

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR IDAHO

Grants to Idaho Organizations and Individuals from Fiscal Years 2019 through 2023 – \$5,722,817

Total Number of Awards – 22

Award Highlights:

- Faculty and students at the College of Idaho will collaborate with community members on a
 project called Voices of the Treasure Valley. Through this project, they will design experiential
 learning activities related to the diversity of place.
- College of Idaho professor Rachel Miller is writing a book on stage works and the origins of the
 creative economy. Her book will be a history of the entertainment industry in the United States
 focusing on artisans, stage workers, and non-star performers during the nineteenth and earlytwentieth centuries.

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

Recent Idaho Humanities Council Highlights:

- Thanks to IHC funding, The Valley Lions Club in Hazelton scanned 6,562 pages of the First Segregation News (1936-1951) into a searchable and free archive. The newspaper acted as the primary source of news for the communities of Hazelton and Eden. The First Segregation News was only accessible via microfilm at the Idaho State Historical Society prior to this grant.
- IHC hosted its annual week-long summer teacher institute at the University of Idaho. 29 teachers from every region of the state and across the humanities and sciences spent a week together studying this year's theme: An Environment of Hope: Reimagining the Humanities in the 6-12 Classroom

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