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.

### 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.

### ENRICH IOWA FY18 FUNDING

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<th>FY18 Appropriation</th>
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<td>Open Access</td>
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### Number of Items Borrowed in FY18

**Open Access**

3,429,929

**Interlibrary Loan**

287,891

View the State Library FY18 Annual Report at: [www.statelibraryofiowa.org/publications](http://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

1 MILLION

TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN FY18

DIRECT STATE AID

FY18 Funding Spent by Category

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<td>Other</td>
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Total Distributed to Libraries: $1,000,000*

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

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!

Alexander
Bennett
Britt

Buffalo Center
Burlington
Correctionville
Corwith
Cresco
Ellsworth
Estherville
Everly
Farmington
Gilman
Gladdbrook
Grattinger
Granger
Grinnell
Hospers
Hubbard
Huxley

Kalona
Keokuk
Klemme
Larchwood
Lewis
Livermore
Luverne
Madrid
Malvern
Manning
Menlo
Milo
Missouri
Monroe
Newhall
Red Oak
Rowan
Ruthven
Sac City
Salem
Sloan
Springville
State Center
Stuart
Swaledale
Swisher (2017)
Thompson
Tipton
Van Horne
Wheatland
Woodbine
Wyoming

*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.