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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE:	September 11, 2018
TO:	Board of Supervisors
FROM:	Yolande Wilburn, County Librarian
SUBJECT:	Resolution accepting a grant from the California State Library for \$5,000 in Federal Library Services and Technology Act funds for collection development

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the Resolution

<u>FUNDING</u>: FY18-19 grant of \$5,000. Funding source is from the California State Library through the Federal Library and Technology Services Act. There is no impact on the General Fund.

BACKGROUND: The Federal Library and Technology Services Act allows the California State Library to award funds to Nevada County Community Library to develop the Library's book collection. The funds will be used to purchase books focusing on library staff development; high-interest, low-reading-level books for upper elementary grades through adult; STEM; life over 50; workforce development; veterans and their families; summer reading; mental health; early literacy; and immigrants, refugees, and diversity. The purchased materials will be distributed system wide to the Madelyn Helling Library, the Grass Valley Library, the Truckee Library, Penn Valley Library and Bear River Library as part of the circulating collection.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Yolande Wilburn, County Librarian