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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: February 12, 2019

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Yolande Wilburn, County Librarian

SUBJECT: Resolution accepting a grant from the California State Library for \$8,375 in Federal Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) funds for a Copycat grant to create Learning2Go, early literacy kits, for use during the period January 1, 2019, to September 30, 2019, and directing the Auditor-Controller to amend the fiscal year 2018/19 Library budget to reflect the additional revenue and related expenses.

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Adopt the Resolution

<u>FUNDING</u>: FY18-19 grant of \$8,375. 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 create early literacy kits that will be available for checkout to library patrons and early childhood learning centers. The kits will contain books, manipulatives, equipment and other materials focused on teaching early literacy, math, science and music. The kits will be distributed system wide to the Madelyn Helling Library, the Grass Valley Library, the Truckee Library, Penn Valley Library and the Bear River Library as part of the circulating collection.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Yolande Wilburn, County Librarian