



## Legislation Text

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**Item:**

**Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 18BCC000035 - Recognize Durham County Library Grant Revenue: "LSTA EZ Edge Technology Grant"**

**Date of BOCC Meeting:** May 14, 2018

**Request for Board Action:**

The Board is requested to approve the Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 18BCC000035 to recognize \$8000 in grant revenue from the State Library of North Carolina.

Durham County Library has been awarded the LSTA EZ Edge grant specifically to purchase hardware that will make the Library's public computers accessible to customers with motor and dexterity impairments. Edge is a project from the Urban Libraries Council to help public libraries better serve their communities through improved public technology services. The State Library of North Carolina offers the LSTA EZ Edge grants to public libraries that have completed the Edge assessment to meet the public access technology needs identified in their Edge technology action plans.

This grant is made possible by funding from the federal Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) as administered by the State Library of North Carolina, a division of the Department of Natural and Cultural Resources (IMLS grant number LS-00-17-0034-17).

LSTA Hardware Budget (Library pays for any amount that exceeds \$8000):

All Library Locations:

BigKeys LX Assistive Keyboard: Multi-Color

\$153.47 each: 8 for \$1,227.76

BigKeys LX Keyguard

\$98.40 each: 8 for \$787.20

Kensington SlimBlade Trackball

\$150.50 each: 8 for \$1,204.00

Zoomax Butterfly Handheld Video Magnifier

\$259.50 each: 8 for \$2,076.00

Type Aid

\$23.95 each: 8 for \$191.60

All Regionals, Stanford L. Warren and Main:

n-ABLER Pro Joystick


\$451.00 each: 6 for \$2,706.00

Total: \$8192.56

**Alignment with Strategic Plan:** This aligns with Strategic Goal 5: Accountable, Efficient and Visionary Government, Customer Engagement and Responsiveness.

**Resource Persons:** Tammy Baggett, Library Director and Katherine Makens, Resources and Finance Officer.

**County Manager's Recommendation:** The County Manager recommends that the Board approve the Budget Ordinance Amendment No. 18BCC000035 to recognize \$8000 in grant revenue from the State Library of North Carolina.

  
County Manager: \_\_\_\_\_