

Technical Assistance Meeting: Technical assistance will be provided to all potential applicants on January 31, 1991, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Library for the Blind and Handicapped, 2300 Stuyvesant Avenue, Trenton. Registration is not necessary.

Deadline for Submission: March 1, 1991

Grant Program: Federal Library Aid--
Non-English Language Acquisitions Center

Amount Available: Total amount available for
Phase I--up to \$250,000
Phase II--up to \$150,000
Phase III--up to \$150,000

Purpose: To establish a Non-English Language Materials Center that will provide title recommendations, vendor information, bilingual cataloging information and consultative assistance to the libraries of New Jersey.

Eligible Projects: In Phase I, the grantee must plan for and establish the Center. The focus for Phase I will be popular Spanish language materials. Some of the services the Center must provide are: acquisitions and cataloging, compilation and distribution of book lists, and facilities for on-site examination of materials purchased. Phase II and III will be a continuation of services in subsequent years.

Eligible Applicants: Any public or academic library that is a member of the New Jersey Library Network. Public libraries must meet all Per Capita State Aid requirements. (N.J.A.C. 6:68 - 1.4 -1.6)

Priority for Award: Only one grant award will be made for this program.

Technical Assistance Meeting: Technical assistance will be provided to all potential applicants on January 29, 1991, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Library for the Blind and Handicapped, 2300 Stuyvesant Avenue, Trenton. To register, call Rhonda McLaren at (609) 292-6216.

Deadline for Submission: March 1, 1991

The Grants Bulletin is prepared and printed by the Publications Office of the New Jersey State Library, 185 West State Street, CN 520, Trenton, NJ 08625-0520. Carol Du Bois, Editor.

- Grant Program:** Federal Library Aid--
Toll Free After Hours Reference Service
- Amount Available:** Total amount Available: \$250,000
Phase I: \$150,000
Phase II: \$100,000
- Purpose:** To provide increased access to information by supplementing reference service available from local libraries by offering these services when local libraries are normally closed.
- Eligible Project:** Grantee must provide toll free, after hours, telephone ready reference service during the following hours: Monday - Thursday, 9:00 p.m. to 12 Midnight; Friday - Sunday, 5:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight. The grantee must accept information requests from any member of the public. In Phase I the grantee must plan for and implement the program. Phase II will provide funds for the program to continue for an additional year.
- Eligible Applicants:** Any public or academic library that is a member of the New Jersey Library Network. Public libraries must meet all Per Capita State Aid requirements (N.J.A.C. 6:68 - 1.4 - 1.6).
- Priority for Award:** There will be one grant awarded for this program.
- Technical Assistance Meeting:** Technical assistance will be provided January 17, 1991, to all potential applicants from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the third floor meeting room at the New Jersey State Library in Trenton. To register for this meeting, call Leslie Burger at (609) 633-3805.
- Submission of Application:** February 28, 1991.

Incentive Grants Awarded

Emergency Aid:

Pennsgrove-Carney's Point \$5,000
To assist in replacing books lost in a flood

County Branch Development:

<u>County Library</u>	<u>Branch</u>	<u>Phase</u>	<u>Grant</u>
Atlantic	Longport	IV	\$25,000
Ocean	Manchester	V	\$25,000
Ocean	Point Pleasant	V	\$25,000

Incentive Grants Awarded continued

Cooperative Projects:

<u>Libraries</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Grant</u>
Atlantic County	Improved adult reference service through the use of microcomputer-based CD-ROM workstations in two libraries.	\$5,000
Libraries of Middlesex	Eleven libraries are cooperating to provide library information packets to new mothers.	\$6,000
Franklin Twp.	Six libraries are cooperating to extend family programming.	\$3,000

Individual Projects:

<u>Libraries</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Grant</u>
Allentown	Improved adult reference service through microfilm reader/printer access to local newspaper.	\$3,300
Newark	Enhanced adult programming for Hispanic community using forums, films, performances, book displays.	\$5,000
Paterson	Expanded adult programming through cultural forums using books, films, videos, speakers.	\$4,250
Phillipsburg	Expanded reference service through provision of databases on CD-ROM.	\$5,000
Teaneck	Improved adult reference collection in specific subject area.	\$1,267
Upper Saddle River	Expanded adult reference through access to online database services.	\$1,500
Wood-Ridge	Improved adult reference service through acquisition of a reader/printer and retrospective issues of periodicals on microform.	\$5,000

**Library Grant Programs
CHECKLIST**

Please send the guidelines and application for the program checked to:

Name: _____

Library: _____

Address: _____

<u>Grant</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Federal Library Aid--Hypermedia in Libraries	March 1, 1991
<input type="checkbox"/> Federal Library Aid--Non-English Language Acquisitions Center	March 1, 1991
<input type="checkbox"/> Library Services to Special Populations (See October <i>Bulletin</i> .)	January 11, 1991
<input type="checkbox"/> Toll Free After Hours Reference Service	February 28, 1991

PLEASE RETURN THE ENTIRE CHECKLIST TO:

New Jersey State Library
Administrative Office--(Grant Checklist)
185 West State Street, CN 520
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0520