

Deadline for Submission: July 6, 1994
Authorization: LSCA P. L. 104-254

Grant Program: Tischler Memorial Fund Grant Program

Amount Available: \$92,000—Up to a maximum of \$5,000 will be awarded per applicant.

Purpose: Funds are available to assist "small and needy" public libraries in the provision of new or expanded reference and information services through the use of technology.

Eligible Projects: Purchase of equipment, hardware, software and library materials such as CD-ROM disks, fiche and other formats supported by the equipment.

Priority of 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 for a maximum of up to \$5,000 per applicant until all eligible applicants are funded or funds are depleted.

Deadline for Submission: September 30, 1994

Distribution: The State Library will distribute the RFP and application to libraries that meet the following criteria:

- a. under 10,000 population served
- b. under \$100,000 in library expenditures per year
- c. under state average of \$63,826 equalized per capita valuation in 1993

Elizabeth Breedlove Named LSCA Coordinator

Elizabeth Breedlove has been appointed the new LSCA Coordinator and will also be the consultant in charge of Grants Management for the State Library's Library Development Bureau. Elizabeth is the former head of the technical services unit and has worked with Library Development on various projects over the last 18 years. She will be happy to talk with you and may be reached by telephone at 609-292-9623.

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**Maintenance and Preservation of Library Collections
Grant Program
FY 1994 Grant Awards**

In FY 1994, the Maintenance and Preservation of Library Collections Grant Program was able to award \$150,000 to 16 top-scoring applications. Ten projects were for Program A activities (conservation of specific items or collections), and six were for Program B activities (planning).

Twelve applicants are publicly supported institutions and received \$122,685; four are privately supported and received the remaining \$37,347. Seventeen other applicants passed but could not be funded. The following libraries received awards:

PROGRAM A

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| East Orange Public Library | \$15,000 |
| Conservation and microfilming of East Orange and Essex County maps and atlases. | |
| Helene Fuld School of Nursing, Camden County | \$14,172 |
| Conservation and reformatting of photographs and documents relating to history of nursing education. | |
| Hoboken Public Library | \$11,867 |
| Conservation and cataloging of architectural drawings of the library. | |
| Irvington Public Library | \$15,000 |
| Conservation and reformatting of photographs relating to Irvington history. | |
| Jersey City Public Library | \$15,000 |
| Conservation treatment of Jersey City, Hudson County and area maps. | |
| Newark Public Library | \$14,986 |
| Microfilming of Newark Evening News Index, 1892-1912, and conservation treatment of Puerto Rican Print and Poster collection. | |
| Paterson Public Library | \$15,000 |
| Conservation of scrap and artifactual books relating to Paterson history. | |
| Historical Society of Princeton | \$10,575 |
| Rehousing, moving, reformatting and cataloging of Rose Collection of 8,000 glass plate negatives. | |
| Rutgers University Special Collections | \$14,000 |
| Conservation of 15 wall maps. | |
| David Sarnoff Research Center | \$ 9,000 |
| Conservation and reformatting of books, documents, correspondence and artifacts of General David Sarnoff. | |

PROGRAM B

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| Library Company of Burlington Evaluation of 18th-19th century book collection. | \$ 3,200 |
| Burlington County Library Evaluation of New Jersey Room collection. | \$ 1,600 |
| Parsippany -Troy Hills Public Library Survey of local history collection. | \$ 1,500 |
| Plainfield Public Library Survey of collection of books, maps, photographs and architectural drawings. | \$ 2,075 |
| Rutherford Public Library Survey of William Carlos Williams collection. | \$ 3,125 |
| Seton Hall University Evaluation and treatment of letterbook of Bishop Wigger of Newark. | \$ 3,500 |

Library Grant Programs CHECKLIST

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

Name: _____

Library: _____

Address: _____

Grant

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- Retrospective Conversion Program to Create
Statewide Bibliographic Database

July 6, 1994*

PLEASE RETURN THE ENTIRE CHECKLIST TO:

New Jersey State Library
Library Development Bureau--CHECKLIST
CN 520
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0520

* Note that your application must be completed and returned to the Application Control Center by the deadlines indicated.