\$4,664
SG12-1-090	South Metro Chorale	Scott	\$5,000
<b># Grants</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Scott Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$9,664</b>
SG12-1-074	Bloomington Chorale	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-021	Chain Reaction Theatre Project	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-059	Cities' Classical Dance Ensemble	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-014	Continental Ballet Company	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-064	Crew 88 Youth Performing Group	SubHennepin	\$3,640
SG12-1-033	Cross Community Players	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-082	Eclectic Edge Ensemble	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-077	Lidia Productions	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-092	Minnesota Symphonic Winds	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-078	Music Association of Minnetonka	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-018	Plymouth Fine Arts Council	SubHennepin	\$5,000

**Total Amount Awarded - Community Arts**

File No	Organization	County	Amount awarded
SG12-1-088	Rimon: The Minnesota Jewish Arts Council	SubHennepin	\$5,000
SG12-1-030	Twin Cities Youth Chorale	SubHennepin	\$5,000
<b># Grants</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>SubHennepin Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$63,640</b>
SG12-1-007	Honeywell Concert Band	SubRamsev	\$3,000
SG12-1-045	Lakeshore Players, Inc.	SubRamsev	\$5,000
SG12-1-004	Mississippi Valley Orchestra	SubRamsev	\$5,000
SG12-1-017	Twin Cities Labor Chorus	SubRamsev	\$3,050
<b># Grants</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>SubRamsey Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$16,050</b>
SG12-1-025	FamilyMeans	Washington	\$5,000
SG12-1-050	Harmonic Relief	Washington	\$5,000
SG12-1-106	Paint on the Water: St. Croix Valley Hto Hop	Washington	\$5,000
SG12-1-095	The St. Croix Jazz Orchestra (SCJO)	Washington	\$5,000
<b># Grants</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Washington Subtotal:</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>

**Grand Totals for All Listed Requests**

<b># Grants</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>Totals:</b>	<b>\$303,079</b>
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CORE = \$ 131,470.\*\*  
 NON-CORE = \$ 171,609.\*\*

## Capital - FY2012

November 2011

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
CA12-1-002	Plymouth Christian Youth Center		Hennepin	\$9,033
CA12-1-003	Yellow Tree Theatre		SubHennepin	\$10,000
CA12-1-004	She Rock She Rock		Hennepin	\$10,000
CA12-1-008	Cross Community Players		SubHennepin	\$6,034
CA12-1-009	Minnesota Chinese Dance Theater		Ramsey	\$9,227
CA12-1-011	Minneapolis Guitar Quartet		Hennepin	\$4,438
CA12-1-012	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$10,000
CA12-1-013	Chicago Avenue Fire Arts Center		Hennepin	\$10,000
CA12-1-014	Irondale Band Boosters		SubRamsey	\$9,736
CA12-1-015	Sounds of Hope, Ltd.		Ramsey	\$4,650
CA12-1-016	Ashland Productions		SubRamsey	\$10,000
CA12-1-018	The Depot Coffee House	City of Hopkins	SubHennepin	\$6,000
CA12-1-019	Sample Night Live!		Ramsey	\$10,000
CA12-1-020	Twin Cities Youth Chorus		SubHennepin	\$5,188
CA12-1-030	4 Community Theatre	Discovery Arts Council	SubHennepin	\$8,076
CA12-1-031	West Bank School of Music		Hennepin	\$9,655
CA12-1-032	Copper Street Brass Quintet		Hennepin	\$10,000
CA12-1-033	Katha Dance Theatre		SubHennepin	\$8,451
CA12-1-035	Walker West Music Academy		Ramsey	\$1,421
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$151,909</b>

## Organizational Development Project - FY2012

November 2011

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
ODPR12-1-003	Tapestry Folkdance Center		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-008	The Moving Company		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-010	Motionpoems	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-012	Young Dance, Inc		Hennepin	\$5,769
ODPR12-1-013	Rosetown Playhouse		SubRamsey	\$7,589
ODPR12-1-017	Chameleon Theatre Circle		Dakota	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-020	Stuart Pimsler Dance and Theater		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-021	Zeitgeist		Ramsey	\$6,966
ODPR12-1-022	Midway Contemporary Art		Hennepin	\$6,419
ODPR12-1-023	Lakeshore Players, Inc		SubRamsey	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-026	Lyra Baroque Orchestra		Ramsey	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-029	Iraqi and American Reconciliation		SubHennepin	\$8,580
ODPR12-1-030	Rain Taxi, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-031	Partnership Resources, Inc.		SubHennepin	\$9,028
ODPR12-1-032	ArtStart		Ramsey	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-035	ARENA Dances, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-037	East Side Arts Council		Ramsey	\$4,000
ODPR12-1-038	Minnesota Theater Alliance		Ramsey	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-039	Minnesota Creative Arts and Aging		SubHennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-041	White Bear Center for the Arts		SubRamsey	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-042	Works Progress	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$9,050
ODPR12-1-043	Kulture Klub Collaborative		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-044	20% Theatre Company Twin Cities		Hennepin	\$1,694
ODPR12-1-045	Fool's Productions		Hennepin	\$10,000
ODPR12-1-051	Red Eye Collaboration		Hennepin	\$5,000
			<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>	<b>\$214,095</b>

## Creative Intersections - FY2012

### CI April FY12

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
CI12-1-003	Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. Park	People for Parks	Hennepin	\$15,000
CI12-1-008	Rainbow Rumpus		Hennepin	\$5,233
CI12-1-009	Footprints Collective	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$14,947
CI12-1-012	Rosetown Playhouse		SubRamsey	\$4,240
CI12-1-019	Lyndale Neighborhood Association		Hennepin	\$15,000
CI12-1-021	Bedlam Theatre		Hennepin	\$15,000
CI12-1-024	Obsidian Arts		Hennepin	\$13,510
CI12-1-025	One Voice Mixed Chorus		Ramsey	\$15,000
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$97,930</b>

## Arts Learning - FY2012

### AL12-2

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
AL12-2-006	StoryBlend	VSA Arts of Minnesota	Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-010	Walker West Music Academy		Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-2-011	Minneapolis Pops Orchestra		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-016	White Bear Center for the Arts		SubRamsey	\$10,000
AL12-2-022	EDM		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-024	Caporn Art Park		Dakota	\$10,000
AL12-2-025	Upstream Arts, Inc.		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-029	In Progress		Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-2-033	Copper Street Brass Quintet		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-037	Twin Cities Chinese Dance Center,		SubRamsey	\$10,000
AL12-2-038	Photography at the Center		Hennepin	\$6,340
AL12-2-044	West Bank Community Coalition		Hennepin	\$7,805
AL12-2-048	Dakota Foundation for Jazz		Ramsey	\$8,925
AL12-2-050	Partnership Resources, Inc		SubHennepin	\$9,247
AL12-2-054	Franklin Art Works		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-055	Riverside Winds	Riverside Winds	Hennepin	\$9,600
AL12-2-056	Women's Initiative for Self-		Ramsey	\$9,809
AL12-2-061	Kaotic Good Productions	Springboard for the Arts	Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-2-063	Bedlam Theatre		Hennepin	\$10,000
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$181,726</b>

## Arts Learning - FY2012

### January

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
AL12-1-004	TU Dance		Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-1-009	Inverted Arts		SubHennepin	\$4,845
AL12-1-014	Threads Dance Project		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-015	Musikgarten of Anoka		Anoka	\$10,000
AL12-1-018	Sounds of Hope, Ltd.		Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-1-019	Flying Forms	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-1-020	Lyra Baroque Orchestra		Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-1-023	Magic Lantern Puppet Theater	Theatre Unbound	Hennepin	\$8,760
AL12-1-031	Studio 206		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-033	Vecchione/Erdahl Duo	Saint Paul Chamber	Dakota	\$10,000
AL12-1-034	Kulture Klub Collaborative		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-036	St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-038	Marcy Puppet Dragons Residency	Barebones Productions	Hennepin	\$7,760
AL12-1-040	Indonesian Performing Arts		Hennepin	\$3,850
AL12-1-043	Plymouth Christian Youth Center		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-047	Eclectic Edge Ensemble	Springboard for the Arts	SubHennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-053	Off-Leash Area		Hennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-056	Walking Shadow Theatre Company		Hennepin	\$4,288
AL12-1-057	ArtReach St. Croix		Washington	\$10,000
AL12-1-059	Mentoring Peace Through Art		SubHennepin	\$10,000
AL12-1-061	Deborah Elias Danza Espanola	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$10,000
AL12-1-066	Young Artists Initiative	First Lutheran Church	Ramsey	\$9,500
AL12-1-067	Keane Sense of Rhythm		Ramsey	\$10,000
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$209,003</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

June

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
1CF12-0-051	Mississippi Valley Orchestra		SubRamsey	\$1,250
MCF12-0-053	Indian Music Society of Minnesota		Hennepin	\$1,500
MCF12-0-055	Upstream Arts, Inc.		Hennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$4,250</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

May

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
ACF12-0-046	Black Dirt Theater	Springboard for the Arts	Dakota	\$1,500
MCF12-0-050	Teatro del Pueblo		Ramsey	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$3,000</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

### MCF12 April

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-039	Twin Cities Chinese Dance Center,		SubRamsey	\$1,500
MCF12-0-041	Kulture Klub Collaborative		Hennepin	\$400
MCF12-0-043	Contemporary Dance Arts		Hennepin	\$1,500
MCF12-0-045	Old Arizona Collaborative, Inc.		Hennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$4,900</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

### March

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
ACF12-0-035	Arcata Press dba Saint Paul		Ramsey	\$1,200
MCF12 0-038	Contempo-Physical Dance Project	Springboard for the Arts	SubRamsey	\$700
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$1,900</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

### February

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-028	Motionpoems	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$1,500
MCF12-0-031	Keane Sense of Rhythm		Ramsey	\$1,500
MCF12-0-034	Hennepin Artists of Robbin Gallery	Banfill-Locke Center for the	SubHennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$4,500</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

January

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-025	Mentoring Peace Through Art		SubHennepin	\$1,500
MCF12-0-027	Northeast Minneapolis Arts		Hennepin	\$800
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$2,300</b>

# Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

December 2011

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-021	Kinship of Rivers	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$1,500
MCF12-0-022	Copper Street Brass Quintet		Hennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$3,000</b>

**Management Consulting Fund - FY2012**

**November 2011**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
MCF12-0-017	Live Action Set		Hennepin	\$0
MCF12-0-018	Open Eye Figure Theatre		Hennepin	\$1,500
MCF12-0-020	Rainbow Rumpus		Hennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$3,000</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

October

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-012	ARENA Dances, Inc.		Hennepin	\$1,500
MCF12-0-014	Caponi Art Park		Dakota	\$1,500
MCF12-0-016	White Bear Center for the Arts		SubRamsey	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$4,500</b>

# Management Consulting Fund - FY2012

September

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-011	Northern Lights.mn		Hennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$1,500</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2011

### August Awards

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
ACF12-0-006	Minneapolis Pops Orchestra		Hennepin	\$500
MCF12-0-008	Hastings Prescott Area Arts Council	ArtReach St. Croix	Dakota	\$1,500
MCF12-0-009	Angelica Cantanti		SubHennepin	\$1,050
MCF12-0-010	Eden Prairie Arts and Culture		SubHennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$4,550</b>

## Management Consulting Fund - FY2011

FY12 July

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MCF12-0-001	Lyra Baroque Orchestra		Ramsey	\$1,500
MCF12-0-002	Edvard Grieg Society	Norway House	Ramsey	\$1,500
MCF12-0-004	Northside Arts Collective		Hennepin	\$1,500
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$4,500</b>

# Management Training Fund - FY2012

June

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-047	Nautilus Music-Theater		Ramsey	\$300
MTF12-0-048	Nautilus Music-Theater		Ramsey	\$300
MTF12-0-049	Bedlam Theatre		Hennepin	\$480
MTF12-0-051	Bedlam Theatre		Hennepin	\$90
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$1,170</b>

**Management Training Fund - FY2012**

May

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
ATF12-0-046	Minnesota Theater Alliance		Ramsey	\$600
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$600</b>

## Management Training Fund - FY2012

April

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-042	Rhythmically Speaking	Springboard for the Arts	Ramsey	\$100
MTF12-0-043	Lakeshore Players, Inc.		SubRamsey	\$169
MTF12-0-045	IZUN/MIZAN: A Film and	Springboard for the Arts	Dakota	\$175
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$444</b>

## Management Training Fund - FY2012

March

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-035	Red Fountain, Inc.		Hennepin	\$150
MTF12-0-036	One Voice Mixed Chorus		Ramsey	
MTF12-0-037	20% Theatre Company Twin Cities		Hennepin	
MTF12-0-038	Northeast Minneapolis Arts		Hennepin	\$169
MTF12-0-039	Rosetown Playhouse		SubRamsey	\$169
MTF12-0-040	St. Louis Park Friends of the Arts		SubHennepin	\$169
MTF12-0-041	Minnesota Creative Arts and Aging		SubHennepin	\$475
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$1,132</b>

## Management Training Fund - FY2012

### February

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-033	Rainbow Rumpus		Hennepin	\$90
MTF12-0-034	St. Louis Park Friends of the Arts		SubHennepin	\$169
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$259</b>

## Management Training Fund - FY2012

### January Awards

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-030	Kairos Dance Theatre		Hennepin	\$298
MTF12-0-031	Kairos Dance Theatre		Hennepin	\$298
MTF12-0-032	Arcata Press dba Saint Paul		Ramsey	\$220
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$816</b>

## Management Training Fund - FY2012

December 2011

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-015	Threads Dance Project		Hennepin	\$440
MTF12-0-016	West Side Theater Project	Nautilus Music-Theatre	Ramsey	\$395
MTF12-0-017	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-018	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-019	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-020	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-021	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-022	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-023	North Star Chorus		Ramsey	\$85
MTF12-0-024	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$85
MTF12-0-025	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$85
MTF12-0-026	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$85
MTF12-0-027	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$85
MTF12-0-028	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$85
MTF12-0-029	Great Northern Union Chorus		SubHennepin	\$85

**Total Amount for all Listed Grants** **\$1,940**

## Management Training Fund - FY2012

October

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
MTF12-0-011	Live Action Set		Hennepin	\$180
MTF12-0-012	Lakeshore Players, Inc.		SubRamsey	\$375
MTF12-0-013	Live Action Set		Hennepin	\$50
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$605</b>

**Management Training Fund - FY2012**

**September**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
MTF12-0-010	Northeast Minneapolis Arts		Hennepin	\$169
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$169</b>

## Management Training Fund - FY2011

### August Awards

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
MTF12-0-001	St. Stephen's Human Services		Hennepin	\$300
MTF12-0-002	Sandbox Theatre		Hennepin	\$75
MTF12-0-003	Sandbox Theatre		Hennepin	\$75
MTF12-0-004	Sandbox Theatre		Hennepin	\$150
MTF12-0-005	Sandbox Theatre		Hennepin	\$150
MTF12-0-006	Frank Theatre		Hennepin	\$300
MTF12-0-007	Rainbow Rumpus		Hennepin	\$60
MTF12-0-008	One Voice Mixed Chorus		Ramsey	\$60
MTF12-0-009	Katha Dance Theatre		SubHennepin	\$300
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$1,470</b>

## Emergency Access - FY2012

May

File No	Organization	Fiscal Agent	County of Activity	Amount Awarded
JA12-0-004	Out Twin Cities Film Festival	Minneapolis Television	Hennepin	\$600
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$600</b>

**Emergency Access - FY2012**

**January**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
EA12-0-02	VSA Minnesota		Hennepin	\$400
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$400</b>

**Emergency Access - FY2011**

**August Awards**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
3A12-0-002	Minnesota Theater Alliance		Ramsey	\$600
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$600</b>

**Emergency Access - FY2011**

**July FY12**

<b>File No</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Fiscal Agent</b>	<b>County of Activity</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
EA12-0-001	River City Theatre Company	Dakota Fine Arts	Carver	\$250
<b>Total Amount for all Listed Grants</b>				<b>\$250</b>

ADA improvement Grant		
VSA Minnesota	216,000	
Arts Achievement Awards		
Rosetown Playhouse	5,000	
Sounds of Hope, Ltd.	5,000	

**FY2012 Next Step Fund Grants**  
**Thursday, June 14, 2012**

<b>Name</b>	<b>\$ Requested</b>	<b>File Number</b>	<b>Score</b>
Wing Huie 08 - Photography Funding for the digitization of the artist's archive of film negatives and the creation of sales website.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-256	9.91
Linda Chatterton 02H - Music - solo/recital Funding to purchase an alto flute.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-139	9.73
James Anton 02 - Music - general Funding to raise the musician's profile by releasing new recordings and implementing a complete marketing plan.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-242	9.50
Paul Herwig 04A - Theater - general Funding for tools and marketing materials to further professionalize the artist's work as a freelance set designer.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-065	9.36
Sarah Kusa 05F - Visual Arts - sculpture Funding to attend a sculptural fiber workshop at Penland School of Crafts, which will culminate in the creation of a small series of new works.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-201	9.36
Carol Johnson 07B - Crafts - fiber Funding to upgrade the weaver's loom to computerized dobby system to expand design potential and increase productivity.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-227	9.36
Anne Sawyer-Aitch 04C - Theater - puppetry Funding to develop an iPad version of the artist's first children book, <i>Nalah and the Pink Tiger</i> .	\$5,000	NSF12-1-023	9.27
Kristin Nelson 12C - Folk - traditional crafts/visual arts Funding to purchase an eight shaft loom and related equipment to weave textiles for folk art clothing.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-205	9.00
Rebecca Pavlenko 08 - Photography Funding to prepare a new book of Japanese Garden photographs for publication.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-102	9.00

<b>Name</b>	<b>\$ Requested</b>	<b>File Number</b>	<b>Score</b>
Kimberly Richardson 11 - Interdisciplinary Funding to attend two workshops to improve the performer's study of clown and voice techniques.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-324	8.91
Paul Rudoj 02C - Music - choral The purchase of two MIDI controllers for in-home and travel use.	\$900	NSF12-1-021	8.82
William Murray 05 - Visual Arts - general Funding in support of an exhibition featuring mature art and a new body of work too challenging to sell in a commercial gallery.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-064	8.82
Randy Reyes 04A - Theater - general Funding to travel to Manila, Philippines to conduct research and write a new one-man show. The project will culminate in a public reading of the new work.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-140	8.82
Ying Moua 01B - Dance - ethnic/jazz/folk-inspired Funding in support of a two-week study of Hmong dance with a master teacher in China.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-040	8.64
Jennifer Davis 05D - Visual Arts - painting Funding to research, create, and document a body of large-scale paintings based on vintage carousel animals and traditional carousel vignette paintings.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-044	8.64
Natasha Pestich 05B - Visual Arts - graphics Funding to purchase screen printing equipment and supplies.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-087	8.64
Rosy Simas 01C - Dance - modern Funding to tour a new Native contemporary dance work nationally and internationally.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-216	8.64
Jordan Sramek 02C - Music - choral Funding for intensive research of 13th-century Galician-Portuguese poetry and song.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-152	8.55
Craig Harris 02 - Music - general Funding for the recording of original compositions to create a CD compilation for use on the web and as a promotional tool.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-155	8.55

<b>Name</b>	<b>\$ Requested</b>	<b>File Number</b>	<b>Score</b>
Tim Gruber 08 - Photography Funding to complete the artist's first short film, on aging and dying in prison.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-322	8.55
Annie Enneking 02G - Music - popular Funding for the mixing, mastering and replication of the singer-songwriter's first professional music CD.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-200	8.36
Jocelyn Hagen 02H - Music - solo/recital Funding to professional record and produce a 60-minute CD consisting of four song cycles of the composer's Art Songs.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-260	8.18
Becky Olstad 08 - Photography Funding to purchase a digital SLR camera with the video capabilities and an external microphone.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-135	8.09
Rita Mustaphi 01B - Dance - ethnic/jazz/folk-inspired Funding for a trip to India to research, study and document Kathak and related arts as it is happening today.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-186	8.09
Jennifer Merchant 06 - Design Arts - general Funding for equipment, tools, and marketing materials to help the artist increase productivity and sales.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-283	8.09
Lacey Prpic Hedtke 08 - Photography Funding to attend a Daguerreotype workshop.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-293	8.09
Daniel Furuta 02G - Music - popular Funding to upgrade recording equipment to enhance the musicians studio recordings.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-180	7.91
Tamsie Ringler 05F - Visual Arts - sculpture Funding to replace the roof of the artist's studio, and to develop new body of work in the new space.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-349	7.91
Shuji Usui 05D - Visual Arts - painting Funding for the artist's first solo exhibition, to be held at Gallery 13 in Minneapolis.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-108	7.82

<b>Name</b>	<b>\$ Requested</b>	<b>File Number</b>	<b>Score</b>
Amy Rice 05 - Visual Arts - general Funding to purchase archival and museum quality surfaces and professional framing, in order to pursue more professional gallery opportunities and increase revenue from sales.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-026	7.45
Karen Quiroz 02E - Music - ethnic/folk-inspired Funding to attend the California Brazil Camp, create online marketing materials, and develop a repertoire of music from Northern Brazil.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-145	7.45
John Bueche 04A - Theater - general Funding in support of an artist residency with New York design firm Fischer Dachs Associates, to inform and develop the artist's work as a scenic designer.	\$5,000	NSF12-1-337	7.45