

## **LSTA Grant Award Report**

The following LSTA grants totaling \$285,465 were awarded in the Long Term Winter 2010 Grant Call.

### **Cooperation - \$63,157**

#### **Jefferson County Library - \$3,959**

The Jefferson County Library, Jefferson College Television (JCTV) and Jefferson County University of Missouri Extension Center will partner to create a video documenting three generations of families living on Century Farms in Jefferson County. This is the second in a series of videos concentrating on post-World War II history and change in Jefferson County.

#### **Kansas City Public Library - \$15,640**

The Library will launch a pilot program to bring health related information, workshops, and seminars to persons served by the Lucile H. Bluford Branch.

#### **Springfield-Greene County Library - \$43,558**

This project will deliver job and computer skills training programs to three rural branches and three city branches. This is year two of a pilot project.

### **Spotlight on Literacy - \$39,501**

#### **Moniteau County Library Districts – California Subdistrict - \$9,544**

The Library will offer English language skill development programs to the community's growing Hispanic population. A foundational piece of the programming will involve use of the Rosetta Stone software. Two introductory 8-week classes will meet twice weekly in the Fall 2010 and Spring 2011. The software will also be used at regularly scheduled ESL, Citizenship, and Homework Help classes that meet at the library.

#### **Morgan County R-1 School Library - \$9,976**

The Library will hold monthly Reading Adventure Nights at each of the three communities in the Morgan County R-1 School District: Ivy Bend, Stover and Florence. The program will consist of stories read aloud, songs, crafts, snacks and door prizes for children age three to grade six.

#### **Southern Reynolds County R-2 School - \$9,981**

The Library will continue its GED Online Study Group program by keeping the library open one day a week for five hours for those studying for their GED. Child care is available for those who need it.

#### **Pickler Memorial Library, Truman State University - \$10,000**

The Library is requesting grant funds to support the Children's Literature Festival to be held on the Truman campus in April 2011. The primary goal of the Festival is to promote literacy in children in grades 4-6 in Northeast Missouri by stimulating their interest in reading and literature.

## **Technology Ladder - \$182,807**

### **Barton County Library - \$10,050**

The Library will replace outdated servers and upgrade its automation software. This will allow for a quicker response time on the network and an improved online public access catalog.

### **Canton Public Library - \$11,171**

The Library will automate its cataloging and circulation system and provide an online public access catalog to better serve the public. The vendor will be Follet. The automation software product is Destiny. The library is using a hosted option. Additionally, three staff computers that are outdated will be replaced.

### **Carrollton Public Library - \$25,125**

The Library will upgrade its videoconferencing site to include HD technology and add host site equipment to be able to initiate presentations. Outside technical support will be used for installation and training.

### **Joplin Public Library - \$29,992**

Thirty-two computers in the lab, dedicated database computers, and patron catalog computers, and one printer will be replaced. The project will standardize and update the computers used by the public, providing for a more efficient and effective network. Temporary, part-time staff will assist with setup, configuration and installation.

### **Rolling Hills Consolidated Library - \$19,260**

The Library will migrate from the Sirsi Unicorn to the KOHA integrated library system. A server will also be purchased as the server used for the Library's current library system is outdated and out of warranty. An outside vendor will provide KOHA installation, data migration, customization, training, and technical support for one year.

### **Saint Louis County Library - \$56,295**

The Library will purchase an interior Bookreturn with 5-way sorter and an additional book return unit to assist with book check-in and sorting. These items will be used at the Daniel Boone Branch of the Saint Louis County Library. The library is completing its RFID initiative and the automated materials handling system would complement that initiative, making better use of staff time and getting returned materials back into circulation more quickly.

### **Texas County Library - \$30,914**

The Library will install multi-function copiers, Pharos time and print management software and server, barcode readers, barcode printers, updated server software and replace eight staff computers, to improve the library's technology infrastructure. This will provide a consistent technology infrastructure that will be easier to manage and provide equitable access to the network. Internal and external technical support will install the items on the network.