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Dear Cultural and Aesthetic Grant Committee Members,

Thank you for considering a grant to the Alberta Bair Theater in Billings, Montana.

The 2021-22 season was an unpredictable and very challenging time for the performing arts industry. As you may know, several shows were canceled due to COVID-19 precautions and many patrons were equally concerned about returning fully to live indoor performance. Hopefully we are in a safer environment now and can move forward with confidence.

The Alberta Bair Theater's mission is to bring the excitement of the performing arts to the Big Sky Country through quality programming, arts education, cultural diversity, community partnerships and exceptional customer service. As one of the largest performing arts theater within a four-state region, we embrace both the challenges and the responsibility to provide world-class entertainment and arts education to the people of the High Plains.

Thank you for trusting us to do our job and for showing your continued support!

Sincerely,

Jan Dietrich

Executive Director

