

Board of Library Trustees

TO: BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES DATE: SEPTEMBER 23, 2019

FROM: RIVERSIDE PUBLIC LIBRARY

SUBJECT: ACCEPT BOOK DONATIONS FROM INLANDIA INSTITUTE

ISSUE:

Accept the book donations as described for addition to the Riverside Public Library collection at all library locations.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Library Trustees accept the book donations as described herein for addition to the Riverside Public Library collection at all library locations.

BACKGROUND:

On August 9, 2019, Library Director Christmas received notification from Cati Porter, Executive Director of Inlandia Institute, that Inlandia Institute will donate books as described herein to the Riverside Public Library's collection. Inlandia Institute's core mission is ..." to support and expand all forms of literary activity through community programs in Inland Southern California." Some of the programs offered by Inlandia include creative literacy workshops for children and families, free public events, and partners with other agencies and organizations.

DISCUSSION:

Cati Porter will present the donation from the Inlandia Institute of the following titled books.

- 1. Map of the Onion by Kenji C. Liu (8 copies)
- 2. All Things Lose Thousands of Times by Angela Peneredondo (8 copies)
- 3. Our Bruises Kept Singing Purple by Malcolm Friend (8 copies)
- 4. All the Emergency Type Structures by Elizabeth Cantwell (8 copies)
- 5. Former Possessions of the Spanish Empire by Michelle Penaloza (8 copies)
- 6. Against Which by Ross Gay (5 copies)
- 7. My Oceanography by Harriet Levin (5 copies)
- 8. Works by Danny Shot (5 copies)
- 9. Rewilding by January Gill O'Neil (5 copies)

- 10. See the Wolf by Sarah Sousa (5 copies)
- 11. The Body at a Loss by Cati Porter (5 copies)
- 12. Seven Floors Up by Cati Porter (8 copies)
- 13. My Skies of Small Horses by Cati Porter (8 copies)

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

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