

V. LIBRARY SERVICES AND TECHNOLOGY ACT (LSTA)

C.1. Grants - Just-in-Time Applications Received

Because of the agency's funding commitment to the first four phases of LiLI Unlimited implementation, the traditional competitive LSTA grant cycle was replaced with a "Just-in-Time" application process. Under the process, only those applications requesting more than \$10,000 in LSTA funds are forwarded to the Board of Library Commissioners for consideration.

One Just-in-Time application for more than \$10,000 was received since the June Commissioners meeting. The application from Ada Community Library was distributed to you by mail.

- Summary of the Ada Express project, off-site materials delivery and return:
"Ada Express would be an off site library materials pick-up locker and return unit located outside a business readily accessible by and convenient to library patrons. Ada Express would take library materials to those locations and allow patrons to pick up those materials according to their own schedules. It provides an option for patrons who are unable to get to a library branch when it is open or find the distance to a branch problematic. The proposed project expects to expand access to library materials by the underserved cardholders of all ages and encourages the use of library materials by making access easier. The library also expects to increase the number of cardholders and library users."

A summary of comments from the staff and Advisory Council reviews appears below. Both staff and the LSTA Advisory Council recommend the application be approved.

The complete list of Just-in-Time applications received since the June meeting appears below.

Suggested motion: I move that the FY2006 Just-in-Time grant application "Ada Express" submitted by the Ada Community Library be approved in accordance with the conditions stated in the State Librarian's notification of award and grant agreement, and with the stipulation that the applicant secure signed contracts with its partners before ordering or purchasing equipment.

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Grant Application Evaluation Summary

ICFL Staff recommendation: Fund – unanimous, with the stipulation that the applicant secure signed contracts with its partners before ordering or purchasing equipment.

Plus	Delta
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is a great pilot project particularly because of traffic and the vastness of the county. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not serving the socio economic underserved.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is a good marketing tool for other projects. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cost of installation not included in budget.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Serving the geographic underserved 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifying just 2 convenient locations might be difficult.

Advisory Council recommendation: Fund – unanimous, with stipulation that the applicant secure signed contracts with its partners before ordering or purchasing equipment.

Plus	Delta
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The applicant definitely established the need. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Did not identify how electrical and concrete pad will be installed and not in budget.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Application is well written 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Need to get contract with partners signed before they purchase equipment.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is a great project. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I wish this was available in my area. 	

LSTA applications received since June 8, 2007 under the Just-In-Time grant process:

APPLICANT & PROJECT	LSTA REQUEST	EVALUATION & STATUS
Ada Community Library • Ada Express: Off-site materials delivery and return	\$17,504.00	Staff review Advisory Council committee review Recommended for funding
Eagle Middle School (Meridian School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (DeHart)	\$808.80	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Heritage Middle School (Meridian School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Brandt)	\$837.16	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Meridian Middle School (Meridian School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Nichols)	\$639.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Eagle High School (Meridian School District) • 1 st Time attendance - AASLC (Johnson)	\$809.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Lewis Clark Middle School (Meridian School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Cowley)	\$900.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Wood River Middle School (Blaine County School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Tabor Boesch)	\$900.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Idaho State Historical Society • MLS Fall 2007 (Vecchoine)	\$1,000.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Idaho State Historical Society • MLS Fall 2007 (Garrick)	\$785.25	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Twin Falls Public Library • MLS Fall 2007 (Ash)	\$1,000.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding

APPLICANT & PROJECT	LSTA REQUEST	EVALUATION & STATUS
Horseshoe Bend School Library • FLSPD (May)	\$293.13	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Post Falls High School • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Edmonds)	\$900.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Garden City Public Library • MLS (Eisler)	\$1,000.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Ada Community Library • MLS Fall 2007 (Hasler)	\$1,000.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Ada Community Library • MLS Fall 2007 (Baker)	\$1,000.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Ada Community Library • FLSPD (Warns)	\$1,000.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Orofino High School (Orofino Jt. School District 171) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Baggett)	\$799.47	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Boise Public Library • 1 st Time attendance – Association of Bookmobile (Courtney)	\$900.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Burley Public Library • FLSPD (Nay)	\$325.86	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Timberline Schools (Orofino School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Lange)	\$900.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Jerome Public Library • 1 st Time attendance – ILA (Burnett)	\$483.86	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding

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Jerome Public Library • 1 st Time attendance – ILA (Cherry)	\$283.83	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Prairie River Library District • U of I Book Blitz (Lee)	\$613.50	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Clearwater District Library • U of I Book Blitz (Player)	\$526.90	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Lewiston City Library • U of I Book Blitz (Lefvenborg)	\$398.94	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Coeur d’Alene Public Library • U of I Book Blitz (Thorpe)	\$835.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Hillside Junior High School (Boise School District) • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Taylor)	\$900.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Coeur d’Alene School District • 1 st Time attendance – AASLC (Burgeson)	\$730.00	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding
Clearwater District Library • U of I Book Blitz (Summerfield)	\$772.50	Staff review Recommended and approved for funding

AASLC – American Association of School Librarians Conference
FLSPD – Formal Library Science Professional Development (non-MLS courses)