



**CHARITABLE
CONTRIBUTIONS**

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TulalipCares.org

Funds Distribution Report

Recipient Organization:
Tacoma Opera Association

Address:
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Organization's General Goals:

The mission of Tacoma Opera is to produce Grand Opera while ensuring equitable access and education for all communities, particularly those historically underrepresented in the arts. We believe that classical music and opera have the power to engage our diverse community in meaningful and transformative ways.

Date of Award:	Level:
2025 Q1	\$500 to \$2,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Tacoma Opera Association.

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Board of Directors October 8th, 2025

John Saunders
President

Dear Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions Committee,

Ryan Matthew Porter
*Immediate Past
President*

On behalf of Tacoma Opera, I want to extend our sincere thanks for your generous support of [REDACTED]. We are proud to share that 100% of these funds were used to provide tickets for underserved youth to attend our opera performances and to support our OperaRise Youth Camp. In addition, your contribution helped fund costumes for the 40 children who performed in our production of *Das Rheingold* on October 3rd and 5th, 2025.

Cynthia Branson
1st Vice President

Magaly Balderrama
2nd Vice President

Through this grant, we were able to reach and inspire more than 230 young people, giving them the opportunity to experience and participate in opera, many for the very first time. Your partnership helps us continue making the arts accessible, meaningful, and inclusive for youth throughout Pierce County and beyond.

Heidi Madson
Secretary

Kathy McAuley
Treasurer

Thank you again for supporting Tacoma Opera and helping us share the power of music and storytelling with the next generation.

Jenny Hartley
Fralisa McFall
Teresa Gutierrez
Vic Tomono
Erin Mann

Attached in the email you will find pictures from our camp this past summer and from last weekend's production of *Das Rheingold*.

Thank you again!
Nichole

Limuel B Forgey III
General Director

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Nichole Jaena".

Nichole Jaena
Finance Director

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Finance Director
Tacoma Opera

Silke Harper
*Communications &
Tickets*

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