State Arts Agency/Regional Arts Organization Survey on Accessibility TA/Resource Needs

Thank you for your commitment to accessibility. The National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) Office of Accessibility invites you to complete this survey to help us identify how we can support you in your agency's accessibility-related activities, including connecting you to other states or regions that have similar interests or activities. With this information we would be able to, for example, connect someone interested in creating an accessibility committee with others who have also convened accessibility committees. Information from this survey will also help us identify the focus of future, optional learning circles and technical assistance needs. Please complete this survey by [DATE].

Your participation is voluntary. You will not receive any compensation for responding to the survey. You may decline to answer any questions you do not want to answer. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless such collection displays a valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The OMB control number for this survey is OMB No. 3135-0130, and it expires 2/29/24.

It is estimated that the survey will take approximately 10 minutes to complete. Please contact Katharine Hayward, Accessibility Specialist, NEA (haywardk@arts.gov) if you have any questions about the survey or need assistance to complete it.

- 1. Does your SAA/RAO currently offer, or does it plan to create any of the following (matrix response format):
 - Accessibility grants for organizations
 - Grants specifically for artists with disabilities
 - Accessibility advisory committee
 - Accessibility resources web page
 - Staff training on accessibility
 - Public-facing training on accessibility
 - Partnerships with disability organizations
 - Other (please describe)

Response options

- We do this now
- We have in the past
- We plan to work on this in 2023
- No current plans

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- Please list any webpage(s) that highlight activities you selected above. (Openended)
- 3. What topics would you be interested in exploring as part of a learning circle with other states and regions? Check up to three.
 - Developing accessibility grants for organizations
 - Offering grant opportunities for artists with disabilities
 - Grantmaking accessibility (testing grant platforms for accessibility, support for grantees with disabilities, accommodations for grant reviewers)
 - Creating a welcoming environment for people with disabilities (i.e. developing an access statement; examples of invitational language; outreach)
 - Creating and convening an accessibility advisory committee
 - Creating accessible events (virtual or in person)
 - Accessibility accountability (with grantees)
 - Other (please describe)
- 4. What topics would you like to learn more about through outside speakers or resources?

5. What state or region do you represent? (drop-down menu or open-ended text box)