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AHB Announces *Weave Presents* as a Fiscal Sponsorship Beneficiary

BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA – Arts & Humanities Bainbridge (AHB) is pleased to announce *Weave Presents* as a Fiscal Sponsorship beneficiary. AHB acts as a fiscal sponsor for nonprofit cultural organizations wishing to obtain 501(c)(3) nonprofit status. This arrangement allows a sponsored organization, while in the process of obtaining the 501c3 status, to receive charitable funds, as well as to offer tax benefits to donors.

AHB can assume contract responsibilities for an organization that does not have 501(c)(3) nonprofit status yet wishes to or is required to have this designation to receive charitable funds. (Another name for this function is “umbrella organization.”)

At the discretion of AHB’s Board of Directors, AHB may act as the fiscal sponsor for qualified arts and cultural community organizations. A qualified organization is one with which AHB would be willing to enter into either an endorsement or co-sponsorship agreement, whose mission aligns with ours.

AHB is pleased to support this vehicle for the benefit of the Bainbridge Island arts and cultural community, and *Weave Presents*, “... a nonprofit performing arts and education organization that hosts international musicians, showcases our local independent arts community, and invites audiences to celebrate the multi-racial, multi-ethnic roots of American culture.”

-www.WeavePresents.org/

Arts & Humanities Bainbridge is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization whose mission is to connect you to the abundance of creativity in our community to empower and inspire. The organization brings art to shared public spaces through its Public Art Committee. AHB places teaching artists in local public-school classrooms through its Arts in Education program. And most recently hosts Currents Online – bainbridgecurrents.com. The new community cultural platform that makes the rich world of island arts and culture easily accessible. Visit ahbbainbridge.org for more information.

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