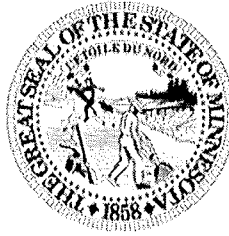


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**Governor Tim Walz**

President of the Senate

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT**

**Uri Camarena**

Congressional District: 5

Because of the special trust and confidence I have in your integrity, judgment, and ability, I have appointed you to the office of:

**Member**

**Minnesota State Arts Board**

Effective: April 25, 2020

Expires: January 1, 2024

This appointment carries with it all rights, powers, duties, and emoluments granted by law and pertaining to this position until this appointment is superseded or annulled by me or other lawful authority or by any law of this State.

Signed and sealed April 20, 2020.



Handwritten signature of Tim Walz in black ink.

**Tim Walz**

Governor

Handwritten signature of Steve Simon in black ink.

**Steve Simon**

Secretary of State

Reappointment

Filed on April 20, 2020  
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Secretary of State,  
Steve Simon

# Application for the position Member (Cong Dist 7)

## Part I: Position Sought

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Agency Name: Minnesota State Arts Board

Position: Member (Cong Dist 7)

## Part II: Applicant Information

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Name: Uri Camarena

Phone: (612) 396-1547

County: Hennepin

Mn House District: 62A

US House District: 5

Recommended by the Appointing Authority: True

## Part III: Appending Documentation

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### Cover Letter and Resume

Type	File Type
Cover Letter	application/vnd.openxmlformats-officedocument.wordprocessingml.document
Resume	application/msword

### Additional Documents (.doc, .docx, .pdf, .txt)

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## Part V: Signature

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Signature: Uri Camarena

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Cover Letter

Minnesota State Arts Board

The purpose of this letter is to apply for reappointment to the Minnesota State Arts Board for a second term.

During the time that I have served on the Board, I have represented The Arts Board nationally, attending conferences in Washington DC (American for the Arts and more recently at the NASAA Conference in Providence, Rhode Island. As a member of the Board, I have been working on the agency's Relocation Committee, The Regional Arts Committee and the Liaison Committee.

I am a Latino man that is passionate about the arts. I am very enthusiastic and interested about our board work on equity and inclusion. I have served on several boards in my last 30 years, most recently as the board chair of the Minneapolis College of Art and Design and currently serving as Secretary of the Latino Economic Development Council (LEDC). I work at the Metropolitan Economic Development Association (Meda) where I am the Director of Business Solutions. Our mission at Meda is to help entrepreneurs of color succeed.

I would be honored to serve a second term on the Minnesota State Arts Board. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Uri Camarena

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