



Minnesota
Humanities
Center

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Senator Tou Xiong
95 University Avenue West
Minnesota Senate Building, Room 3203
St. Paul, MN 55155

Dear Senator Xiong:

Thank you for the opportunity to meet with you last week and discuss your support for the History Theater located in the city of St. Paul.

The Minnesota Humanities Center (MHC) supports the mission and work of the History Theater. SF374 (Xiong) appropriates \$100,000 from the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund of the Legacy Fund to the History Theater and will provide critical support for the theater. Specifically, MHC supports the History Theater's work to support the 50th year celebration and commemoration of Hmong and Southeast Asian communities in Minnesota.

Please feel free to distribute this letter of support for SF374 (Xiong).

Sincerely,

Kevin Lindsey
CEO
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C: Senator Fong Hawj, Chair, Senate Environment, Climate, and Legacy Committee
Members of the Senate Environment, Climate, and Legacy Committee