

1 [Accept-Expend Federal/State Pass Through Grant]

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3 **Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Library to accept and expend a grant**  
4 **in the amount of \$13,815 from the California State Library as part of the Federal Library**  
5 **Services and Technology Act (LSTA) for reimbursing tuition expenses of library**  
6 **employees pursuing a degree or certificate in library science at an institution of higher**  
7 **education.**

8 WHEREAS, The California State Library's Public Library Staff Education Program is  
9 dedicated to providing tuition reimbursement for library staff pursuing a degree or certification  
10 in Library Science; and,

11 WHEREAS, Ten non-professional employees of the Public Library applied to the  
12 California State Library to participate and receive specific tuition reimbursement amounts and  
13 six were accepted into the program; and,

14 WHEREAS, The California State Library has awarded \$13,815 to the Public Library to  
15 reimburse the students/employees for Fall 2002, Spring 2003, and Summer 2003 tuition fees;  
16 and,

17 WHEREAS, Students/employees will provide official transcripts and registration fee  
18 receipts as evidence of completing said classes prior to receiving reimbursement; and,

19 WHEREAS, The Public Library has a goal of promoting equal access to professional  
20 development opportunities for all employees; and,

21 WHEREAS, The grant budget includes provision for indirect costs of \$1,256; now,  
22 therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, That the Public Library be authorized to accept and expend \$13,815  
24 awarded by the California State Library to reimburse Library Science education tuition fees for  
25 participating employees.

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