

Please, please - do not forget about Music Haven. It is one of the most valuable nonprofit programs in New Haven, and offers so much to such a diverse group of children. As Mandi Jackson says in the following article, *"to remove us contradicts all of the state's stated commitments, particularly with respect to the arts, to diversity, equity, and inclusion."*

(<https://www.newhavenarts.org/arts-paper/articles/arts-army-rallies-to-keep-music-haven-in-state-budget>.)

Thank you for listening - you **must** make sure that this mistake is corrected and that Music Haven and the children of New Haven it serves are not forgotten!!

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