



City of Boynton Beach Agenda Item Request Form

Meeting Date: 07/ 7/2026

Proposed Resolution No. R26-112- Ratifying the application and approving the agreement for the Library Services and Technology Grant between the City and the State of Florida in the amount of \$29,080, and executing all future documents associated with the grant, subject to the review of the City Attorney's office.

Requested Action: Staff recommends approval of the proposed Resolution No. R26-112.

Explanation of Request:

The City of Boynton Beach has been awarded the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) Grant for the Connecting Community to Collections project. The Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) is a competitive major federal grant program for libraries. The LSTA is administered by the Florida Department of State, and will provide \$29,080 in grant funds, with a required local match of \$9,874 through in-kind services. The project will upgrade public access technology and expand digital access to the Boynton Beach Local History Archives collection and the genealogy database FamilySearch, in celebration of America250. The grant period runs through September 30, 2026.

The agreement is on the State's template and requires the City to indemnify the grantor.

How will this affect city programs or services?

This ratification will authorize the receipt of the LSTA grant award. The project will upgrade public access technology and connect the community to the library's Local History Archives collection and genealogy database.

Account Line Item and Description:

LSTA Grant accounts.

Fiscal Impact:

The LSTA grant provides \$29,080 in federal funds to the Boynton Beach City. The required local match of \$9,874 will be met through in-kind staff time of existing City library employees.

Attachments:

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