

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

Form 990

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

2023

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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A For the 2023 calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2023** and ending **JUN 30, 2024**

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization Arts Midwest, Incorporated		D Employer identification number 41-1000424		
	Doing business as		E Telephone number 612-341-0755		
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)		Room/suite	G Gross receipts \$ 8,935,724.	
	3033 Excelsior Blvd		380	H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Minneapolis, MN 55416-4695		H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
F Name and address of principal officer: Torrie Allen same as C above					
I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527					
J Website: www.artsmidwest.org					
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other					
			L Year of formation: 1973	M State of legal domicile: MN	

Part I Summary		Prior Year	Current Year
Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: To build unprecedented opportunity across the Midwest by advancing creativity.		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	17
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	17
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2023 (Part V, line 2a)	5	27
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	25
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0.
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	7b	0.	
Revenue	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	8,862,333.	6,562,333.
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	372,594.	390,657.
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	-206,885.	385,719.
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	0.	0.
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	9,028,042.	7,338,709.
	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	5,078,041.	2,650,612.
Expenses	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0.	0.
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	2,300,785.	2,228,025.
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0.	0.
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	261,180.	
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	2,042,953.	1,594,981.
	18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	9,421,779.	6,473,618.
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	-393,737.	865,091.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year 13,146,086.	End of Year 14,690,677.
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	1,720,567.	2,113,495.
	22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	11,425,519.	12,577,182.

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 <i>Torrie Allen</i>	Date 11/20/24
	Torrie Allen, President and CEO Type or print name and title	
Paid	Print/Type preparer's name Deb Nelson, CPA	Preparer's signature Deb Nelson, CPA
	Date 11/11/24	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/> PTIN P01264758
Preparer Use Only	Firm's name Eide Bailly LLP	Firm's EIN 45-0250958
	Firm's address 800 Nicollet Mall, Ste. 1300 Minneapolis, MN 55402-7033	Phone no. 612-253-6500

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: Arts Midwest works collaboratively with private and public arts supporters throughout Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and the Native nations that share that geography. (See continuation on Schedule O)

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 [X] 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 [X] 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 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 \$ 1,576,875. including grants of \$ 544,818.) (Revenue \$ 390,657.) Regional Prosperity: Arts Midwest's Regional Prosperity programs support artists, arts leaders, organizations, and communities throughout the Midwest. Efforts include giving grants for arts events, activities, and projects that advance equity; supporting artist tours; partnering with communities to create artist residencies; and providing services to our member State Arts Agencies.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 2,558,051. including grants of \$ 1,928,794.) (Revenue \$) National Initiatives: Arts Midwest serves the national arts sector through partnerships with the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) and our five sister U.S. Regional Arts Organizations (USRAOs). We manage two programs on behalf of the NEA: Shakespeare in American Communities and the NEA Big Read. Through these programs, we issue grants to organizations to connect young people with the work of William Shakespeare and conduct community reading programs - bringing high-quality arts activities to communities across the nation.

We also work closely with the other five USRAOs to design and implement programs that collectively reach organizations across the United States. Additionally, we provide financial support to the USRAO

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 588,486. including grants of \$ 177,000.) (Revenue \$) Celebrating Midwestern Creativity: Arts Midwest seeks to amplify Midwestern creativity. To that end, we honor, celebrate, and reward innovative artists and leaders in our region through a series of award programs. These awards recognize folk arts practitioners and culture bearers, disabled visual artists, and entrepreneurial arts administrators. We are also home to the Creativity News Desk, a cultural reporting and storytelling initiative that amplifies Midwestern creativity. Through the News Desk, we commission and publish stories that go beyond traditional arts coverage and celebrate creativity in all its forms. We also support partnerships, grants, and learning opportunities for the media field.

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

4e Total program service expenses 4,723,412.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 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>	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ? See instructions	X	
3 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>		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. 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>		X
5 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 Rev. Proc. 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6 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>		X
7 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>		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; 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>		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11 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.		
a 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>	X	
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>		X
c 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>		X
d 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>	X	
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		X
f 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>	X	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	X	
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 and XII is optional</i>		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
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, Parts I and IV</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		X
17 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> See instructions		X
18 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>		X
19 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>		X
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	X	

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22 X	
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 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>	23 X	
24a 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 lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>	24a	X
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b	
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c	
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d	
25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. 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>	25a	X
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>	25b	X
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5 or 22, for receivables from or payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26	X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity (including an employee thereof) or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27	X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties? (See the Schedule L, Part IV, instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, or substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a	X
b A family member of any individual described in line 28a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b	X
c A 35% controlled entity of one or more individuals and/or organizations described in line 28a or 28b? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c	X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in noncash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29	X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30	X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31	X
32 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>	32	X
33 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>	33	X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34	X
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	X
b If "Yes" to line 35a, 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>	35b	
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36	X
37 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>	37	X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations on Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?	38 X	

Note: All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a 91	
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included on line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b 0	
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No columns. Includes questions 2a through 17 regarding employee counts, tax returns, unrelated business income, foreign accounts, prohibited transactions, and charitable contributions.

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain on Schedule O.		
	17		
b	Enter the number of voting members included on line 1a, above, who are independent		
	17		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		X
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	X	
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?		X
b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a	The governing body?	X	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses on Schedule O		X

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

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	X	
b	Describe on Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	X	
b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe on Schedule O how this was done	X	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	X	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	X	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process on Schedule O. See instructions.		X
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

- 17** List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS
- 18** Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
 Own website Another's website Upon request Other (explain on Schedule O)
- 19** Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
- 20** State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records
Katelyn Shehu - 612-238-8006
3033 Excelsior Blvd, 380, Minneapolis, MN 55416-4695

See Schedule O for full list of states

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line 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. 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 the 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, box 6 of Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
 - List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and 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.
- See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(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/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(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) Torrie Allen President & CEO	50.00			X			225,441.	0.	42,619.	
(2) Anne Romens Vice President	45.00				X		123,430.	0.	35,576.	
(3) Katelyn Shehu Chief Financial Officer	45.00			X			139,655.	0.	0.	
(4) Brian Tiemann Chair	3.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(5) Michael Vinson Vice Chair (Until 11/18/23)	3.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(6) Andre Perry Vice Chair	3.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(7) Gregory Volan Treasurer/Secretary	3.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(8) Matthew Harris Secretary (Until 11/18/23)	3.00	X		X			0.	0.	0.	
(9) Jan Rasmussen Member At-Large	3.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(10) Brian Bonde Director (Until 11/18/23)	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(11) Sandi Clark Director (Until 11/18/23)	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(12) Dionne Custer Edwards Director	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(13) Jasmin De Forrest Director	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(14) Craig Howe Director	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(15) Mia Khimm Director	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(16) Megan Laudenschlager Director	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(17) Ailithir McGill Director	2.00	X					0.	0.	0.	

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(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/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(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			
(18) Mary Pickard Director (Until 11/18/23)	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(19) Omari Rush Director (Until 11/18/23)	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(20) George Tzougros Director	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(21) Flavia Bastos Director (Until 11/18/23)	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(22) Matthew Wallace Director (Until 11/18/23)	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(23) Rishard Allen Director	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(24) Christine Her Director	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(25) Cari Hatcher Director	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(26) Joe Williams Director (Beg 3/8/24)	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
1b Subtotal								488,526.	0.	78,195.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								0.	0.	0.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								488,526.	0.	78,195.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 3

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		X
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
NONE		

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization 0

See Part VII, Section A Continuation sheets

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

			(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
			Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1 a Federated campaigns	1a					
	b Membership dues	1b					
	c Fundraising events	1c					
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e	5,183,168.				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above ...	1f	1,379,165.				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	1g	\$				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f			6,562,333.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a State Arts Agency Dues	Business Code					
		900099	384,345.	384,345.			
	b State Special Projects	900099	147.	147.			
	c _____						
	d _____						
	e _____						
	f All other program service revenue	900099	6,165.	6,165.			
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f			390,657.				
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		354,226.			354,226.	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5 Royalties						
	6 a Gross rents	6a	(i) Real				
			(ii) Personal				
	b Less: rental expenses ...	6b					
	c Rental income or (loss)	6c					
	d Net rental income or (loss)						
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	7a	(i) Securities	1,628,508.			
			(ii) Other				
	b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	7b	1,597,015.				
	c Gain or (loss)	7c	31,493.				
	d Net gain or (loss)			31,493.		31,493.	
8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	8a						
b Less: direct expenses	8b						
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events							
9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	9a						
b Less: direct expenses	9b						
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities							
10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a						
b Less: cost of goods sold	10b						
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory							
Miscellaneous Revenue	11 a _____	Business Code					
	b _____						
	c _____						
	d All other revenue						
	e Total. Add lines 11a-11d						
12 Total revenue. See instructions			7,338,709.	390,657.	0.	385,719.	

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).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 ...	2,621,112.	2,621,112.		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	29,500.	29,500.		
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	439,395.	145,814.	252,313.	41,268.
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	1,397,937.	720,969.	541,281.	135,687.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	87,241.	39,002.	40,762.	7,477.
9 Other employee benefits	161,159.	72,413.	74,629.	14,117.
10 Payroll taxes	142,293.	64,391.	64,578.	13,324.
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management				
b Legal	8,233.	3,305.	4,928.	
c Accounting	79,146.		79,146.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	69,397.		69,397.	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)	612,591.	530,620.	71,247.	10,724.
12 Advertising and promotion	72,264.	42,989.	24,788.	4,487.
13 Office expenses	30,152.	21,428.	5,798.	2,926.
14 Information technology	171,516.	120,400.	42,706.	8,410.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	170,926.	73,734.	82,713.	14,479.
17 Travel	264,585.	200,605.	59,993.	3,987.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials ...				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	50,474.	24,599.	25,468.	407.
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	17,247.		17,247.	
23 Insurance	28,052.	11,963.	13,692.	2,397.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a _____				
b _____				
c _____				
d _____				
e All other expenses _____	20,398.	568.	18,340.	1,490.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	6,473,618.	4,723,412.	1,489,026.	261,180.
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing		1	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	2,393,135.	2	2,221,580.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	1,430,497.	3	656,797.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	44,550.	4	372,078.
	5 Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	80,025.	9	77,768.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a 94,060.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 28,569.	82,739.	10c 65,491.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	7,647,887.	11	9,625,876.
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	1,467,253.	15	1,671,087.
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	13,146,086.	16	14,690,677.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	364,489.	17	361,628.
	18 Grants payable	393,846.	18	935,609.
	19 Deferred revenue		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	962,232.	24	816,258.
	25 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		25	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	1,720,567.	26	2,113,495.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.			
	27 Net assets without donor restrictions	8,065,807.	27	8,472,659.
	28 Net assets with donor restrictions	3,359,712.	28	4,104,523.
	Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33.			
	29 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	
	30 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
	31 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
	32 Total net assets or fund balances	11,425,519.	32	12,577,182.
	33 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	13,146,086.	33	14,690,677.

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	7,338,709.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	6,473,618.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	865,091.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	11,425,519.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	286,572.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9	0.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10	12,577,182.

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	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 on Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited 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 separate basis	X	
c	If "Yes" to line 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 on Schedule O.	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Uniform Guidance, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F? _____	X	
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 on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits _____	X	

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

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.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization Arts Midwest, Incorporated	Employer identification number 41-1000424
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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 12, check only one box.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990).)
- 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 agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university: _____
- 10 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.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 12 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 on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
 - a **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
 - c **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
 - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
 - e Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
 - f Enter the number of supported organizations
- g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
Total						

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 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) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	9937771.	14712444.	7209276.	8862333.	6562333.	47284157.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	9937771.	14712444.	7209276.	8862333.	6562333.	47284157.
5 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)						3871756.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						43412401.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	9937771.	14712444.	7209276.	8862333.	6562333.	47284157.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	79,056.	40,125.	89,468.	192,879.	354,226.	755,754.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)	364.	275.				639.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						48040550.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	1,226,581.
13 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here						<input type="checkbox"/>

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2023 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f))	14	90.37 %
15 Public support percentage from 2022 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	91.51 %
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2023. 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		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b 33 1/3% support test - 2022. If the organization did not check a 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		<input type="checkbox"/>
17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2023. 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 VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2022. 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 VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		<input type="checkbox"/>
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		<input type="checkbox"/>

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

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 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) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 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						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge ...						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
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						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2019	(b) 2020	(c) 2021	(d) 2022	(e) 2023	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources ...						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.)						

14 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2023 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2022 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2023 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2022 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2023. 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 - 2022. 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 Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 of Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>		
2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
3a Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.</i>		
b Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
4a Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.</i>		
b Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
b Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
b Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
c Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer line 10b below.</i>		
b Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

	Yes	No
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b A family member of a person described on line 11a above?		
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? <i>If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
11a		
11b		
11c		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.</i>		
2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.</i>		
1		
2		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).</i>		
1		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? <i>If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).</i>		
3 By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.</i>		
1		
2		
3		

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).			
a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions).			
2 Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.			
a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? <i>If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.</i>			
b Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.</i>			
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.			
a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? <i>If "Yes" or "No" provide details in Part VI.</i>			
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.</i>			
2a			
2b			
3a			
3b			

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (*explain in Part VI*). See instructions.
 All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (<i>explain in detail in Part VI</i>):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1	
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6	
7	<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).		

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D - Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	1
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required - <i>provide details in Part VI</i>)	5
6	Other distributions (<i>describe in Part VI</i>). See instructions.	6
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	7
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (<i>provide details in Part VI</i>). See instructions.	8
9	Distributable amount for 2023 from Section C, line 6	9
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	10

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2023	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2023
1 Distributable amount for 2023 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2023 (reasonable cause required - <i>explain in Part VI</i>). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2023			
a From 2018			
b From 2019			
c From 2020			
d From 2021			
e From 2022			
f Total of lines 3a through 3e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2023 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2018 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2023 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2023 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2023, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2023. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, <i>explain in Part VI</i> . See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2024. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2019			
b Excess from 2020			
c Excess from 2021			
d Excess from 2022			
e Excess from 2023			

Part VI **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information.
 (See instructions.)

Schedule A, Part II, Line 10, Explanation for Other Income:

Miscellaneous Income

2019 Amount: \$ 364.

2020 Amount: \$ 275.

Schedule B
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.
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OMB No. 1545-0047

2023

Name of the organization

Arts Midwest, Incorporated

Employer identification number

41-1000424

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)(3) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000; or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year \$ _____

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

Schedule B (Form 990) (2023)

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>4,833,235.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>320,991.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>1,000,000.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ <u>308,005.</u>	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	
		\$ _____	

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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this info. once.) \$ _____
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990.

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OMB No. 1545-0047

2023

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization: Arts Midwest, Incorporated; Employer identification number: 41-1000424

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include total number at end of year, aggregate value of contributions, grants, and end of year, and two yes/no questions about donor property and grant fund usage.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include purpose(s) of conservation easements, a table for lines 2a-2d (Total number, acreage, certified historic structures, and non-certified historic structures), and questions about monitoring, expenses, and reporting requirements.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows include questions about reporting requirements for art and historical treasures collections.

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

- 3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that make 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 program
 - e Other _____
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 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" on 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 XIII and complete the following table:
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

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

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	603,048.	598,024.	579,410.	442,647.	318,827.
b Contributions	150.	4,055.	108,084.	61,913.	105,012.
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	39,037.	15,969.	-77,470.	86,850.	21,808.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	18,000.	15,000.	12,000.	12,000.	
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	624,235.	603,048.	598,024.	579,410.	445,647.

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment 0.0000 %
 - b Permanent endowment 100 %
 - c Term endowment 0.0000 %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| (i) Unrelated organizations? | | X |
| (ii) Related organizations? | | X |
| b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | | |
- 4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. 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
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements		24,010.	7,554.	16,456.
d Equipment		70,050.	21,015.	49,035.
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 10c, column (B))				65,491.

Part VII Investments - Other Securities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 12, col. (B))		

Part VIII Investments - Program Related.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 13, col. (B))		

Part IX Other Assets

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) Refundable Subgrant Advances	885,609.
(2) Security Deposits	13,438.
(3) Operating Lease	772,040.
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 15, col. (B))	1,671,087.

Part X Other Liabilities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 25, col. (B))	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII ...

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	7,705,145.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	286,572.	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	149,261.	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	435,833.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	7,269,312.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	69,397.	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	69,397.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)		5	7,338,709.

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	6,553,482.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	149,261.	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		
c	Other losses	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	149,261.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	6,404,221.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	69,397.	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	69,397.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)		5	6,473,618.

Part XIII Supplemental Information

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, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Part V, line 4:

The endowment funds will be solely to provide initial, catalytic investment for the exploration of new and promising programmatic ideas which address critical needs or opportunities supporting the mission of Arts Midwest.

Part X, Line 2:

The Organization believes that it has appropriate support for any tax positions taken affecting its annual filing requirements, and as such, does not have any uncertain tax positions that are material to the consolidated financial statements. The Organization would recognize future accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits and

**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

Attach to Form 990.

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OMB No. 1545-0047

2023

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization **Arts Midwest, Incorporated** Employer identification number **41-1000424**

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? **Yes** **No**
- 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 Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of noncash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
A Noise Within 3352 E Foothill Blvd Pasadena, CA 91107-3111	95-4443878	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Actors' Shakespeare Project, Inc. 442 Bunker Hill St Charlestown, MA 02129-1718	20-0815685	501(c)(3)	70,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Juvenile Justice
African-American Shakespeare Company - 762 Fulton St - San Francisco, CA 94102-4119	94-3192980	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
Alabama Shakespeare Festival Inc 1 Festival Dr Montgomery, AL 36117-4605	63-0652734	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
American Composers Forum 522 Landmark Center 75 West 5th Str St. Paul, MN 55102-1439	23-7452688	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Big Read
American Conservatory Theater (A.C.T.) - 415 Geary Street - San Francisco, CA 94102	94-6135772	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table 100.

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table 6.

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American Players Theatre Of Wisconsin Inc - 5950 Golf Course Rd - Spring Green, WI 53588-0819	39-1583361	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Barn Raising Media 550 W Briar Pl 3A Chicago, IL 60657	88-2659178	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Barter Foundation Incorporated State Theatre Of Virginia - PO Box 867 - Abingdon, VA 24212-0867	54-6000120	501(c)(3)	50,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Big Lou Holdings LLC PO Box 20734 Ferndale, MI 48220	93-1956940		15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Bloomsburg Theatre Ensemble 226 Center St Bloomsburg, PA 17815-1752	23-2066731	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Chicago Shakespeare Theater 800 E Grand Ave Chicago, IL 60611-5436	36-3467607	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Cincinnati Shakespeare Company 217 W 12th St Cincinnati, OH 45202-7532	31-1413229	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
City of Las Vegas Office of Cultural Affairs - 800 Brush Street - Las Vegas, NV 89107-4005	88-6000199	City of Las Vega	20,000.	0.			Big Read
City of Los Angeles 201 North Figueroa Street Los Angeles, CA 90012-2623	95-6000735	City of Los Ange	20,000.	0.			Big Read

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Classical Theatre of Harlem 1850 Amsterdam Avenue New York, NY 10031	13-4046782	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Delaware Shakespeare Festival, Inc. - 4 S Poplar St - Wilmington, DE 19801-5009	36-4535637	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Juvenile Justice
Eastern Connecticut State University - 83 Windham Street - Willimantic, CT 06226-2211	06-1277820	State of Connect	19,000.	0.			Big Read
Ensemble Theatre of Cincinnati 1127 Vine St Cincinnati, OH 45202-7226	31-1220252	501(c)(3)	14,250.	0.			Big Read
Fishtrap Inc PO Box 38 Enterprise, OR 97828-0038	93-1075971	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Fox Cities Book Festival Inc 801 W College Ave Appleton, WI 54914-5264	39-1636096	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Friends of South Dakota Public Broadcasting - 601 N. Phillips Ave Suite 100 - Sioux Falls, SD 57104	23-7310698	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Friends Of The Homer Public Library - 500 Hazel Ave - Homer, AK 99603-7849	92-0092030	501(c)(3)	11,450.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Great Lakes Theater Festival, Inc. 1501 Euclid Ave Cleveland, OH 44115-2113	34-0901212	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools

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Group I Acting Company Inc PO Box 898 New York, NY 10108-0898	13-2759292	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Hartford Public Library 500 Main Street Hartford, CT 06103	06-6026029	City of Hartford	18,750.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
HolaIowa.com P.O. Box 8188 Des Moines, IA 50301	82-4062708		15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Hope College PO Box 9000 Holland, MI 49422-9000	38-1381271	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Hudson Valley Shakespeare Festival, Inc. - 143 Main St - Garrison, NY 10516-2813	13-3499385	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
Illinois Arts Alliance FBRK Impact House 200 W Madison St. Chicago, IL 60606	36-3177592	501(c)(3)	17,500.	0.			MacKenzie Scott
Illinois Humanities Council, Inc. 125 S. Clark St, Suite 650 Chicago, IL 60603-4048	37-0971586	501(c)(3)	18,900.	0.			Big Read
Indianapolis Shakespeare Company Inc - PO Box 55396 - Indianapolis, IN 46205-0396	56-2609331	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Indigenous Media Freedom Alliance Buffalo's Fire 835 BIA Route 20 Halliday, ND 58636	81-2100844		15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort

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Issue Media Group 5090 State Street Suite D-104 Sagnaw, MI 48603	20-8773719		15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Jackson-Madison County Library 433 East Lafayette St. Jackson, TN 38301	62-6001091	Jackson-Madison	18,400.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Kenosha Public Library 7979 38th Ave Kenosha, WI 53142-2129	39-6091654	City of Kenosha	20,000.	0.			Big Read
Kent State University 800 East Summit Street Kent, OH 44242-0001	31-6402079	State of Ohio	14,100.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Kentucky Shakespeare Festival Inc 616 Myrtle St Louisville, KY 40208-2242	61-6036654	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			Shakespeare Juvenile Justice 2023-2024
Lantern Theater Company 923 Ludlow St Philadelphia, PA 19107-4236	23-2798692	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
LeRoy Collins Leon County Public Library System - 200 West Park Avenue - Tallahassee, FL 32301-7716	59-6000708	Leon County	17,880.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Lewis & Clark Library 120 South Last Chance Gulch Street Helena, MT 59601-4165	81-0398318	City of Helena	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Library Foundation of Cincinnati & Hamilton County - 800 Vine Street - Cincinnati, OH 45202	30-0234776	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Big Read

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Marin Shakespeare Company PO Box 4053 San Rafael, CA 94913	68-0201240	501(c)(3)	70,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Juvenile Justice
Maryland Public Television Foundation, Inc. - 11767 Owings Mills Blvd - Owings Mills, MD 21117-1499	52-1224503	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Big Read
Massillon Museum 121 Lincoln Way E Massillon, OH 44646-6633	34-6001833	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Matthews Opera House and Arts Center - 612 N Main St - Spearfish, SD 57783-2445	36-3652212	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Big Read
McMahon Auditorium Authority PO Box 522 Lawton, OK 73502-0522	73-6104797	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Mechanics' Institute 57 Post St, Suite 504 San Francisco, CA 94104-5020	94-1254644	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Big Read
Mercantile Library Association of the City of New York - 15 Lafayette Ave - Brooklyn, NY 11217-1415	13-1624084	501(c)(3)	19,000.	0.			Big Read
Miami Dade College 300 NE 2nd Avenue Miami, FL 33132-2204	59-1210485	State of Florida	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Missoula Public Library 455 East Main Street Missoula, MT 59802	81-6001397	City of Missoula	10,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024

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Move for America 1396 Lincoln Ave Saint Paul, MN 55105-2214	86-1591260	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Museum of Children's Arts 1221 Broadway # LL-49 Oakland, CA 94612-1837	94-3086749	501(c)(3)	19,000.	0.			Big Read
Museum Of Glass 1801 Dock St Tacoma, WA 98402-3217	91-1669422	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Nashville Shakespeare Festival 161 Rains Ave Nashville, TN 37203-5330	58-1807951	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
National Independent Venue Foundation - 209 W. 29th Street #262 - New York, NY 10001	85-2436574	501(c)(3)	10,000.	0.			MacKenzie Scott
New Castle County Government 77 Reads Way New Castle, DE 19720	51-6000160	New Castle Count	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
New Hampshire Humanities Council Inc - 117 Pleasant St - Concord, NH 03301-3852	02-0317350	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
New Haven International Festival of Arts & Ideas - 195 Church St - New Haven, CT 06510-2009	06-1444222	501(c)(3)	19,000.	0.			Big Read
North Dakota Council on the Arts 105 North 4th Street Bismarck, ND 58501	45-0283965	State of North D	20,000.	0.			MacKenzie Scott

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Nuestra Palabra Latino Writers Having Their Say - 5503 Lawndale St - Houston, TX 77023-3818	76-0610566	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Orlando Shakespeare Theater Inc 812 E Rollins Street Orlando, FL 32803-1203	59-2931698	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Pennsylvania Shakespeare Festival 2755 Station Ave Center Valley, PA 18034-9565	23-2655672	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
Pennyroyal Arts Council Inc PO Box 1038 Hopkinsville, KY 42241-1038	31-0922296	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Quintessence Theatre Company 7135 Germantown Ave Floor 2 Philadelphia, PA 19119-1842	27-0469276	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Red House Arts Center, Inc. 400 South Salina Street Syracuse, NY 13202	22-2366669	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
Rochester Institute of Technology 1 Lomb Memorial Dr. Rochester, NY 14623	16-0743140	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Big Read
San Antonio Little Theatre Inc 800 W Ashby Pl San Antonio, TX 78212-4663	74-1166905	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
Santa Fe Public Library 145 Washington Avenue Santa Fe, NM 87501-2016	06-9420818	City of Santa Fe	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024

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Seattle Shakespeare Festival 305 Harrison St Seattle, WA 98109-4623	91-1512717	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
See Stories 2129 Casey Cusack Loop Anchorage, AK 99515-2810	82-5084384	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Juvenile Justice
Shakespeare Behind Bars Inc PO Box 83 Macatawa, MI 49434-0083	27-3400469	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare Juvenile Justice 2023-2024
Shakespeare-San Francisco 1560 Davidson Ave San Francisco, CA 94124-1418	94-2867269	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
Shelton-McMurphey-Johnson Associates - 303 Willamette St - Eugene, OR 97401-2600	93-1106826	501(c)(3)	19,100.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Sinclair Lewis Foundation 39336 Wild Rose Court Sauk Centre, MN 56378	41-6040034	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			ARP - Minnesota
Sixty Inches From Center 436 East 47th Street 308 Chicago, IL 60653-4106	27-4027320		15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Spirit Room 111 Broadway N Fargo, ND 58102-4925	03-0522500	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Stage Left Players, Inc. 234 E Lincoln Way Kensington, OH 44432-1408	34-1726995	501(c)(3)	8,375.	0.			Big Read

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Tennessee Shakespeare Company 7950 Trinity Rd Cordova, TN 38018-6297	26-2113887	501(c)(3)	50,000.	0.			Shakespeare Juvenile Justice 2023-2024
The Buckeye Flame 6110 Fir Avenue Cleveland, OH 44102	85-0805098	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
The Great Northern Winter Festival 1011 S Washington Ave Minneapolis, MN 55415	81-5138735	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			MacKenzie Scott
The Neo Political Cowgirls Inc 236 Old Stone Hwy East Hampton, NY 11937-1621	83-1091833	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Shakespeare Schools 2023-2024
The Word A Storytelling Sanctuary Inc - 757 E 20TH Ave Ste 370 # 335 - Denver, CO 80205-3295	83-1668794	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Theatre for a New Audience 262 Ashland Pl New York, NY 11217-1110	13-3059081	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools
Tiny News Collective 1500 Chestnut Street 2113 Philadelphia, PA 19102	85-3963369	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			Creative Midwest Media Cohort
Trustees Of The Free Public Library Of The Borough Of Pennington - 30 N Main St - Pennington, NJ 08534-2218	22-3106791	501(c)(3)	10,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Twin Cities Carifest 100 S 1st St Minneapolis, MN 55458	14-1960838	501(c)(3)	15,000.	0.			ARP - Minnesota

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United Way Of Hall County Inc PO Box 2656 Gainesville, GA 30503-2656	58-6011393	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
University of Arizona 888 N Euclid Ave, Room 510 Tucson, AZ 85719-4824	74-2652689	State of Arizona	19,900.	0.			Big Read
University of Central Florida Board of Trustees - PO Box 160118 - Orlando, FL 32816-0118	59-2924021	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
University of Notre Dame 230 Performing Arts Center Notre Dame, IN 46556	35-0868188	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Juvenile Justice
Washington University in St. Louis 1 Brookings Drive St. Louis, MO 63130-4862	43-0653611	501(c)(3)	12,700.	0.			Big Read
Western Arts Alliance 715 SW Morrison Suite 600 Portland, OR 97205	95-3497056	501(c)(3)	17,500.	0.			MacKenzie Scott
White Bear Center For The Arts 4971 Long Ave White Bear Lk, MN 55110-2629	41-1290707	501(c)(3)	23,980.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Wichita Public Library Foundation Inc - 711 W 2ND ST N - Wichita, KS 67203-6004	48-1042418	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			NEA Big Read 2023-2024
Will Geer Theatricum Botanicum 1419 N Topanga Canyon Blvd Topanga, CA 90290-4275	23-7369475	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Schools

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Youth Arts Unlocked 8048 Miller Road Swartz Creek, MI 48473	83-0933133	501(c)(3)	20,000.	0.			Shakespeare in American Communities: Juvenile Justice
Arkansas Craft School 101 N Peabody Ave Mountain View, AR 72560	20-8063604	501(c)(3)	18,000.	0.			Big Read
Central Washington University 400 E University Way Ellensburg, WA 98926	23-7017467	501(c)(3)	16,400.	0.			Big Read
Denver Center for the Performing Arts - 1101 13th St - Denver, CO 80204	84-0407760	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare
Flint River Regional Library 800 Memorial Drive Griffin, GA 30223	58-6001272	501(c)(3)	10,600.	0.			Big Read
Ohio Arts Professionals Network PO Box 10606 Columbus, OH 43201-3232	31-0988109	501(c)(3)	50,000.	0.			Conference
South Dakota Historical Society Foundation - 900 Governors Drive - Pierre, SD 57501	46-0370475	501(c)(3)	6,000.	0.			GIG Fund
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill - 104 Airport Drive Suite 2200 - Chaple Hill, NC 27599	56-6001393	501(c)(3)	25,000.	0.			Shakespeare
Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois - 1901 South 1st Street Suite A - Champaign, IL 61820	37-6000511	501(c)(3)	8,000.	0.			GIG Fund

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Part III can be duplicated 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 noncash assistance
Midwest Award for Artists with Disabilities	9	27,000.	0.		
Peter Capell Award	1	2,500.	0.		

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

Part I, Line 2:

According to our established sub-recipient monitoring policy we have several monitoring methods in place. We require our grantees to submit program information at specific intervals for their award. This includes but is not limited to program calendars, artist contracts, summary reports, and a final report on activities. We conduct a handful of site visits per program and program cycle. We assess risk on the federal programs by requiring registration with sam.gov. Finally, Arts Midwest staff maintain a regular schedule of communication with each grantee via email, telephone,

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and grantee web portals.

Grants and Other Assistance paid to individuals are paid out in the form of awards for recognition of achievements. These award programs have a specific set of criteria that the applicant must meet. Once applications are screened for this criteria, a panel is convened to review the applicants submissions and those applicants who are ranked the highest are forwarded on to a sub-committee of the board of directors for final application review and selection of awardees.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest
Compensated Employees
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
Attach to Form 990.
Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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2023

Open to Public
Inspection

Name of the organization

Arts Midwest, Incorporated

Employer identification number

41-1000424

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on 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 indemnification 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 (such as maid, chauffeur, chef) |

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

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

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" 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 on 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?
- b** Participate in or receive payment from a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in or receive payment from an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

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

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

6 For persons listed on 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?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

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

8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	Yes	No
1b		
2		
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6a		X
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For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Schedule J (Form 990) 2023

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that aren't listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note: The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC and/or 1099-NEC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) Torrie Allen President & CEO	(i)	213,811.	11,630.	0.	14,563.	31,271.	271,275.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) Anne Romens Vice President	(i)	122,930.	500.	0.	8,385.	29,435.	161,250.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
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Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Part I, Line 7:

The President & CEO's bonus is based on the discretion of the Executive
Committee. Bonuses for others are based on the discretion of the management
team.

**SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)**

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 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.
Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
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Form 990, Part III, Line 1, Description of Organization Mission:

(Continuation from part III) . It supports, informs, and celebrates arts organizations and creative communities across the Midwest. Its mission is to build unprecedented opportunity across the Midwest by advancing creativity. Its vision is that Midwestern creativity powers thriving, entrepreneurial, and welcoming communities.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4b, Program Service Accomplishments:

collective to support our shared leadership model.

Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 1a:

The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors shall consist of the four principal officers of the Corporation and the Executive Director of Arts Midwest (non-voting, ex-officio). In addition, the Immediate Past Chair of the Board of Directors shall remain on the Executive Committee for a period of one (1) year following the appointment of a new Chair. After the period of one year, the Immediate Past Chair shall rotate off the Executive Committee and his or her seat may be filled by an additional Board member, appointed by the Chair, who shall serve in an at-large capacity. The Executive Committee shall have the authority delegated by the Board of Directors to act on behalf of the Board or implement directives of the Board. The Executive Committee shall keep regular minutes and e-mail copies thereof promptly after each meeting to all members of the Board. The Executive Committee shall report its actions and proceedings to the Board at each meeting thereof.

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Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 6:

The members of the organization are non-voting and consist of those interested in the goals and purposes of the corporation. Membership is attained upon application.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 11b:

The Finance Committee and management team conducted a detailed review of the Form 990 and supplemental schedules. Following this review, the draft was distributed to the full Board. Filing of this return was approved by the Board during its fall meeting.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 12c:

Each director, officer, key employee, and member of a committee with Board delegated powers shall complete and sign a conflicts of interest policy annual statement at the time of his or her initial election or appointment and annually thereafter. An interested person may make a presentation at the Board or committee meeting regarding the proposed transaction or arrangement, but after such presentation, the interested person shall leave the meeting during the discussion of, and the vote on, the proposed transaction or arrangement that results in the conflict of interest.

Additionally, the Chairperson of the Board (or committee) shall, if appropriate, appoint a disinterested person or committee to investigate alternatives to the proposed transaction or arrangement. After exercising due diligence, the Board (or committee) shall determine whether the organization can obtain a more advantageous transaction or arrangement with reasonable efforts from a person or entity that would not give rise to a

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conflict of interest. If a more advantageous transaction or arrangement is not reasonably attainable under the circumstances that would not give rise to a conflict of interest, the Board (or committee) shall determine by a majority vote of the disinterested directors (or committee members), whether the transaction or arrangement is in the organization's best interest and for its own benefit and whether the transaction is fair and reasonable to the organization and shall make its decision as to whether to enter into the transaction or arrangement in conformity with such determination. Detailed minutes of Board or committee meetings are maintained to document all such situations.

Form 990, Part VI, Section B, Line 15a:

The Executive Committee sets compensation for the President & CEO. For the purpose of setting the President & CEO's compensation, the Executive Committee shall be made up entirely of individuals who do not have a conflict of interest with respect to the Compensation Arrangement. The Executive Committee obtains and relies upon appropriate data as to comparability prior to making its determination regarding the compensation of the President & CEO. Appropriate comparability data includes compensation levels paid by organizations of similar size and complexity nationally, regionally and locally, and current compensation surveys. Detailed documents are maintained of all deliberations and decisions.

The process of determining the compensation of the President & CEO last included review and approval by independent persons, comparability data and contemporaneous substantiation in 2023. The Executive Committee delegates to the President & CEO the authority to set compensation for other executives.

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Form 990, Part VI, Line 17, List of States receiving copy of Form 990:
 AL, AK, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC
 ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI

Form 990, Part VI, Section C, Line 19:
 The organization does not make its governing documents or conflict of
 interest policy available to the public. The organization's financial
 statements are made available to the public through the Minnesota Attorney
 General's office.