

City of New Braunfels, Texas

Legislation Text

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SUBJECT:

Approval to apply for a sub-award of the Grants to States Program from the Texas State Library and Archives Commission's federal funder, Institute of Museum and Library Services to be applied to Interlibrary Loan Lends program costs incurred during State Fiscal Year 2017, and authorizing the City Manager to execute all contract documents associated with the grant and accept funds if awarded

BACKGROUND / RATIONALE:

The New Braunfels Public Library continues to participate in statewide resource sharing and helping meet the information needs of Texans through participating in interlibrary loan lends (ILL). The New Braunfels Public Library is eligible to receive a reimbursement payment from the Texas State Library and Archives Commission for interlibrary loan lends made to Texas public libraries in State Fiscal Year 2017.

Based on the number of lends provided by our library last year (743), and the available funding of \$7.07 per lend, the New Braunfels Public Library estimates to receive a reimbursement payment of \$5,253.01.

The deadline to participate is June 30, 2017, and payment will be dispersed electronically to by December 2017. These funds are to offset expenditures that took place during the State Fiscal Year which runs from September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2017.

ADDRESSES A NEED/ISSUE IN A CITY PLAN OR COUNCIL PRIORITY:

X	Yes	City Plan/Council Priority:	Strategic Priorities: Infrastructure Objective 1a - Use
			a variety of funding sources for operational and capital
			needs.

FISCAL IMPACT:

These funds are to offset expenditures and there is no match requirement.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval to apply for a sub-award (or pass through award) of the Grants to States program from the Texas State Library and Archives Commission's federal funder, Institute of Museum

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and Library Services (IMLS) to be applied to ILL costs incurred during SFY2017 (September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2017) and authorizing the City Manager to accept funds and to execute all contract documents associated with the grant if awarded.