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### ***Legislative District #1: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- King County Library System – Bothell Regional
- Mars Hill Graduate School
- Sno-Isle Libraries – Brier, Mountlake Terrace
- University of Washington Libraries – Bothell Campus Library and Media Center

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$106,419 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$74,415)

- \$13,081 in Continuing Education grants – Edmonds, Everett, Mukilteo, and Northshore school districts; Sno-Isle Libraries; University of Washington Libraries
- \$1,395 in IT Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$15,000 in Preservation grants – University of Washington Libraries
- \$21,939 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System; Sno-Isle Libraries; University of Washington Libraries

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$32,004)

- King County Library System; Mars Hill Graduate School; Sno-Isle Libraries
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 43 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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## **2008 Federal Grant-Supported Statewide Projects, Programs, and Services**

- Through participation in grants, training, and statewide projects, Washington librarians were better able to assist their customers in using libraries and finding online information.
  - Washington libraries of all types and schools received grants to:
    - Help libraries reach out to their communities and inform people of the wide array of services available at the library or through the library on the Internet.
    - Offer “community reads one book” programming to encourage reading and community literacy.
    - Provide better access to quality information resources and literacy programs
    - Preserve “treasures” in Washington libraries for future generations
    - Provide laptop computer labs to four libraries statewide to increase training opportunities for patrons and staff.
  - Provided training for Washington library staff in the following areas:
    - New technologies that support cutting edge communication techniques with constituents and customers: Blogs, wikis, and social software; wireless technology; podcasting and instant messaging; RSS feeds.
    - Offering digital collections both within the library and using the Internet.
    - Building partnerships with other community organizations in response to community needs.
    - Sustaining public access to computers and online information in rural libraries.
    - Database searching; computer, network maintenance and technology.
  - Used Paul G. Allen Family Foundation funds to:
    - Provide collections of children’s books to fifty-seven rural libraries through partnership with the Libri Foundation.
    - Purchase Native American early reading material for distribution by Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction at the 2008 Canoe Journey to Native American families.
- Customers of all types of libraries gained access to quality information through online magazine and newspaper databases and received additional benefit because of coordinated group purchasing.
- Library patrons and students throughout Washington State gained access to professional online reference assistance, 24/7, through a statewide cooperative of libraries backed up by an even larger national network.
- Libraries were better able to meeting the needs of traditionally unserved individuals:
  - Library services to the blind (Washington Talking Book and Braille Library).
  - Library materials for state institutional and correctional facilities.
  - Washington State Library joined the Early Learning Public Library Partnership to strengthen the ability of public libraries as full, essential partners in the early learning movement in Washington State.
- Partnered with the Washington Library Media Association in support of quality school library media centers.

### **General Consulting**

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### **Information Technology (IT) Consulting**

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***Legislative District #2: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Nisqually Tribal Library
- Pierce County Library System – Eatonville, Graham, Orting
- Roy City Library
- Timberland Regional Library – Yelm

**Libraries in this district have received \$73,068 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$56,411)

- \$22,088 in Continuing Education grants – Bethel, Clover Park, and Puyallup school districts; Pierce County Library System
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – North Thurston Public Schools; Pierce County Library System
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Timberland Regional Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$16,657)

- Nisqually Tribal Library; Pierce County Library System; Roy City Library; Timberland Regional Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 74 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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    - Offering digital collections both within the library and using the Internet.
    - Building partnerships with other community organizations in response to community needs.
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***Legislative District #3: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Empire Health Services
- Gonzaga University – Main, School of Law
- Spokane Community College
- Spokane Public Library – Main, East Side, Hillyard
- University of Washington Libraries – Bothell Campus Library and Media Center

**Libraries in this district have received \$20,283 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$12,469)

- \$813 in Continuing Education grants – Spokane School District; Spokane Public Library
- \$1,500 in IT Continuing Education grants – Spokane Public Library
- \$9,450 in Preservation grants – Gonzaga University
- \$706 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Spokane Community College

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$7,814)

- Empire Health Services; Gonzaga University; Spokane Community College; Spokane Public Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 3 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #4: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Liberty Lake Municipal Library
- Spokane County Library District – Main, Argonne, Otis Orchards, Spokane Valley

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$17,178 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$12,951)

- \$3,400 in Continuing Education grants – Central Valley, Mead, and Spokane school districts; Spokane County Library District
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Liberty Lake Municipal Library
- \$2,551 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Spokane County Library District

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$4,227)

- Liberty Lake Municipal Library; Spokane County Library District
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 18 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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***Legislative District #5: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- King County Library System – Main, Black Diamond, Fall City, Issaquah, Maple Valley, North Bend, Sammamish, Snoqualmie

**Libraries in this district have received \$33,972 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$12,969)

- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$21,003)

- King County Library System
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 8 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #6: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Spokane County Library District – Moran Prairie, North Spokane
- Spokane Falls Community College
- Spokane Public Library – Indian Trail, Shadle, South Hill
- Whitworth University

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$33,987 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$23,141)

- \$3,129 in Continuing Education grants – Mead and Spokane school districts; Spokane County Library District; Spokane Falls Community College; Spokane Public Library
- \$1,500 in IT Continuing Education grants – Spokane Public Library
- \$14,987 in Preservation grants – Whitworth University
- \$3,525 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Spokane County Library District; Spokane Falls Community College

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$10,846)

- Spokane County Library District; Spokane Falls Community College; Spokane Public Library; Whitworth University
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##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 16 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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- Chewelah Public Library
- Colville Tribal Resource Center
- Davenport Public Library
- Fairchild Air Force Base Library
- Harrington Public Library
- Hesseltine Public Library
- Kalispel Tribal Library
- Libraries of Stevens County – Main, Colville, Hunters, Kettle Falls, Lakeside, Library of the Lakes, Northport, Onion Creek
- Odessa Public Library
- North Central Regional Library – Okanogan, Omak, Oroville, Republic, Tonasket
- Pend Oreille County Library District – Main, Calispel, Ione, Metalines, Newport
- Reardan Memorial Library
- Spokane County Library District – Airway Heights, Deer Park
- Spokane Falls Community College
- Spokane Tribal College Library
- Sprague Public Library
- Wenatchee Valley College

**Libraries in this district have received \$39,801 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$26,880)

- \$2,835 in Continuing Education grants – Mead School District; Pend Oreille County Library District; Spokane County Library District; Spokane Falls Community College
- \$12,529 in One Book grants – Colville School District; Pend Oreille County Library District
- \$6,516 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Libraries of Stevens County; North Central Regional Library; Pend Oreille County Library District; Spokane County Library District; Spokane Falls Community College
- \$5,000 in Washington Rural Heritage grants – Libraries of Stevens County

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$12,921)

- Colville Tribal Resource Center; Davenport Public Library; Harrington Public Library; Hesseltine Public Library; Kalispel Tribal Library; Libraries of Stevens County; North Central Regional Library; Odessa Public Library; Pend Oreille County Library District; Reardan Memorial Library; Spokane County Library District; Spokane Falls Community College; Spokane Tribal College Library; Sprague Public Library; Wenatchee Valley College
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Digital Collections Made Possible through the Washington Rural Heritage Project

- Libraries of Stevens County (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/stevens/>)

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### ***Legislative District #8: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Ecology, Dept of
- Hanford Technical Library
- Mid-Columbia Libraries – Main, Benton City, Keewaydin Park, Kennewick, Prosser, West Richland
- Pacific Northwest National Laboratory
- Richland Public Library
- Washington State University

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$31,208 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$26,715)

- \$10,056 in Continuing Education grants – Kennewick Library; Mid-Columbia Libraries; Richland Public Library; Richland School District; Washington State University
- \$14,688 in Preservation grants – Washington State University
- \$1,971 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Mid-Columbia Libraries

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$4,493)

- Mid-Columbia Libraries; Pacific Northwest National Laboratory; Richland Public Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 45 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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- Asotin County Library – Main, Heights
- Denny Ashby Library
- Eastern Washington University Library
- Mid-Columbia Libraries – Basin, Connell, Kahlotus, Merrill's Corner, Othello
- Neill Public Library
- Ritzville Library District #2
- Spokane County Library District – Main, Cheney, Fairfield, Medical Lake
- Washington State University
- Whitman County Rural Library District – Main, Albion, Colton, Endicott, Farmington, Garfield, LaCrosse, Oakesdale, Palouse, Rosalia, St. John, Tekoa, Uniontown

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$74,754 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$66,103)

- \$8,218 in Continuing Education grants – Central Valley, Clarkston, Colfax, and Spokane school districts; Asotin County Library; Eastern Washington University Library; Mid-Columbia Libraries; Neill Public Library; Spokane County Library District; Washington State University
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Whitman County Rural Library District
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Asotin County Library
- \$14,688 in Preservation grants – Washington State University
- \$5,197 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Asotin County Library; Mid-Columbia Libraries; Neill Public Library; Spokane County Library District; Whitman County Rural Library District
- \$15,000 in Washington Rural Heritage grants – Whitman County Rural Library District

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$8,651)

- Asotin County Library; Denny Ashby Library; Mid-Columbia Libraries; Neill Public Library; Ritzville Library District #2; Spokane County Library District; Whitman County Rural Library District
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##### Digital Collections Made Possible through the Washington Rural Heritage Project

- Ritzville Library District #2 (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/ritzville/>)
- Whitman County Rural Library District (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/whitman/>)

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### ***Legislative District #10: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- La Conner Regional Library
- PACCAR Technical Center Library
- Skagit Valley College
- Swinomish Indian Tribe Library
- Whidbey Island Campus Library
- Sno-Isle Libraries – Camano Island, Clinton, Coupeville, Freeland, Langley, Oak Harbor, Stanwood

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$50,029 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$37,674)

- \$1,956 in Continuing Education grants – Skagit Valley College; Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$1,395 in IT Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Sno-Isle Libraries

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$12,355)

- La Conner Regional Library; Samish Indian Nation Tribal Library; Skagit Valley College; Sno-Isle Libraries; Swinomish Indian Tribe Library
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### ***Legislative District #11: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- City University
- King County Library System – Boulevard Park, Fairwood, Foster, Library Connection @ Southcenter, Tukwila
- Renton Technical College
- Seattle Public Library – South Park

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$99,207 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$64,680)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Seattle Public Library
- \$12,471 in Continuing Education grants – Federal Way, Seattle Public Schools, and Tukwila school districts; Seattle Public Library
- \$5,387 in One Book grants – Seattle Public Schools
- \$22,664 in Preservation grants – Museum of Flight; Renton Technical College
- \$19,158 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System; Seattle Public Library

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$34,527)

- City University; King County Library System; Renton Technical College; Seattle Public Library
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***Legislative District #12: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Central Washington Hospital
- North Central Regional Library – Main, Brewster, Bridgeport, Cashmere, Chelan, Coulee City, East Wenatchee, Entiat, Grand Coulee, Leavenworth, Manson, Pateros, Peshastin, Soap Lake, Twisp, Waterville, Wenatchee, Winthrop
- Wenatchee Valley College

**Libraries in this district have received \$7,575 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$2,429)

- \$2,429 in Virtual Reference Services grants – North Central Regional Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$5,146)

- Central Washington Hospital; North Central Regional Library; Wenatchee Valley College
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- Big Bend Community College
- Carpenter Memorial Library
- Ellensburg Public Library
- Kittitas Public Library
- KVCH Community Health Library
- North Central Regional Library – Ephrata, Mattawa, Moses Lake, Quincy, Royal City, Warden
- Roslyn Public Library
- Yakima Valley Libraries

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$30,576 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$21,487)

- \$5,520 in Continuing Education grants – Ellensburg Public Library; Roslyn Public Library; Yakima Valley Libraries
- \$523 in IT Continuing Education grants – Naches Valley School District
- \$2,429 in Virtual Reference Services grants – North Central Regional Library
- \$13,014 in Washington Rural Heritage grants – Ellensburg Public Library

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$9,089)

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- Ellensburg Public Library (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/ellensburg/>)

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***Legislative District #14: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Yakima Valley Community College
- Yakima Valley Libraries – Main, Downtown Yakima, Naches, Nile, Selah, Southeast, Summitview, Tieton, Union Gap
- Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital Library

**Libraries in this district have received \$9,257 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$3,715)

- \$3,192 in Continuing Education grants – Yakima Valley Libraries
- \$523 in IT Continuing Education grants – Naches Valley School District

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$5,542)

- Yakima Valley Community College; Yakima Valley Libraries; Yakima Valley Memorial Hospital Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 32 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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***Legislative District #15: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Bleyhl (Grandview) Community Library
- Fort Vancouver Regional Library District – Goldendale, North Bonneville, Stevenson, White Salmon Valley
- Heritage University
- Yakama Nation Library
- Yakima Valley Libraries – Buena, Granger, Harrah, Mabton, Moxee, Sunnyside, Toppenish, Wapato, White Swan, Zillah

**Libraries in this district have received \$17,256 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$5,280)

- \$5,280 in Continuing Education grants – Camas and Hockinson school districts; Yakama Nation Library; Yakima Valley Libraries

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$11,976)

- Bleyhl (Grandview) Community Library; Fort Vancouver Regional Library District; Heritage University; Yakama Nation Library; Yakima Valley Libraries
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Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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### ***Legislative District #16: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Columbia Basin College
- Columbia County Rural Library District
- Mid-Columbia Libraries - Pasco
- Walla Walla Community College
- Walla Walla County Law Library
- Walla Walla County Rural Library District – Main, Burbank, Prescott, Touchet, Vista Hermosa
- Walla Walla Public Library
- Weller (Waitsburg) Public Library
- Whitman College

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$38,856 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$30,959)

- \$3,688 in Continuing Education grants – Columbia County Rural Library District; Mid-Columbia Libraries; Richland School District; Walla Walla County Law Library; Walla Walla County Rural Library District; Walla Walla Public Library
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Walla Walla County Rural Library District
- \$4,700 in One Book grants – Columbia County Rural Library District
- \$1,971 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Mid-Columbia Libraries
- \$4,600 in Washington Rural Heritage grants – Columbia County Rural Library District

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$7,897)

- Columbia Basin College; Columbia County Rural Library District; Mid-Columbia Libraries; Walla Walla County Law Library; Walla Walla County Rural Library District; Walla Walla Public Library; Walla Walla University; Weller (Waitsburg) Public Library; Whitman College
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##### Digital Collections Made Possible through the Washington Rural Heritage Project

- Columbia County Rural Library District (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/columbia/>)

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Fort Vancouver Regional Library District – Cascade Park
- Legacy Health Systems

**Libraries in this district have received \$22,425 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$14,997)

- \$997 in Continuing Education grants – Camas and Hockinson school districts
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – Evergreen and Vancouver school districts

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$7,428)

- Fort Vancouver Regional Library District; Legacy Health Systems
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 8 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #18: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Camas Public Library
- Castle Rock Public Library
- Fort Vancouver Regional Library District – Battle Ground, La Center, Ridgefield, Three Creeks, Washougal, Woodland
- Kalama Public Library

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$39,679 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$32,061)

- \$4,141 in Continuing Education grants – Camas, Hockinson, and Longview school districts; Camas Public Library
- \$27,920 in One Book grants – Evergreen, Longview, and Vancouver school districts; Camas Public Library

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$7,618)

- Camas Public Library; Castle Rock Public Library; Fort Vancouver Regional Library District; Kalama Public Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 18 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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***Legislative District #19: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Cathlamet Public Library
- Grays Harbor College
- Kelso Public Library
- Longview Public Library
- Lower Columbia College
- Shoalwater Bay Tribal Community Library
- St. John Medical Center
- Timberland Regional Library – Aberdeen, Illwaco, Naselle, Ocean Park, Raymond, South Bend, Westport

**Libraries in this district have received \$30,610 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$20,242)

- \$1,999 in Continuing Education grants – Kelso Public Library; Longview School District
- \$13,920 in One Book grants – Longview Public Library; Longview School District
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Timberland Regional Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$10,368)

- Cathlamet Public Library; Grays Harbor College; Kelso Public Library; Longview Public Library; Lower Columbia College; Shoalwater Bay Tribal Community Library; St. John Medical Center; Timberland Regional Library
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***Legislative District #20: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Centralia College
- Timberland Regional Library – Centralia, Chehalis, Mountain View, Packwood, Salkum, Tenino, Winlock

**Libraries in this district have received \$24,386 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$16,107)

- \$484 in Continuing Education grants – Timberland Regional Library
- \$11,300 in One Book grants – North Thurston Public Schools; Tumwater School District
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Timberland Regional Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$8,279)

- Centralia College; Timberland Regional Library
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Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Edmonds Community College
- Puget Sound Christian College
- Sno-Isle Libraries – Edmonds, Lynnwood, Mukilteo
- Stevens Hospital Medical Center

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$45,146 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$32,338)

- \$3,620 in Continuing Education grants – Edmonds, Everett, and Mukilteo school districts; Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$1,395 in IT Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Sno-Isle Libraries

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$12,808)

- Edmonds Community College; Sno-Isle Libraries; Stevens Hospital Medical Center
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##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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- Attorney General, Office of the
- Ecology, Department of
- Providence St. Peter Hospital Library Service
- Saint Martin's University
- South Puget Sound Community College
- Timberland Regional Library – Main, Lacey, Olympia, Tumwater
- Washington State Law Library
- Washington State University – Extension Energy Program Library

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$38,309 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$28,815)

- \$6,070 in Continuing Education grants – Timberland Regional Library; Washington State Law Library
- \$18,300 in One Book grants – Griffin, North Thurston Public Schools, and Tumwater school districts
- \$4,445 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Saint Martin's University; Timberland Regional Library

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$9,494)

- Providence St. Peter Hospital Library Service; Saint Martin's University; South Puget Sound Community College; Timberland Regional Library
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##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 149 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #23: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Bainbridge Graduate Institute
- Kitsap Regional Library – Bainbridge Island, Kingston, Little Boston, Poulsbo, Silverdale, Sylvan Way
- Olympic College
- Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribal Library
- Suquamish Tribal Library

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$12,252 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$6,344)

- \$348 in Continuing Education grants – Olympic College
- \$1,796 in IT Continuing Education grants – Kitsap Regional Library
- \$4,200 in One Book grants – Kitsap Regional Library

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$5,908)

- Bainbridge Graduate Institute; Kitsap Regional Library; Olympic College; Port Gamble S'Klallam Tribal Library; Suquamish Tribal Library
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***Legislative District #24: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Hoh Tribe
- Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal Library
- Jefferson County Rural Library District
- Lower Elwha Klallam Tribal Library
- Makah Nation Tribal Libraries
- North Olympic Library System – Main, Clallam Bay, Forks, Port Angeles, Sequim
- Ocean Shores Public Library
- Peninsula College
- Port Townsend Public Library
- Quileute Tribal Libraries
- Quinault Nation Tribal Library
- Timberland Regional Library – Amanda Park, Hoquiam, Montesano

**Libraries in this district have received \$22,268 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$12,073)

- \$750 in Continuing Education grants – Timberland Regional Library
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Port Townsend Public Library
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Timberland Regional Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$10,195)

- Hoh Tribe; Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal Library; Jefferson County Rural Library District; Lower Elwha Klallam Tribal Library; Makah Nation Tribal Libraries; North Olympic Library System; Ocean Shores Public Library; Peninsula College; Port Townsend Public Library; Quileute Tribal Libraries; Quinault Nation Tribal Library; Timberland Regional Library
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- Pierce College Puyallup Campus
- Pierce County Library System – Main, Milton, South Hill, Summit
- Puyallup Public Library

**Libraries in this district have received \$56,415 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$46,152)

- \$23,152 in Continuing Education grants – Bethel, Puyallup, and Tacoma school districts; Pierce County Library System
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Pierce County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$10,263)

- Pierce College Puyallup Campus; Pierce County Library System; Puyallup Public Library; Puyallup Tribal Library
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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Kitsap Regional Library – Main, Downtown Bremerton, Manchester, Port Orchard
- Olympic College
- Pierce County Library System – Key Center, Peninsula

**Libraries in this district have received \$64,336 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$49,570)

- \$20,574 in Continuing Education grants – Olympic College; Pierce County Library System
- \$1,796 in IT Continuing Education grants – Kitsap Regional Library
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$11,200 in One Book grants – Kitsap Regional Library; Pierce County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$14,766)

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***Legislative District #27: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Bates Technical College
- Faith Evangelical Seminary
- MultiCare Health System
- St. Joseph Medical Center Library
- Tacoma Public Library – Main, King, Kobetich, Mottet, Swan Creek, Wheelock
- University of Puget Sound
- University of Washington Libraries

**Libraries in this district have received \$36,223 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$29,160)

- \$9,513 in Continuing Education grants – Tacoma School District; University of Washington Libraries
- \$15,000 in Preservation grants – University of Washington Libraries
- \$4,647 in Virtual Reference Services grants – University of Washington Libraries

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$7,063)

- Bates Technical College; Faith Evangelical Seminary; MultiCare Health System; Tacoma Public Library; University of Puget Sound
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Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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***Legislative District #28: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Clover Park Technical College
- Pierce College
- Pierce County Library System – DuPont, Lakewood, Steilacoom, Tillicum, University Place
- Tacoma Community College
- Tacoma Public Library - Swasey

**Libraries in this district have received \$64,085 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$47,900)

- \$24,900 in Continuing Education grants – Bethel, Clover Park, and Tacoma school districts; Pierce College; Pierce County Library System; Tacoma Community College
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Pierce County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$16,185)

- Clover Park Technical College; Pierce College; Pierce County Library System; Tacoma Community College; Tacoma Public Library
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- 71 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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- City University
- Pacific Lutheran University
- Pierce County Library System – Parkland/Spanaway
- Tacoma Public Library – Fern Hill, Moore, South Tacoma

**Libraries in this district have received \$60,667 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$44,711)

- \$21,344 in Continuing Education grants – Bethel, Clover Park, and Tacoma school districts; Pierce County Library System
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$367 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Pacific Lutheran University

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$15,956)

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- DeVry University
- King County Library System – Algona-Pacific, Federal Way 320<sup>th</sup>, Federal Way Regional, Woodmont

**Libraries in this district have received \$35,150 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$13,780)

- \$811 in Continuing Education grants – Auburn and Federal Way school districts
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$21,370)

- DeVry University; King County Library System
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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***Legislative District #31: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Enumclaw Public Library
- Green River Community College
- King County Library System – Auburn, Muckleshoot
- Pierce County Library System – Bonney Lake, Buckley, Sumner

**Libraries in this district have received \$101,919 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$70,076)

- \$4,856 in Assistive Technology grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$22,251 in Continuing Education grants – Auburn and Puyallup school districts; Pierce County Library System
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Pierce County Library System
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – Green River Community College; Pierce County Library System
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$31,843)

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- Bastyr University Library
- King County Library System – Kenmore, Lake Forest Park, Richmond Beach, Shoreline
- Shoreline Community College

**Libraries in this district have received \$37,798 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$14,773)

- \$1,804 in Continuing Education grants – Edmonds, Northshore, and Shoreline school districts
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$23,025)

- Bastyr University Library; King County Library System; Shoreline Community College
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- Highline Community College
- King County Law Library System
- King County Library System – Des Moines, Kent, Valley View

**Libraries in this district have received \$41,796 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$19,029)

- \$5,467 in Continuing Education grants – Federal Way School District; Highline Community College
- \$13,562 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Highline Community College; King County Library System

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- Highline Community College; King County Library System
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***Legislative District #34: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Highline Medical Center
- King County Library System – Burien, Vashon, White Center
- Seattle Public Library – Delridge, High Point, Southwest, West Seattle
- South Seattle Community College

**Libraries in this district have received \$74,240 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$41,438)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Seattle Public Library
- \$11,893 in Continuing Education grants – Seattle Public Schools; Vashon Island School District; Seattle Public Library
- \$5,387 in One Book grants – Seattle Public Schools
- \$19,158 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System; Seattle Public Library

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***Legislative District #35: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Olympic College
- Skokomish Tribal Center
- Squaxin Island Museum Library and Research Center
- Timberland Regional Library – Elma, Hoodspport, McCleary, North Mason, Oakville, Shelton

**Libraries in this district have received \$25,157 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$15,971)

- \$348 in Continuing Education grants – Olympic College
- \$11,300 in One Book grants – Griffin and Tumwater school districts
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Timberland Regional Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$9,186)

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### ***Legislative District #36: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Antioch University Seattle
- King County Hazardous Waste Library
- Program for Appropriate Technology in Health (PATH) Library
- Seattle Pacific University
- Seattle Public Library – Ballard, Magnolia, Queen Anne

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$39,846 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$27,719)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Seattle Public Library
- \$11,143 in Continuing Education grants – Seattle Public Schools; Seattle Public Library
- \$5,387 in One Book grants – Seattle Public Schools
- \$6,189 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Seattle Public Library

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$12,127)

- Antioch University Seattle; King County Hazardous Waste Library; Program for Appropriate Technology in Health (PATH) Library; Seattle Pacific University; Seattle Public Library
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##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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***Legislative District #37: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- King County Law Library System
- King County Library System - Skyway
- Seattle Municipal Archives
- Sound Transit Information Center
- Seattle Public Library – Beacon Hill, Columbia, Douglass-Truth, International District/Chinatown, Madrona-Sally Goldmark, New Holly, Rainier Beach

**Libraries in this district have received \$72,021 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$40,688)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Seattle Public Library
- \$11,143 in Continuing Education grants – Seattle Public Schools; Seattle Public Library
- \$5,387 in One Book grants – Seattle Public Schools
- \$19,158 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System; Seattle Public Library

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$31,333)

- King County Library System; Seattle Public Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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***Legislative District #38: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Everett Community College
- Everett Public Library – Main, Evergreen
- Providence Everett Medical Center Library
- Sno-Isle Libraries – Main, Marysville, Sno-Isle Mobile Services

**Libraries in this district have received \$57,060 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$42,436)

- \$13,718 in Continuing Education grants – Everett and Mukilteo School Districts; Everett Community College; Everett Public Library; Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$1,395 in IT Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Sno-Isle Libraries

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$14,624)

- Everett Community College; Everett Public Library; Providence Everett Medical Center Library; Sno-Isle Libraries
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 134 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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***Legislative District #39: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- King County Library System – Skykomish
- Sauk-Suiattle Tribal Library
- Sedro Woolley Public Library
- Sno-Isle Libraries – Arlington, Darrington, Granite Falls, Monroe, Sultan
- Stillaguamish Tribal Library
- Upper Skagit Library District
- Upper Skagit Indian Tribe Library

**Libraries in this district have received \$81,714 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$49,368)

- \$691 in Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries; Upper Skagit Library District
- \$1,395 in IT Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$13,990 in One Book grants – Sedro Woolley Public Library; Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$17,292 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System; Sno-Isle Libraries

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$32,346)

- King County Library System; Sauk-Suiattle Tribal Library; Sedro Woolley Public Library; Sno-Isle Libraries; Stillaguamish Tribal Library; Upper Skagit Indian Tribe Library; Upper Skagit Library District
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 21 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #40: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Anacortes Public Library
- Bellingham Public Library – Fairhaven
- Burlington Public Library
- Lopez Island Library District
- Mount Vernon City Library
- Orcas Island Library District
- Samish Indian Nation Tribal Library
- San Juan Island Library District
- Skagit County Law Library
- Skagit Valley College
- Skagit Valley Hospital
- University of Washington Libraries

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$68,793 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$64,933)

- \$1,050 in Assistive Technology grants – San Juan Island Library District
- \$19,656 in Continuing Education grants – Anacortes Public Library; Mount Vernon City Library; Orcas Island Library District; San Juan Island Library District; Skagit County Law Library; Skagit Valley College; University of Washington Libraries
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – Mount Vernon City Library; San Juan Island Library District
- \$15,000 in Preservation grants – University of Washington Libraries
- \$4,647 in Virtual Reference Services grants – University of Washington Libraries
- \$10,580 in Washington Rural Heritage grants – Lopez Island Library District; San Juan Island Library District

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$3,860)

- Anacortes Public Library; Bellingham Public Library; Burlington Public Library; Lopez Island Library District; Mount Vernon City Library; Orcas Island Library District; San Juan Island Library District; Skagit Valley College; Skagit Valley Hospital
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##### Digital Collections Made Possible through the Washington Rural Heritage Project

- Lopez Island Library District (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/lopez/>)
- San Juan Island Library District (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/sanjuan/>)

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### ***Legislative District #41: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Bellevue Community College
- City University
- King County Library System – Bellevue Regional, Mercer Island, Newport Way
- Overlake Hospital Medical Center
- Renton Public Library – Main, Highlands

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$49,934 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$22,545)

- \$2,576 in Continuing Education grants – Bellevue School District; Renton Public Library
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Bellevue Community College
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$27,389)

- Bellevue Community College; City University; King County Library System; Overlake Hospital Medical Center; Renton Public Library
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 59 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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  - Washington libraries of all types and schools received grants to:
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    - Provide better access to quality information resources and literacy programs
    - Preserve “treasures” in Washington libraries for future generations
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    - Building partnerships with other community organizations in response to community needs.
    - Sustaining public access to computers and online information in rural libraries.
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### ***Legislative District #42: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Bellingham Public Library
- Bellingham Technical College
- Lummi Reservation Library System
- Nooksack Tribal Library
- Northwest Indian College
- St. Joseph Hospital Library
- Whatcom Community College
- Whatcom County Library System – Main, Blaine, Deming, Everson, Ferndale, Island, Lynden, Maple Falls, Point Roberts, Sumas

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$43,953 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$38,687)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Whatcom County Library System
- \$5,987 in Continuing Education grants – Bellingham Technical College; Whatcom County Library System
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – Whatcom Community College; Whatcom County Library System
- \$13,700 in Washington Rural Heritage grants – Whatcom County Library System

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$5,266)

- Bellingham Public Library; Bellingham Technical College; Lummi Reservation Library System; Nooksack Tribal Library; Northwest Indian College; St. Joseph Hospital Library; Whatcom Community College; Whatcom County Library System
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Digital Collections Made Possible through the Washington Rural Heritage Project

- Whatcom County Library System (Lummi Island Branch) (<http://www.washingtonruralheritage.org/lummi/>)

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 117 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #43: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- Cornish College of the Arts
- Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center
- Group Health Cooperative
- MG Gallagher Law Library
- Municipal Research & Services Center of Washington
- Museum of History & Industry
- National Network of Libraries of Medicine
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Admin
- Puget Sound Regional Council Information Center
- Seattle Central Community College
- Seattle Public Library – Main, Capitol Hill, Fremont, Montlake, University, Wallingford
- Seattle University
- Swedish Medical Center/First Hill
- University of Washington Libraries
- US Courts Library
- US Environmental Protection Agency
- Virginia Mason Medical Center
- Washington Talking Book & Braille Library

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$92,066 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$74,366)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Seattle Public Library
- \$23,143 in Continuing Education grants – Seattle Public Schools; Cornish College of the Arts; Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center; Seattle Public Library; Seattle University; University of Washington Libraries
- \$5,387 in One Book grants – Seattle Public Schools
- \$30,000 in Preservation grants – Museum of History & Industry; University of Washington Libraries
- \$10,836 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Seattle Public Library; University of Washington Libraries

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$17,700)

- Cornish College of the Arts; Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center; Group Health Cooperative; Seattle Central Community College; Seattle Public Library; Seattle University; Swedish Medical Center/First Hill; Virginia Mason Medical Center
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

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- Sno-Isle Libraries – Lake Stevens, Mill Creek, Snohomish

**Libraries in this district have received \$43,289 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$32,338)

- \$3,620 in Continuing Education grants – Edmonds, Everett, and Mukilteo school districts; Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$1,395 in IT Continuing Education grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$16,000 in Laptop Training Lab grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$7,000 in One Book grants – Sno-Isle Libraries
- \$4,323 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Sno-Isle Libraries

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$10,951)

- Sno-Isle Libraries
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 12 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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### ***Legislative District #45: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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#### **Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- King County Library System – Carnation, Duvall, Kingsgate, Woodinville
- Lake Washington Technical College

#### **Libraries in this district have received \$35,185 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

##### Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$13,331)

- \$362 in Continuing Education grants – Northshore School District
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

##### Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$21,854)

- King County Library System; Lake Washington Technical College
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

##### Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 3 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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***Legislative District #46: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- Battelle Seattle Research Center
- Children's Hospital & Regional Medical Center
- North Seattle Community College
- Northwest Hospital Library & Information Resources
- Seattle Public Library – Broadview, Green Lake, Greenwood, Lake City, North East, Northgate

**Libraries in this district have received \$40,386 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$27,719)

- \$5,000 in Assistive Technology grants – Seattle Public Library
- \$11,143 in Continuing Education grants – Seattle Public Schools; Seattle Public Library
- \$5,387 in One Book grants – Seattle Public Schools
- \$6,189 in Virtual Reference Services grants – Seattle Public Library

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***Legislative District #47: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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**Libraries in this district include school libraries and:**

- King County Library System – Covington Library

**Libraries in this district have received \$34,783 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$13,780)

- \$811 in Continuing Education grants – Auburn and Federal Way school districts
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$21,003)

- King County Library System
- Non-profit schools also received subsidies through the Washington State Library

Training Provided by or Coordinated by the Washington State Library

- 7 individuals received training on subjects including: monitoring trends and their effect on libraries; understanding and responding to all library customers; developing successful one-book projects; conducting book discussion groups; database searching; computer and network maintenance; technology; Internet social networking tools; web site design and evaluation; and virtual reference services. Training was delivered in-person, online, and via satellite teleconference.

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***Legislative District #48: Direct Services to Local Libraries***

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- King County Library System – Kirkland, Lake Hills, Library Connection @ Crossroads, Redmond
- Kirkland Library
- Northwest University

**Libraries in this district have received \$42,153 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$20,745)

- \$2,276 in Continuing Education grants – Bellevue School District
- \$5,500 in One Book grants – King County Library System
- \$12,969 in Virtual Reference Services grants – King County Library System

Online Periodical Databases Access Subsidies (subsidy is matched by the local library) (\$21,408)

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- Clark College
- Clark County Law Library
- Fort Vancouver Regional Library District – Main, Vancouver Community, Vancouver Mall
- Southwest Washington Medical Center
- Washington State University

**Libraries in this district have received \$45,297 as a result of Washington State Library services and programs during the past year:**

Grants to Individual Libraries or Library Systems (\$32,986)

- \$4,298 in Continuing Education grants – Clark College; Clark County Law Library; Washington State University
- \$14,000 in One Book grants – Evergreen and Vancouver school districts
- \$14,688 in Preservation grants – Washington State University

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