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The Honorable Nathan Nelson
393 State Office Building
St Paul, MN 55155

Dear Representative Nelson,

The City of Hinckley has been selected as a 2025 grant recipient from the East Central Regional Arts Council's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund, funded through the Clean Water, Land, and Legacy Amendment. This grant will bring music and arts experiences to the community, foster a sense of connection, and showcase seven talented artists from the region. Included is a list of the dates for our Sweet Summer Sounds concert series, and we would love it if you stopped by if you are in the area.

We would like to sincerely thank you for your continued support of the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund. Your commitment to this important program reflects a deep understanding of the arts' role in strengthening communities and enriching our state.

Thanks to your advocacy, local arts programs continue to thrive. The funding supports a wide range of cultural initiatives that create jobs, stimulate economic growth, and make the arts accessible to all Minnesotans. Your support ensures future generations will have the opportunity to experience and contribute to Minnesota's rich cultural landscape.

As a community invested in the arts, we appreciate your recognition of their importance. Your ongoing support benefits not only artists and organizations but all residents of Minnesota, making a lasting impact on our economy, identity, and quality of life.

Thank you again for your invaluable leadership and dedication to the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

Sincerely,

Donald Zeman
Mayor

Enclosure: Sweet Summer Sounds schedule.