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GRANTS ANNOUNCED

Grant Program:

Populations: Library Services to

Amount Available:

\$100,000

Purpose:

Funds are available to assist public libraries to develop or

expand existing literacy projects.

Eligible Projects:

Program A: Literacy Instruction

Program B: Collection Development
Program C: Family Literacy

Priority for Award:

To be eligible for funding an application must achieve a total average score of 65 points or more. Starting with the highest score, funds will be awarded until all eligible applicants are

funded or funds are depleted.

Deadline for Submission:

May 23, 1994

Authorization:

LSCA P.L. 101-254

Grant Program:

Institutional Library Services: Collection Development

Amount Available:

\$45,000. If the institution has up to 499 residents, the maximum award is \$5,000. If the institution has 500 residents or more,

the maximum award is \$10,000.

Purpose:

The program will assist existing institutional libraries in increasing resident access to a variety of materials through

purchase of appropriate and timely new materials.

Eligible Applicants:

State institutions, operated by or substantially supported by state funds, that currently provide a library and library services for

residents.

Eligible Projects:

The projects submitted must provide direct delivery of library service to residents through the purchase of library materials to

develop the general collections in institutional libraries.

All general collection library materials in all formats are eligible. Projects may not include materials for law library collections or curriculum or instructional purposes. They also may not include items other than materials, such as supplies and equipment.

Priority for Award:

To be eligible for funding, an application must achieve a total average score of 65 points or more. Starting with the highest score, funds will be awarded until all eligible applicants are

funded or funds are depleted.

Technical Assistance:

A technical assistance session will not be provided.

Deadline:

May 16, 1994

Authorization:

LSCA Title I

GRANTS AWARDED

EXPANDING SERVICES IN COUNTY LIBRARY BRANCES

The program will assist county libraries to expand or develop new programs in the library branches. This is a matching grant program; the maximum grant was \$20,000. The successful applicants were:

> Burlington County Library \$5,000 4.317 Ocean County Library

COLLECTION EVALUATION AND DEVELOPMENT GRANT PROGRAM

The purpose of this grant program is to increase access to a variety of materials in public libraries by developing or strengthening specific subject collections in public libraries.

Atlantic City/Linwood/Margate Camden Free Public Library Cumberland/Bridgeton/Millville Gloucester County Library Irvington Public Library Jersey City Public Library	\$25,000 10,000 25,000 5,300 10,000 10,000	Newark Public Library Orange Public Library Paterson Public Library Phillipsburg/WarrenCounty Piscataway Public Library	\$10,000 10,000 10,000 25,000 9,700
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PUBLIC LIBRARY CONSTRUCTION INTENT TO APPLY

The State Library expects to announce an RFP to assist public libraries in the construction of new buildings, additions to existing buildings, or major renovations of an existing building. The grant awards are determined as follows: \$20 a square foot for new constructions and \$15 a square foot for renovation. The maximum grant will be \$300,000. Deadline for application will be in the fall.

If you intend to apply, please complete the attached sheet by May 1, 1994, and return to:

Richard Colucci Library Development Bureau New Jersey State Library CN 520 Trenton, NJ 08625-0520

_ibrary Name:	
Address:	
Contact Person:	Telephone:
Type of project:	
New construction of	square feet
Addition to existing facility of	
Renovation of existing facility of	
Have you prepared a building program?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Have you conducted a community survey?	Yes No
Have you hired a building consultant?	Yes No
If yes, name of consultant:	<u> </u>
Have you hired an architect?	Yes No
Do you have preliminary plans?	Yes No
When do you anticipate initiating construction	on?
Do you have funding for this project?	☐ Yes ☐ No

GRANTS WORKSHOP ANNOUNCEMENT

This workshop is designed for the librarian who has little or no experience in preparing a grant application. It will cover where to look for money (foundations, corporations, government) and how to put together proposals.

Registration will be limited to 30 participants at each session. A map to the workshop location will be sent to confirm registration.

10:00 - 12:00 Time: Library for the Blind and Handicapped Place: 2300 Stuyvesant Avenue, Trenton, NJ May 24, 1994 Dates: May 26, 1994 **REGISTRATION FORM** I wish to attend the Grants Workshop on: If you require special accomodations, May 24, 1994 please call 609-292-6295. May 26, 1994 Name: Library: Address:

Mail this form to Donna Bensen, New Jersey State Library, CN 520, Trenton, NJ 08625-0520

LIBRARY GRANT PROGRAMS

CHECKLIST

Use this form to order the guidelines and applications for the specific program(s) for which you wish to apply. Note that your application must be completed and returned to the Application Control Center by the deadlines indicated below.

Name:	
Library:	
Address:	
 -	Library Services to Special Populations: Literacy Completed application is due May 23, 1994.
	Institutional Library Services: Collection Development Completed application is due May 16, 1994

Please return the entire checklist to:

Grants Checklist Library Development Bureau New Jersey State Library CN 520 Trenton, NJ 08625-0520