

Dear Friends of Diverse Harmony,

We have some fantastic news to share! After a challenging period during the pandemic, our spirits have soared—and our music is back with a joyful new chapter. Our mission is to offer a safe, affirming space where young people of diverse gender identities and their supporters can shine and be stronger than ever.

We're buzzing with excitement about the revival of our youth choir in Tacoma. With the return of our visionary founder, Rhonda Juilano, at the helm, our choir has started rehearsals this January. Their debut performance will join forces with our flourishing Fluidity women's chorus on March 29th at Trinity Presbyterian Church—an event that celebrates every voice in our vibrant community. (Visit <u>diverseharmony.org</u> for more information)

Also, this July, we're thrilled to send twenty of our inspiring youth back to Camp Burton on beautiful Vashon Island for a six-day creative adventure. In 2016, our talented young performers experienced a magical week at Camp Burton, where they crafted costumes, built sets, rehearsed, and delighted friends and family with a fun musical comedy, "Seussical." We're excited to recreate that transformative experience, building confidence and sparking creativity all over again!

To make these dreams come true, we need your help. Ongoing operational costs, including facility rental, artistic staff payroll, sheet music and insurance, all require financial support from our community. The summer camp experience alone is about \$10,000. Every donation, no matter the size, will help create the safe and affirming environment our youth deserve, not to mention the lasting memories and growth opportunities they will experience.

Please consider contributing to this important program by mailing your donation to:

Diverse Harmony 1111 Harvard Avenue Seattle, WA 98122

Or simply visit our website at diverseharmony.org and click the Donate button.

Thank you for being a part of our joyful journey. Together, we're not just making music, we're making a difference.

With warmest thanks and bright melodies,

Bob Sittig Board President