2010 LSTA Sub-Grants Awards Summary

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2010 Technology Sub-Grants

Funding for the 2010 LSTA Technology sub-grant program was increased to \$225,000 to aid public libraries working to meet upcoming Public Library Standards for technology. The Indiana State Library received 43 applications for Technology subgrants, requesting more than \$328,000 in LSTA funds.

Thirty libraries received grants, for a total award of over \$225,000. The awards were distributed among 26 public libraries, two academic libraries, and two school media centers. Projects ranged from adding public access computers to meet technology standards to developing mobile laptop classrooms for computer skills training.

Library	Project Title	Project Description	Award
Beech Grove Public Library	Technology Lab Update	Update computer lab for improved and expanded computer training	\$10,000
Bourbon Public Library	Technology Access Improvement	Increase the number of public access computers for general use and classes	\$4,384
Bremen Public Library	Internet Management	Install session management system for public computers	\$5,594
Brownsburg Public Library	Interactive Tour Guide	Develop interactive MP3-based library tours	\$3,500
Cambridge City Public Library	New Library Technology	Update aging public access computers	\$10,000
Castle South Middle School	Laptops for the Library	Laptop computers and charging cart for class and library visitors	\$9,887
Dubois County Contractual Public Library	Access to Technology	Increase the number of public access computers	\$9,420
Eckhart Public Library	A.W.ESUM Advances for EPL Kids	Early literacy computer stations for children	\$10,000
Frankfort Community Public Library	Teen Area Laptops	Laptops for teen area and teen programs	\$5,850
Hamilton North Public Library	Patron Computer Lab and Computer Upgrades	Update and increase the number of computer workstations	\$6,680
Hammond Public Library	WiFi at the Library	Install system-wide wireless network	\$5,764
Indiana State University	Adaptive Technology Workspace	Provide adaptive technology computer workstation for the visually impaired	\$8,887
IUPUI	University Library Laptop/Group Study IT Project	Install flat-screen computer monitors for collaborative laptop work	\$9,956
Jackson County Public Library	LSTA Technology Grant for Notebook Computers	Provide netbook computers for checkout and in-house circulation	\$8,629
Jennings County Public Library	Community Learning Center	Provide computers for the newly formed Learning Center	\$10,000
Lawrenceburg Public Library District	Ebooks	Circulate Ebooks and Ereaders for the tech-savvy and the visually impaired	\$9,100

Linton Public Library	Three-Phased Patron Access Improvement	Program room enhancement, circulation equipment for resource sharing, and public computer update	\$5,303
Loogootee Public Library	Mobile Laptop Computer Lab and Training Project	Equipment and instructors to create a mobile computer classroom	\$7,905
Madison-Jefferson County Public Library	Kids' Computers for Hanover	Provide public access and early literacy computers for children	\$6,220
Marion Public Library	Reference Public Computer Expansion Project	Expand the reference public computer area with updated computers	\$5,148
Morgan County Public Library	Enhancing Patron Computer Skills with a Mobile Laptop Lab	Create mobile laptop lab for patron computer training	\$10,000
Ohio County Public Library	Mobile Computer Lab Additions	Create mobile laptop lab for patron training and in-house lending	\$10,000
Pendleton Community Public Library	Creating a Tech-Savvy Pendleton	Update and expand mobile laptop lab for patron computer training	\$10,000
Shoals Jr-Sr High School	Digital Savvy Technology	Provide laptops and media equipment to support information literacy	\$9,658
Union County Public Library	2010 LSTA Technology Grant	Update aging public access computers	\$5,076
Vigo County Public Library	Public Service Laptop Replacement	Update aging mobile laptop lab for outreach and offsite training	\$8,144
Waterloo Grant Township Public Library	PC Access Control	Install session management system for public computers	\$3,596
Wells County Public Library	In-House Circulating Netbooks for Public Internet Access	Provide public access netbook computers for in-house lending	\$9,962
West Lebanon-Pike Township Public Library	Implementation of Evergreen	Provide circulation equipment for library resource sharing	\$1,790
Westfield Washington Public Library	Updating and Expanding Public Access Technology	Provide additional public access computers and wireless to meet Standards	\$6,000

2010 Digitization Sub-Grants

Funds in the amount of \$150,000 were allocated to the 2010 Digitization sub-grant program. The Indiana State Library received 14 applications for Digitization grants, requesting over \$257,000 in LSTA funds. Nine libraries were selected for sub-grant awards. These nine grants were distributed between six academic libraries and three public libraries.

Library	Project Title	Project Description	Award
Butler University	The Sunflower Family from the Friesner Herbarium	Continue to digitize specimen sheets from the Friesner Herbarium collection focusing on the Sunflower Family	\$19,962
Eckhart Public Library	DeKalb County Civil War Era Resources Project	Collaborate with the LaGrange County Public Library to digitize Civil War era local newspapers	\$13,650
Indiana State University	Vigo County, Indiana, Civil War Sesquicentennial Project	Digitize Civil War items from Vigo County Public Library, the Vigo County Historical Society, and the Sisters of Providence of Saint Mary-of-the-Woods Archive	\$17,590
IUPUI	Civil War Home Front in Indiana	Digitize materials from Civil War collections at the Indiana Historical Society	\$19,720
IUPUI	Digitization of Governor Morton Telegraph Slips	Digitize State Archives "slips" to accompany already- digitized Governor Morton Telegraph Books	\$15,895
Knox County Public Library	KCPL Digitization of the Knox County Register of Negro Slaves, 1805-1807, and Knox County Probate Records, 1816-1820	Digitize the Knox County Register of Negro Slaves, 1805-1807, and the Knox County probate records from the period 1816 -1820	\$16,700
Monroe County Public Library	At War and At Home: Monroe County Timeline (1855 – 1875)	Digitize Civil War era materials in collaboration with the Lilly Library, the Wylie House Museum, and the Monroe County Historical Society	\$19,705
Purdue University	The State of Hoosier Agriculture in the Pre- and Post-Civil War Years: Digitizing the Indiana Farmer	Digitize 66 volumes of the Indiana Farmer, published from 1851 to 1917	\$19,825
University of Southern Indiana	Evansville Digital History	Digitize the Evansville Argus newspaper, published from 1938 to 1943	\$6,957