

**Technology Mini-Grants
Awarded February 2020**

Barry-Lawrence Regional Library - \$15,270

Barry-Lawrence Regional Library will replace twenty staff computers and monitors to ensure smooth continuity of its technology-based services.

Bloomfield Public Library - \$2,575

Bloomfield Public Library will replace its outdated library automation software and two computers to better meet current staff and patron needs and expectations.

Camden County Library District - \$7,434

Camden County Library will replace four early literacy stations to improve services to early learners.

Cameron Public Library - \$4,344

Cameron Public Library will replace an outdated multifunction printer and two staff computers that are near obsolescence.

Caruthersville Public Library - \$4,023

Caruthersville Public Library will replace five patron computers to ensure smooth continuity of its technology-based services.

Cedar County Library - \$4,810

Cedar County Library will replace five public access desktop computers and two public catalog laptop computers to ensure smooth continuity of its technology-based services.

Centralia Public Library - \$8,683

Centralia Public Library will update its technology infrastructure to ensure continuity of service. With the assistance of outside IT support, this includes replacing two public computers, three staff computers, two tablets used in programs, two online catalog computers, and a wireless router that are at end of life.

Christian County Library - \$6,525

Christian County Library will modernize and secure the library's network infrastructure through the purchase and setup of a single virtualization server.

Conran Memorial Library - \$2,447

With the assistance of outside technical support, Conran Public Library will replace three public access computers that are approaching obsolescence.

Daviess County Library - \$9,238

Daviess County Library will replace five tablets, two desktop computers, two laptop computers, and eight headsets that are outdated and no longer supported by the vendor. Additionally, the Library will add one desktop computer, twelve laptop computers, and twelve headsets to better meet patron and staff expectations.

De Soto Public Library - \$18,000

With the assistance of outside technical support, De Soto Public Library will replace ten computers, a firewall, a switch, and three wireless access points to ensure smooth continuity and security for the library's technology-based services. The Library will also create a portable computer lab with the purchase of eight laptops and a charging cart to expand its training flexibility. All computers and laptops will be configured with current office and photo editing software.

Dunklin County Library - \$15,919

Dunklin County Library will replace twenty public computers and monitors to ensure smooth continuity of its technology-based services.

Grundy County-Jewett Norris Library - \$2,500

With the assistance of outside IT support, Grundy County–Jewett Norris Library will replace cabling and a network switch that are at end of life to ensure technology-based library services are reliable, efficient, and secure.

Keller Public Library - \$4,153

Keller Public Library will replace four public access computers and monitors. Outside technical support will be used to set up the new computers and load up-to-date security and office production software.

Little Dixie Regional Libraries - \$18,000

Little Dixie Regional Libraries will purchase technology and software to enhance technical training and programs. Special emphasis will be placed on expanding health and wellness informational sessions; better facilitation of story times, genealogy workshops, and other trainings; more flexible research options; and providing patrons with the ability to create their own content.

Maplewood Public Library - \$16,236

Maplewood Public Library will replace nine public access and eleven staff computers, to replace technology that is near end of life. Additionally, two staff printers with scanning capability will be purchased to improve staff efficiency and effectiveness. Outside technical support will be used to install the new technology on the library's network.

Maryville Public Library - \$12,917

Maryville Public Library will replace thirteen computers, seven for use by the public, one dedicated to time and print management, two for use at the circulation and reference desks, and three for patrons to access the library's online catalog. The new computers will help the library better meet patron needs and expectations, and improve staff efficiency.

McDonald County Library - \$17,993

McDonald County Library will replace seventeen computers, nine used by patrons, and eight used by staff, to better meet patron and staff technology needs and expectations.

Montgomery City Public Library - \$10,474

Montgomery City Public Library will replace seven patron access computers and headphones and four tablets used for robotics programs. These items are near end of life and replacement will ensure smooth continuity of the library's technology-based services. The Library will also add a wall monitor in its meeting room to provide a more flexible space.

Morgan County Library - \$3,143

Morgan County Library will replace four staff computers to ensure smooth continuity of service and improve staff efficiency.

North Kansas City Public Library - \$18,000

North Kansas City Public Library will replace twenty staff computers that are at end of life to ensure smooth continuity of its technology-based services and improve staff efficiency.

Polk County Library - \$7,539

With the assistance of outside IT support, Polk County Library will replace six desktop computers that are at end of life. These computers are used for critical work of the library and must be dependable to ensure staff effectiveness and patron satisfaction. Additionally, a laptop computer will be purchased for administrative staff to use off-site at community presentations and other activities.

Riverside Regional Library - \$17,748

With the assistance of outside technical support, Riverside Regional Library will replace 28 staff and public workstation computers that have obsolete operating systems and provide technology that better meets staff and patron needs and expectations.

Springfield-Greene County Library - \$8,018

Springfield-Greene County Library will replace a 3D printer, and add a laser engraver, vinyl cutter, two soldering stations, a film and slide scanner and a video capture box to its Edge Maker Space.

St. Louis County Library - \$7,665

St. Louis County Library will replace twenty tablets with covers that are at end of life and no longer supported by the vendor.

Trails Regional Library - \$16,111

Trails Regional Library will replace eight switches that are at end of life to ensure technology-based library services are reliable, efficient, and secure. Additionally, people counters will be installed so library staff can make better-informed, data-driven decisions.