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Thank You!

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to the Twin Cities Opera Guild for their gift in support of the auditions. Their generosity is a measure of their love for opera and optimism for the future. We have sent out our annual solicitation and are thrilled at the response to date.

Twenty-one...

That is the number of performers we have warming up to sing for us on November 22. We are very excited – no – thrilled about each and every one. Our master class is full. Jonathan Dudley is looking forward to his visit to the Twin Cities and the opportunity to coach our young people in the art of performance. The combination of Melissa Wegner's presentation on the "Art of the Audition," the Minnesota District auditions,

and the spectacular master class makes that weekend a mini-conference in opera. All of this is made possible by your generosity and commitment to the auditions. Again, thank you.

Five...

That is the number of winners the Wisconsin District is sending on to the Upper Midwest Region Auditions in January 2015. There are four more District Auditions in our Region – North Dakota (November 15), Minnesota (November 22), Nebraska (December 6), and Iowa (January 10, 2015). If the performances are as exuberant as the were in Wisconsin we will be in for an exciting Region Audition. Celebrate Wisconsin: the enthusiasm of their committee draws many singers to their District Auditions, and the generosity of their awards is impressive. We are honored and inspired by their commitment to the future of opera.

See You at the Auditions!

Join us and cheer on our young singers on Saturday, November 22, at 12:00 p.m., at Sundin Music Hall on the Hamline University campus in St. Paul. There is ample free parking in the nearby lots.

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