

**LSTA Grants Awarded
February 2013**

Technology Mini Grant - \$164,257

Bollinger County Library - \$8,640

The Library will replace nine public access computers that are at end of life to improve network performance and dependability.

Cameron Public Library - \$3,011

The library will replace one staff and two patron computers, a color printer, a receipt printer and a barcode scanner that are at end of life. Three additional computers will be upgraded to Windows 7 Pro operating systems. The project also adds a projector and screen to the library's community room to better facilitate meetings.

Carrollton Public Library - \$8,427

With the assistance of outside technical support, the library will: 1) replace four patron computers, five staff computers and three computers shared by patrons and staff; 2) replace an outdated barcode scanner and barcode printer; and 4) add a mobile projector to improve network performance, staff efficiency, and better meet patron demand.

Carthage Public Library - \$2,551

The Library will replace two public access computers and one staff workstation; add one public access computer; and add a gateway/firewall network appliance to improve network performance and better meet patron and staff demand.

Cedar County Library - \$2,745

With the assistance of outside technical support, the library will replace its server, wireless access point and two uninterruptible power supply units, and add a rack to improve network performance and reliability.

Daniel Boone Regional Library - \$14,467

The Library will replace two microfilm machines that are at end of life, located in the Columbia Public Library and the Callaway County Public Library. The new machines will be easier to use and maintain, have improved clarity of image, and allow output into multiple formats.

Ferguson Municipal Public Library District - \$3,408

The library will purchase twelve Chromebooks to loan to patrons for use in the library. This will enable the library to better meet patron demand, provide increased access to the Internet, and help bridge the digital divide in the community.

Jefferson County Library - \$7,831

The library will add a microform reader printer in its Genealogical and Local History Department to better meet patron demand. The digital reader printer will have improved image quality and the ability to transfer images to a portable storage device or email account, features frequently requested by patrons.

Keller Public Library - \$3,174

The Library will replace three multi-purpose staff computers that are undependable and near end of life. This will result in better service to patrons and improved staff efficiency.

Kirkwood Public Library - \$12,524

The Library will upgrade its computer lab so it becomes a collaborative workspace that will enable patrons to create more digital products at the library. Funds will be used for iMac computers, a large form printer, Ethernet cables, a switch, a table mounted projector, a ceiling mounted projector, a firewall, Office and Creative software packages, and technical support.

Little Dixie Regional Libraries - \$4,283

The library will replace switches and a systems server and add a rack to improve network performance, better meet patron and staff demand, and prepare for the migration to Missouri Evergreen.

Macon Public Library - \$4,633

The library seeks to replace two outdated computers and add two computers all with up to date features and software to better meet patron demand.

Moniteau County Library Districts: California Subdistrict - \$5,419

The Library will add two AWE Early Literacy Stations and one barcode scanner to better meet patron demand. Additionally, the library will move four of its public access computers from the second to the first floor, and add a router to make better use of existing equipment.

Montgomery City Public Library - \$4,484

The Library will purchase and install two AWE Early Literacy Stations to provide technology to children that will enable them to develop literacy, numeracy and computer skills.

Neosho / Newton County Library - \$8,414

The Library will replace ten public access computers at the Neosho branch. The new computers will be more secure, have faster processors, and better meet patron demand.

North Kansas City Public Library / High School Media Center - \$5,878

The Library will replace outdated network hardware, specifically purchasing two servers, server software, four network switches, an external hard drive, a battery back-up device, and a network management card to support public computer imaging, computer data back-up, staff shared files, and ease of management of public and staff computers. This will provide a more reliable Internet connection, improve network security, and better accommodate the increasing technology needs of library patrons.

Oregon County Library District - \$8,902

The Library will replace twelve public access computers and one firewall that are nearing end of life. This will improve network performance and security and better meet patron demand.

Park Hills Public Library - \$2,632

The library will add wireless access, four laptops and two wireless printers to its technology infrastructure to provide expanded more flexible access to the library's technology services. Wireless access and laptop use policies will be written and adopted to regulate use.

Polk County Library - \$10,797

The project involves four areas: 1) replacement of microfilm scanners that are malfunctioning with a digital scanner with improved image control and storage capabilities at the Bolivar branch; 2) adding wireless access service at the Humansville branch; 3) replacing switches to improve network performance; and 4) replacing staff computers to improve productivity.

Richmond Heights Memorial Library - \$12,055

The Library will add two public access computers and one Simple Scan Station, and replace one firewall, one children's computer, two public access computers and four staff computers to improve network performance and better meet patron demand.

Sarcozie Public Library - \$2,849

The Library will add two and replace one public access computers to improve network performance and better meet patron demand. Additionally, two staff computers will be replaced to improve staff efficiency.

Scenic Regional Library - \$7,049

The Library will implement Internet satellite service for its bookmobile. This will improve service to patrons and staff efficiency and effectiveness. It is anticipated that this service will enable some staff processes that had been conducted manually to be automated. With the additional staff time available, new bookmobile stops will be added.

Springfield-Greene County Library District - \$15,000

The Library will replace twelve Lenovo laptops that are at end of life and add four MacBook Pro laptops for use in the Edge Mobile Lab.

University City Public Library - \$5,084

The library will purchase twenty Chromebooks to loan to patrons for use in the library. This will enable the library to better meet patron demand, to provide increased access to the Internet for job searches and school work, to facilitate access to word processing and other programs through Google docs, and to do more to lessen the impact of the digital divide in the community.

eReader Exploration - \$41,701

| | Library | Awarded |
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| 1 | Camden County Library District | \$1,627.00 |
| 2 | Carter County Library | \$1,045.00 |
| 3 | Centralia Public Library | \$1,227.00 |
| 4 | Daniel Boone Regional Library | \$4,184.00 |
| 5 | Festus Public Library | \$996.00 |
| 6 | Livingston County Library | \$1,750.00 |
| 7 | Maryville Public Library | \$1,440.00 |
| 8 | McDonald County Library | \$1,115.00 |
| 9 | Mercer Public Library | \$966.00 |
| 10 | Mid-Continent Public Library | \$3,752.00 |
| 11 | Moniteau County Library Dist. - California Sub-district | \$1,270.00 |
| 12 | Neosho / Newton County Library | \$1,975.00 |
| 13 | Park Hills Public Library | \$706.00 |
| 14 | Polk County Library | \$1,249.00 |
| 15 | Ray County Library | \$1,050.00 |
| 16 | Saint Clair County Library | \$1,190.00 |
| 17 | Sarcoxie Public Library | \$1,045.00 |
| 18 | Sikeston Public Library | \$1,412.00 |
| 19 | Springfield-Greene County Library District | \$4,972.00 |
| 20 | Trails Regional Library | \$4,035.00 |
| 21 | University City Public Library | \$2,704.00 |
| 22 | West Plains Public Library | \$1,115.00 |
| 23 | Willow Springs Public Library | \$876.00 |
| | TOTAL | \$41,701.00 |