

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR ALASKA

Grants to Alaska Organizations and Individuals from Fiscal Year 2019 through 2023 – \$9,639,249

Total Number of Awards - 38

Award Highlights:

- The Anchorage Museum is creating a sustainability plan, which includes a review of the Museum's existing energy audit, undertaking a carbon audit, and working with national and international consultants who are sustainability experts in the cultural sector. The sustainability plan will then be integrated into the Museum's existing strategic framework and long-term capital plan.
- Chickaloon Native Village is developing a new digital online archive to preserve its cultural and historical heritage. The project includes the migration and redesign of the Tribe's online collections database and the digitization and contextualization of collections from the CVTC holdings with materials recently digitally repatriated by the Anchorage Museum.

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

Recent Alaska Humanities Forum Highlights:

- AHF facilitated transformative Braided Stories workshops for over 100 Matanuska-Susitna community members, during which participants had the opportunity to explore and discuss the history of systemic racism and build community through shared learning experiences.
- The new Strengthening Communities Grants Program invests in under-recognized but important stories about Alaska's history, communities and cultures. The first round of funding went to 8 organizations across the state.

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