



ENRICH IOWA REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2018

Uses & Impacts of Enrich Iowa Funding to Iowa Libraries for Open Access, Interlibrary Loan, and Direct State Aid Library Programs

The State Library of Iowa administers funding appropriated annually by the Iowa Legislature to libraries in Iowa. Enrich Iowa consists of three programs to aid libraries in offering improved service to Iowans:

- **Open Access** enables Iowans to check out physical materials at participating libraries, providing them with direct access to more materials and information resources.
- **Interlibrary Loan Reimbursement** provides Iowans with equal access to library resources by supporting loans of materials among all types of libraries.
- **Direct State Aid** improves public library services and reduces inequities among communities.

This report is submitted to the Iowa Legislature and Governor in accordance with Iowa Code Section 256.57(6).

OPEN ACCESS

Open Access provides Iowans with direct access to more library materials and information resources. It enables eligible customers to go to participating libraries and directly check out physical materials.

As a result, Iowans have greater access to more library resources, more choices in library service, and the convenience of using a library where they work, shop, or visit. The state reimburses the loaning library a small amount for each item checked out to offset expenses.

LIBRARY IMPACT: 522 Iowa libraries (public and academic) participated in the Open Access program in FY18.



ENRICH IOWA FY18 FUNDING

FY18 Appropriation	\$2,464,823
Open Access	\$1,076,645
Interlibrary Loan	\$388,138
Direct State Aid	\$1,000,000*

INTERLIBRARY LOAN

Interlibrary Loan Reimbursement provides Iowa citizens with equal access to library resources by encouraging and supporting the loaning of materials among all types of libraries. If a library does not own a book a local patron needs, the library can borrow it through interlibrary loan. Libraries are reimbursed with state funding to help offset costs.

LIBRARY IMPACT: 552 Iowa libraries (public and non-public) participated in the Interlibrary Loan Reimbursement program in FY18.

NUMBER OF ITEMS BORROWED IN FY18

Open Access
3,429,929

Interlibrary Loan
287,891



STATE LIBRARY OF IOWA

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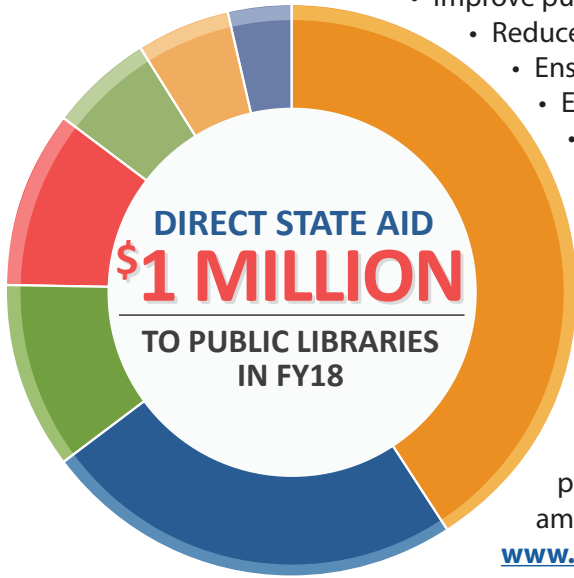
View the State Library FY18 Annual Report at:

www.statelibraryofiowa.org/publications

DIRECT STATE AID

Direct State Aid provides financial support to public libraries from State of Iowa funds. It is carefully designed to:

- Improve public library service in Iowa through increased funding incentives
- Reduce inequities in access to information for Iowa residents
- Ensure local discretion in the use of resources
- Enhance, not replace local funding
- Encourage the adoption of recognized library standards with graduated payment levels



Direct State Aid moves library service in Iowa closer to the ideal envisioned by library customers, librarians, and governmental officials.

LIBRARY IMPACT: Since 2008, Direct State Aid funding has helped lead to a **6 percent increase** in the number of accredited libraries in Iowa. In FY18, **487 public libraries** (out of 544) in Iowa received Direct State Aid funding. Iowa libraries that receive Direct State Aid report on the funding use based on set categories. Libraries are also given the opportunity to provide comments or stories on the impacts of these funds. The funding amounts, categories, and comments are available in a more detailed report at:

www.statelibraryofiowa.org/publications.

DIRECT STATE AID FY18 FUNDING SPENT BY CATEGORY

Total Distributed to Libraries **\$1,000,000***

Materials & Supplies	\$409,913
Technology & Equipment	\$240,275
Programs	\$101,817
Personnel	\$103,854
Capital Improvements	\$56,391
Furniture	\$53,087
Other	\$35,510

2018 ACCREDITED LIBRARIES

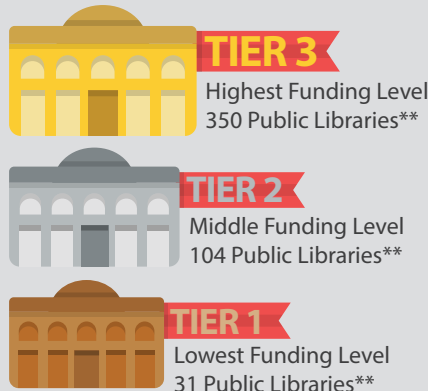
Congratulations to the following libraries accredited in 2018, the first class go through the process with the newest edition of Iowa Public Library Standards!



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| Alexander | Kalona | Rowan |
| Bennett | Keokuk | Ruthven |
| Britt | Klemme | Sac City |
| Buffalo Center | Larchwood | Salem |
| Burlington | Lewis | Sloan |
| Correctionville | Livermore | Springville |
| Corwith | Luverne | State Center |
| Cresco | Madrid | Stuart |
| Ellsworth | Malvern | Swaledale |
| Estherville | Manning | Swisher (2017) |
| Everly | Menlo | Thompson |
| Farmington | Milo | Tipton |
| Gilman | Missouri | Van Horne |
| Gladbrook | Valley | Wheatland |
| Graettinger | Monroe | Woodbine |
| Granger | Newhall | Wyoming |
| Grinnell | Red Oak | |
| Hospers | | |
| Hubbard | | |
| Huxley | | |

See how your public library used Direct State Aid funding at www.statelibraryofiowa.org/publications.

The funding formula for **Direct State Aid** is based on three tiers of public library accreditation standards. Funding increases with greater compliance to standards, providing an incentive for libraries to improve service.



**In FY18, out of 544 public libraries in Iowa; 59 public libraries were not eligible for Direct State Aid funding.

*Two libraries received funding but did not complete the required final report on how the funding was spent. As a result, the expended amounts do not reconcile with the total appropriation.