

Tulalip Charitable Contributions Funds Distribution Report

NAME OF AGENCY: Skagit River Poetry Foundation

DATE OF AWARD: 2017 Q1

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GENERAL GOALS: Our Mission is to support lifelong literacy and cultural diversity through

the writing, reading, performing, and teaching of poetry in Northwest

Washington schools and communities.

SPECIFIC USE FOR THIS AWARD:

This award went towards programs and operational expenses.

For more information please read the attached report from Skagit River Poetry Foundation.

Hello Marilyn,

Thank you so much for the support of our mission to put poets in classrooms and bring diverse voices to our audiences. Our project is completed and I wanted to share some of the highlights with you. Native poets Jennifer Foerster and ML Smoker participated in over 10 sessions with audience members and read poems and discussed such important topics as: Crossing Borders, The Mess of Love and How Poetry Helps us Live our Lives. Over 500 area high school and college students attended the "Students Only Day on May 18th and over the weekend over 1000 community members attended readings and panel discussions.

This was made possible by the support of the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contribution. I have attached several photos of the weekend. We look forward to attending the Raising Hands 2018 event in October. Warmly,

Molly McNulty Executive Director Skagit River Poetry Foundation http://www.skagitriverpoetry.org







