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Focusing on our mission, NSOUL had a great year of Storytelling Events, and partnerships with Community organizations, Schools, and Churches. As follow partnership with: Project Success, Juneteenth and workshops, Jenar, a non-profit supporting a hospital Nigeria Africa, Story Crossroads, Afro-American Historical & Genealogical Society (AAHGS)-Utah Chapter, Utah Division of Arts Museum, and Sororities and Fraternities.

* NSOUL participated in Presentations at:
* Salt Lake Veteran Hospital
* U. S. Forest Services
* Weber State University
* Westminster College
* Story Crossroads
* Salt Lake Living Traditions
* Juneteenth Events
* Marshall White Center

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Number of Programs: 15

Number Served: 1,485

Zip Codes Served: Ogden and Salt Lake City

Number of Teller Volunteers: 10

Number of Paid Tellers: 5

Age Range Served: 3 years and older

Number of Community Partnerships: 7

Number of Grants/Sponsorships: N/A

Number of Programs Free to the Public: 14

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