

Board of Library Trustees

City of Arts & Innovation

TO: BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES DATE:

DATE: JANUARY 28, 2019

FROM: RIVERSIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY

SUBJECT: FORMAL ACCEPTANCE OF GIFT FUND DONATIONS OF \$15,000 FROM THE FRIENDS OF THE RIVERSIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY

ISSUE:

Accept and forward to the City Council for approval the gift fund donations in the amount of \$15,000 from the Friends of the Riverside Public Library.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Library Trustees accept and forward to the City Council for approval the gift fund donations in the amount of \$15,000.

BACKGROUND:

The Library receives monetary donations from various groups, individuals and foundations. These funds are used by the library to supplement regular funding from the City. Pursuant to the City Charter Section 808(f) the Board of Library Trustees has the power and duty to accept money donated to the City for Library purposes, subject to the approval of the City Council. The donated gift funds received are provided in the following table.

Gift Fund Donations			
Month	Library Location	Source	Amount
November	All	The Friends of the Riverside Public Library - Second Quarter Donation to the Library for Fiscal Year 2018/2019	\$15,000
Total			\$15,000

FISCAL IMPACT:

The fiscal impact associated with the acceptance of gift fund donations is an increase to the Library donation account in the amount of \$15,000 to be expended in the near future on Library

resource items. As resource materials are needed, we will seek approval from the Library Board to expend these funds and make the necessary appropriation of an equivalent amount of revenue and expense to Library specific accounts in the amounts required.

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