

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION



MEETING DATE: November 30, 2021

ITEM NUMBER: 9.H

SECOND READING:

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TYPE OF ITEM: Consent

PRESENTED BY:

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SUBJECT/AGENDA TITLE:

A Resolution Of The Longmont City Council Approving The Intergovernmental Agreement Between The City And The State Of Colorado For A Library Grant

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

State Grants to Libraries are provided by the Colorado State Library to enable public libraries, school libraries and academic libraries obtain educational resources they would otherwise be unable to afford, to the end that the state will receive the corresponding benefits of a better educated and informed population. Grant amounts are determined by population served. The Longmont Public Library is eligible to spend up to \$27,339 prior to June 15, 2022. The grant is a draw-down grant, and grant funds are dispersed after purchases are made and documented. The Library plans to purchase subscription databases and self-contained audiobook and video e-book devices to add to its collection.

COUNCIL OPTIONS:

1. Approve Resolution and authorize the Mayor to sign the Intergovernmental Agreement.
2. Do not approve Resolution and provide other direction to City staff.

RECOMMENDED OPTIONS:

Approve Resolution and authorize the Mayor to sign the Intergovernmental Agreement for a \$23,339 grant from the Colorado State Library to the Longmont Public Library.

FISCAL IMPACT & FUND SOURCE FOR RECOMMENDED ACTION:

The grant amount for 2021-2022 is \$27,339. The grant does not require any matching funds.

BACKGROUND AND ISSUE ANALYSIS: N/A

ATTACHMENTS:

Att 1 – Resolution

Att 2 – Intergovernmental Agreement

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Att 3 – Public Library Grant Eligibility Form FY 2021-2022 State Grants to Libraries Colorado State Library

Att 4 - Final Funding Allocation: State Grants for Libraries 2021-2022

Att 5 - FY 2021-2022 State Grants to Libraries Public Library Guidelines