Agenda Item #: 3N1

PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: June 7, 2011 [X] Consent [] Regular
[] Ordinance [] Public Hearing Department:
Submitted By: County Library/Administration
Submitted For: County Library/Administration
I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF
Title and Motion: Staff recommends motion to:
A) approve Public Library Construction Grant application totaling \$500,000 to the Flori Department of State, Division of Library and Information Services for the following Library Expansion Program (LEP) project: Belle Glade Branch Library; and
B) approve Certification of Exclusive Use as a Public Library; and
C) authorize the Chair to execute the grant agreement and any other necessary forms and certifications.
Summary: This grant application is for \$500,000 with local matching funds of \$500,000. awarded, grant funds will be used towards the cost of construction, thus freeing up other funds furnishing and equipping this library. The projected cost of this project is \$7,650,000. The projectill be completed whether the grant is funded or not. Funding for this project is from the 20 Library Expansion Program Bond Issue supplemented by Library District ad valorem revenue Countywide (TKF)
Background and Justification: In August, 2002, the BCC approved the Library Expansi Program Phase 2 and the placing of a bond referendum before the voters in the Library Distr (R-2002-1460). In November, the voters overwhelming approved a \$55 million bond issue assist in financing the Library Expansion Program. All projects in LEP2 are scheduled completion by 2013
Attachments:
Application (2 copies) Certification of Exclusive Use as a Public Library
Recommended By: (John J. Callahan III) 5/9/11 Department Director Date
Approved By: County Administrator S/27/11 Date

Contract Dev. And Control

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Fiscal Years	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Capital Expenditures Operating Costs	0	0	0	<u> </u>	0
External Revenues Program Income (County) In-Kind Match (County)	0 0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0 0
*NET FISCAL IMPACT	*	0	0	0	0
# ADDITIONAL FTE POSITIONS (Cumulative)	0	0	0	0_	0
Is Item Included in Current Bu	udget?		Yes_	No_X	
Budget Account No.:	Fund_	Dept_ Program	Unit_	Object	

B. Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact:

Source: Library Construction Grant Funds

Impact: *There is no fiscal impact at this time. If the grant is awarded, this would allow a

redistribution of bond revenue to cover other project costs.

Departmental Fiscal Review:_				
	(Kenny Rampersad, Director, Library Finance & Facilities)			

III. REVIEW COMMENTS:

OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Dev. And Control Comments:

Legal Sufficiency:
Assistant County Attorney
Other Department Review:

Other Department Review:

Department Director

Florida Department of State, Division of Library and Information Services

PUBLIC LIBRARY CONSTRUCTION GRANT APPLICATION

Application Deadline: April 1, 2011

I. APPLICANT INFORMATI	ION
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A.	LEGAL NAME OF APPLICANT (Government)				
	Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners				
	Street 3650 Summit Blvd. City West Palm Beach Zip 33406 County Palm Beach				
	Name of Chairman of Applicant's Governing Authority Karen T. Marcus				
	Federal Employer Identification (FEID) Number <u>59-60007785</u>				
В.	NAME OF LIBRARY DIRECTOR John J. Callahan III				
	Telephone (561) 233-2602 Fax (561) 233-2622 E-mail callahanj@pbclibrary.org				
	Library Palm Beach County Public Library System				
	Street 3650 Summit Blvd. City West Palm Beach Zip 33406				
C.	. NAME OF PROJECT MANAGER				
	Title Construction Project Specialist				
	Agency, organization or governmental unit Palm Beach County Public Library System				
	Street 3650 Summit Blvd. City West Palm Beach Zip 33406				
	Telephone (561) 233-2763 Fax (561)233-2650 E-mail farrellj@pbclibrary.org				
D.	NAME OF BUILDING CONSULTANT (MLS degree) John J. Callahan III				
	Street 3650 Summit Blvd. City West Palm Beach Zip 33406				
	Telephone (<u>561</u>)233-2602				
E.	NAME OF REGISTERED ARCHITECT Jonathan Toppe				
	Street 210 14 th Avnue North City St. Petersburg Zip 33701				
	Telephone (727) 823-1220 Registration Number AR5583				
F.	INDICATE IF CONSIDERING STARTING THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT PRIOR TO THE GRANT AWARD YES NO_X				

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II.	PF	ROP	OSED PROJECT			
	A.	Nam	ne of Proposed Facility	Belle Glade L	ibrary	
	В.	• •	e Construction Project			
		<u>X</u>	New Building	Expansion	Remodeling	
	C.	Buil	ding to be Used as (che	eck one):		
			Single county library	headquarters	X Single county branch or library cooperative member	
			Multicounty or librar headquarters Multicounty or librar member (more than or	y cooperative branch or one library in county)	Independent municipal library (headquarters)Independent municipal library (branch)	
			Multicounty or librar member (only library	y cooperative branch or		
111	. Pl	ROJ	ECT DATA			
A. Floor Area in Square Feet 1. Facility prior to project (Check one and give square feet where applicable):						
	X a. No facility currently exists					
			after project co	ently exists, but will not be used as a library sq. ft. completion sq. ft. sq. ft.		
			project (may be	be present library or another building)		
		2.	New facility to be constr	ructed	<u>17,000</u> sq. ft.	
		3.	Square footage of Square footage of	cility existing building the portion of building to of building after expansio	sq. ft. sq. ft. sq. ft. sq. ft. sq. ft.	
		4.	Remodeling of existing	facility (not included in #	sq. ft.	

B. Geographical Area And Population To Be Served By Proposed Facility:

1. Name of city(s), county(s) or region. (If the service area does not conform to city or county boundaries, give the location and population by census tracts.) Belle Glade

Current population 17,018 (2009 – US Census)

The population should be from the most current Florida Estimates of Population, University of Florida.

IV.ESTIMATED COST OF PROJECT

A. Funds B	by Category (Indicate project cost by ap	plicable categor	ies):		
1.	Architect's Fees (include planning costs)	:	\$ <u>550, 0</u>	00	
2.	Site Acquisition	,	\$		
3.	Acquisition cost of building		\$		
4.	New Construction		\$6,30	00,000	
5.	Expansion of existing building		\$		
6.	Remodeling of existing building		\$		
7.	Initial Equipment		\$800,000		
8.	Other (Specify)		\$		
9.	TOTAL (Must equal B.4)		\$ <u>7,6</u>	50,000	
B. Source	of Funds:				
1.	Local funds available		\$ 	50,000	
2.	2. Amount of funds requested from the Public Library Construction Grant Program (State General Revenue)		\$500	0,000	
3.	Amount of funds requested from other Sta		\$		
4.	TOTAL (Must equal A.9)		\$7,6	550,000	
evnend	above includes funds already spent, please litures. (Appraisal costs and incidental pures, etc., are not eligible expenditures and	chase costs such	as surveys	dates of , title insurance,	
Adva Estim Acqu	nce plans	<u>Amount</u>		<u>Dates</u>	

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V. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

One copy of each of the following documents is required to be submitted as a part of the application for public library construction grant funds. Assemble, label and submit documents in the order listed below.

- A. Certification of Application. The chair of the governing body of a county; the governing body of a municipality; or the governing body of a special district or special taxing district that will own or have unconditional use of the building to be constructed, expanded, or remodeled must sign the Certificate of Application.
- B. An ordinance or an adopted and certified resolution from the governing body of the county, municipality, special district or special taxing district including:
 - 1. Authorization for submission of the application;
 - 2. Name or position title of person authorized to sign the application and provide required certifications;
 - 3. Assurance that the required match of a dollar for dollar of the grant request will be available and unencumbered at the time of grant award;
 - 4. Assurance that funding is sufficient and will be available in order that the project will result in a completed library building;
 - 5. Assurance that upon completion of the project, sufficient funds will be available to operate the facility; and
 - 6. Assurance that the building will be used exclusively for the public library purposes for which constructed or altered, and submit proposed changes in use to the Division for approval if within 20 years of the completion of the construction project.
- C. Copy of documents that establish the library, such as a contract, resolution, or ordinance of the government. A copy of the interlocal agreement(s) for library cooperatives and multicounty libraries may be used to meet this requirement.
- D. A narrative description of the construction project, prepared and signed by a professional library staff member who has completed a library education program accredited by the American Library Association. The narrative statement must describe:
 - 1. How the building will function in a currently established multicounty, county, or municipal library. This includes, but is not limited to programs, services and governance;
 - 2. How the construction project will contribute to new or improved services in the area it will serve; and
 - 3. The effects of staffing, maintaining, and costs of operating the proposed facility.

- E. A detailed written building program, prepared and signed by a professional librarian, who has completed a library education program accredited by the American Library Association, functioning as a library building consultant. The professional librarian functioning as the building consultant may be a library staff member. The building program must include:
 - 1. A brief overview of the library including a historical perspective, mission and goals (or roles) of the library;
 - 2. A description of how library functions relate to each other in terms of space, including a description of patron use and work flow patterns; and
 - 3. Projection of future needs based on anticipated future demographics.
- F. If an applicant is applying for funding for a construction project from more than one state funding source, the following information must be provided:
 - 1. Identify all additional state funding sources being applied for. Include the name of the funding program and the state agency administering the program, and
 - 2. Describe how:
 - a. The multiple funding sources will result in a project to provide a higher level of service to residents; or
 - b. The project is in partnership with another organization or agency and how it will provide a higher level of service to residents; or
 - c. Each funding source will be used to accomplish a different or unique portion of the entire construction project.

One copy of each of the following documents is required to be submitted to the Division for approval no later than 90 days after the date of grant award.

If the applicant anticipates starting the construction project prior to the date of the grant award, the following material must be submitted for approval at the time of application submission.

Assemble, label and submit documents in the order listed below.

- A. Specific location of site and a narrative evaluation of the site of the building to be constructed, expanded, or remodeled that is prepared and signed by a professional librarian, who has completed a library education program accredited by the American Library Association, functioning as a library building consultant. The professional librarian functioning as the building consultant may be a library staff member. The site evaluation should justify the choice of site considering:
 - 1. Plans for future expansion or growth;
 - 2. Community growth and traffic pattern projections for the future;
 - 3. Adequate parking, taking into consideration local zoning and building codes, or standards;
 - 4. Convenient access to major pedestrian and vehicular traffic routes; and
 - 5. Physical characteristics of the site.
- B. Assurances, such as a deed, showing that the applicant has legal title to the property and building, a long-term lease of not less than 20 years or a resolution adopted by the applicant's governing body, that the applicant has unconditional use of the site and the building. If a resolution is used as proof, it shall state whether the applicant owns or leases the site and building.
- C. A comparison of the proposed project to .6 square feet per capita for total floor space and standards for library facilities and services. Cite standards used and the source of standards. This shall include at a minimum:
 - 1. Total floor space;
 - 2. The amount and kind of space required for all library functions, including both public and staff areas, meeting space, and space for specific services;
 - 3. Shelving required;
 - 4. Staffing required;
 - 5. Lighting required; and
 - 6. Telecommunications and electrical requirements
- D. A list of the kind and amount of initial furniture and equipment needed for the project.
- E. Subsurface soil analysis. This analysis, which involves soil borings, is to assure that the site can support the weight of a library building. The analysis is required for the following:

- 1. New construction;
- 2. Expansion of existing library facility onto previously unbuilt land, including parking lots: or
- 3. Projects involving an existing building that was not previously used as a library building.

If problems are identified in the analysis, the Division must be informed of how the problems will be corrected.

- F. Certification that the construction project will be in compliance with Federal Executive Order 11988 Floodplain Management, as amended by Executive Order 12148, which are incorporated herein by reference, including certification that the use of flood plains in connection with the construction will be avoided as far as practicable. Certification can be obtained from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. If problems are identified, the Division must be informed of how the problems will be corrected. Include copies of the evaluation report and the plans for correction, if applicable.
- G. Assurance that the site selected for the construction project does not interfere with the protection of properties listed in the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with Section 267.061, *Florida Statutes*. Include a copy of the letter of evaluation. If the project is covered in the protection of properties listed in the National Register of Historic Places in accordance with Section 267.061, *Florida Statutes*, the applicant must obtain written approval from the Division of Historic Preservation before the project is let for bid.
- H. Assurances, such as a deed, showing that the applicant has legal title to the property and building, a long-term lease of not less than 20 years or a resolution adopted by the applicant's governing body, that the applicant has unconditional use of the site and the building. If a resolution is used as proof, it shall state whether the applicant owns or leases the site and building.
- I. Certification by grantee's governing body such as a resolution, or, a signed document from the person or position designated by the grantee's governing body in the resolution submitted with the application, that the grantee will competitively award construction contracts based on the submission of sealed bids, proposals submitted in response to a request for proposal, proposals submitted in response to a request for qualifications, or proposals submitted for competitive negotiations. This also includes contracts for construction management services or design-build contracts.

Florida Department of State, Division of Library and Information Services

CERTIFICATION OF APPLICATION

I certify that this Library Construction Grant Application of the

Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners

PBC Library System, Belle Glade Branch Library

(name of applicant)

is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, that the applicant will comply with the standards established pursuant to Section 257.15, *Florida Statutes*; will furnish such reports and information and follow such procedures as will be required by the Department of State, Division of Library and Information Services; that all funds received for the project will be expended solely for the purposes for which granted and any such funds not so expended, including funds lost or diverted to other purposes, shall be paid to the Department of State, Division of Library and Information Services; and that the current annual appropriation for library service is \$ 49,385,099

PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, a Political Subdivision of the State of Florida BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS	Approved as to terms and conditions			
Karen T. Marcus, Chair	John J. Callahan III			
Date	Joint J. Cananan III			
ATTEST: Sharon R. Bock, Clerk & Comptroller	APPROVEDAS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY			
Clerk of Circuit Court or Other Appropriate Officer	Assistant County Attorney			
Date				

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TO:

State Library of Florida

Bureau of Library Development

R. A. Gray Bldg.

June 7, 2011

500 S. Bronough Street

Tallahassee, FL 32399-0250

FROM: Karen T. Marcus, Chair

Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners

RE: <u>Certification of Exclusive Use as a Public Library for Current Construction Grant Applications</u>

Belle Glade Branch Library

This will certify that the above facility will be used exclusively for public library purposes for which constructed or altered, and the County will submit any proposed changes in use to the State Library of Florida for approval if within 20 years of the completion of the construction project.

John V. Callahan III Library Director APPROVED AS TO LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

Assistant County Attorney

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