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WyAA Arts and Culture Survey Responses

What arts and cultural activities have you and your family members attended, participated in, or supported in the past year?

* Dance, Theatre, Music, Visual Arts.

Considering your own personal background and education, what arts or cultural classes, programs or activities did you participate in?

* Literary Arts, Vocal Music.

What role do you believe Wyoming and/or local government should play in supporting arts and culture to enhance economic and community development?

* The Arts improves critical thinking skills and enriches our lives. WY and local government should support the Arts fully.

What role do you believe Wyoming and/or local government should play in supporting arts and culture to provide a comprehensive education for Wyoming K-12 students?

* The Arts in the schools can improve students learning and thinking skills. This exposure also supports the lack of arts funding in the schools. We should be support funding all forms of art in all schools.

What role do you believe Wyoming and/or local government should play in supporting arts and culture to enhance quality of life?

* Fully support arts to enrich the lives of all our citizens. There is data to support the fact that communities are enriched and enhanced cultural activities are available.

The recently-released ENDOW Report proposes increasing the Wyoming Cultural Trust corpus to \$100 million. Rank your degree of support for this proposal.

*** Supportive**

The ENDOW Report also proposes a Creative Ready Community Grant and Loan Program that would expand state financial support for innovative arts-oriented community projects. Rank your degree of support for this proposal.

*** Very Supportive**

The ENDOW Report also suggests making it easier for Wyoming communities to impose a local tax to build creative and cultural sector "capacity." Rank your degree of support for this proposal.

*** Very Supportive**

For the 2018-19 grant cycle, the Wyoming Arts Council distributed more than \$800,000 in grant funds to local communities. (The total amount requested in 2018 was \$1.45 million.) How do you feel about this level of financial support to Wyoming communities and local arts organizations?

*** Not Enough**