



MEMORANDUM

To: Senator FOUNG Hawj, chair
Senator Steve Green, ranking minority member
Senate Environment, Climate, and Legacy Committee

Senator Tou Xiong, chair
Senate Andrew Lang, ranking minority member
Senate State and Local Government Committee

Representative Joe McDonald, co-chair
Representative Samantha Vang, co-chair
Representative Samakab Hussein, co-vice chair
Representative Roger Skraba, co-vice chair
House Legacy Finance Committee

Representative Ginny Klevorn, co-chair
Representative Jim Nash, co-chair
Representative Kristin Bahner, co-vice chair
Representative Ben Davis, co-vice chair
House State Government Finance and Policy

From: Sue Gens, executive director

Date: October 15, 2025

Subject: Interagency agreements and transfers

In accordance with Minnesota Statutes 15.0395, I am submitting this report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the state government finance and legacy finance committees, which have jurisdiction over the Arts Board's general fund and the arts and cultural heritage fund appropriations.

During fiscal year 2025, the Arts Board had interagency agreements with two state agencies that met the \$100,000 reporting threshold:

- The board had a service level agreement with Minnesota IT Services. FY 2025 payments related to that agreement were \$243,748. Legal authority Minnesota Statutes 2024, § 16E.016
- The board had an interagency agreement with Minnesota Department of Administration/SmART program for financial

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management and human resources services. The FY 2025 payments were \$108,150.
Legal authority MS 16B.371

The board had one interagency transfer in fiscal year 2025

- Transfer to Minnesota IT Services to create an Odyssey fund to enhance agency digital accessibility and efficiency through technology improvements. The amount transferred was \$400,000. Legal authority MS 16E.21

Minnesota Statutes 129D.04, subdivision 5, authorizes the Arts Board to contract as necessary in performance of its duties.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions or need additional information.