

April 3, 2026

Michael Lambert
City Librarian
San Francisco Public Library
100 Larkin Street
San Francisco, CA 94102

Dear Librarian Lambert,

On behalf of our Board of Directors, I am pleased to inform you that Friends of the San Francisco Public Library has approved funding for the requests you submitted for Fiscal Year 2026-2027 totaling **\$1,121,960**.

Included in this total is **\$642,000** in unrestricted support for programs and resources. In addition to these unrestricted funds, **\$479,960** will be available through donor-restricted funds that Friends holds. Funds granted in this cycle become available at the beginning of the new fiscal year, beginning July 1, 2026.

We appreciate the assessment and reporting done by you and your staff during the past year to measure and reflect their impact, both on the Library and the community which it serves. This information helps Friends seek additional funding for these programs and gives our Board and donors a clear and compelling picture of the effects of their generosity.

We look forward to Friends being acknowledged on all materials developed through our funding as well as at programs in the libraries and to continuing to receive any evaluations or other measures of the programs. Thank you for this opportunity to support San Francisco Public Library—the City’s greatest public shared asset. We look forward to a wonderful year!

Best regards,



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CC: Rebecca Charnas Grant, Chair of the Board of Directors
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