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Senator Lamar Alexander
U.S. Senate
455 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0001

Dear Senator Alexander,

On behalf of my orchestra, I am writing to express our strong objection to the Limitation of Funds Amendment No. 175, which seeks to prohibit any funds in the economic stimulus bill from going to arts centers. Among the numerous benefits included in this bill, support for the arts is an essential part of our nation's recovery and investment in a vibrant and creative economy-based future.

I urge you to vote NO to Senator Coburn's "Limitation on Funds Amendment No. 175" and to support the arts in the American Recovery and Reinvestment Bill of 2009.

Sincerely,
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