



TEXAS STATE LIBRARY
AND
ARCHIVES COMMISSION



SFY 2021 ILL LENDING REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM GUIDELINES AND TERMS & CONDITIONS

QUESTIONS? Contact Sara Hayes at shayes@tsl.texas.gov.

Program Description

The Texas State Library and Archives Commission (TSLAC) supports a statewide interlibrary loan program for accredited public libraries to help assure that Texans will have access to shared library resources to meet learning and information needs.

The Interlibrary Loan Lending Reimbursement Program helps support Texas libraries with partial reimbursements for direct, out-of-pocket costs associated with participating in statewide resource sharing such as staff time, postage, courier, and shipping material costs.

The reimbursements apply to lends made between August 1, 2020 – July 31, 2021. While dispersed after the end of SFY 2021, the reimbursement payments do need to be applied to costs associated with resource sharing costs expended *during* the time lends were made. **Please discuss this program with your legal entity's accounting office so they are aware this is federal money and, if approved, to expect the payment after the end of the state fiscal year on August 31, 2021.**

Award Information

The reimbursements are sub awards (or pass-through awards) of the Grants to States program from the Texas State Library and Archives Commission's federal funder, Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS).

Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN): LS-246193-OLS-20

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 45.310

Eligible participants will receive a flat rate reimbursement for each lend provided to other Texas libraries through the Navigator ILL system between **August 1, 2020 – July 31, 2021**.

Participants will maintain financial records and supporting documents relating to this program and award (shipping receipts, staff time documentation, courier and cataloging invoices, etc.) for three years after the last State Program Report for the Texas LSTA 5-Year Plan 2018-2022, is submitted on December 31, 2023. Participants need to maintain their records through December 31, 2026.

Eligibility Information

Accredited Texas public libraries, through their governing authority (city, county, board, or district), who are live on Navigator and lending through that system are eligible to apply for a reimbursement payment through this program.

Texas academic libraries that have agreed to lend materials to Texas public libraries through the Texas Group catalog are also eligible for reimbursement payments based on the number of lends made to Texas Navigator libraries during the eligible lending period.

Libraries must lend items to other Texas public libraries using OCLC's Navigator system to be eligible for a reimbursement. OCLC will provide Navigator lending statistics to TSLAC for calculating reimbursement.

Before receiving payment, the library's legal entity (city, county, library board, school) must have a D-U-N-S® Number. Information on how to obtain a D-U-N-S® Number may be found on D&B's website at <https://www.dnb.com/duns-number/get-a-duns.html>. Obtaining a D-U-N-S® Number is always free.

Libraries' legal entities must also have an Active Direct Deposit Account and Texas Identification Number on file at TSLAC.

State agencies/universities will be asked for additional information by TSLAC's grants accountant.

There is no requirement for cost sharing, matching funds, or cost participation with this program.

Application and Submission Information

TSLAC uses a grant management system or GMS that enables applicants to apply for grants electronically through a web portal at <https://grants.tsl.texas.gov>. Applications and required documents must be submitted in GMS by the due dates to be eligible for consideration. To submit your application online, you must have an active GMS account. To create or activate an account, please have your library director submit a completed GMS Import Template (<https://www.tsl.texas.gov/ldn/grants/forms-tools>) to shayes@tsl.texas.gov. The e-mail should reference "GMS Access" in the subject line. TSLAC staff will review the request and grant appropriate access.

If needed because of difficulty using the Internet or for other accessibility reasons, participants may request paper copies of certain materials from Sara Hayes, ILL Coordinator, via e-mail at shayes@tsl.texas.gov.

Application Components:

1. Opt in to the program through the GMS portal and print out the system generated Participation Signature form.
2. Complete and submit the Participation Signature form in the Grant Management System portal by July 16, 2021.
*Signed by Legal Entity (City, County, Library Board, University)
3. Complete and submit a Performance Certification form in the Grant Management System between August 17-31, 2021, after receiving the library's award amount from TSLAC mid-August.
*Signed by Library Director
4. Complete and submit a Single Audit Certification form and submit to TSLAC by December 31, 2021.

Required forms are available in the GMS portal at grants.tsl.texas.gov under the Documents tab in the folder titled "2021 ILL Lending Reimbursement Program".

To request print copies of these forms, contact Sara Hayes at shayes@tsl.texas.gov or 512-463-5406.

Forms submitted after stated deadlines may not be considered for reimbursement.

Submit forms:

Through TSLAC's Grant Management System portal at grants.tsl.texas.gov.

Program Timeline

April 27, 2021	Program opens in GMS
July 16, 2021	Signed Participation Signature form due in GMS
August 17, 2021	Emails go out with notice of award amounts and Performance Certification forms
August 31, 2021	Performance Certification forms due in GMS
September 2021	Payments dispersed
December 2021	Single Audit Certification forms sent out by email
December 31, 2021	Single Audit Certification forms due by email

Texas State Library and Archives Commission
Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) – Terms and Conditions

I. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- A. The Subrecipient will comply with the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts UGMS revised June 2004, located at: <http://www.window.state.tx.us/procurement/catrad/ugms.pdf>
- B. The Subrecipient will comply with Grant Reform 2 CFR Parts §200 and §3187.
- C. The Subrecipient will comply with all Federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination. These include but are not limited to: (a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352) which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion or national origin; (b) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex; (c) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability and the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990; (d) the Age Discrimination Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age; (e) the Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse; (f) the Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616), as amended, relating to the nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism; (g) §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. 290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records; (h) Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §3601 et seq.), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing; (i) any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for Federal assistance is being made; and (j) the requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
- D. The Subrecipient, *if a private entity*, will comply with Federal law pertaining to trafficking in persons. Subrecipient and its employees may not
 - 1. Engage in severe forms of trafficking in persons during the period of time that the award is in effect.
 - 2. Procure a commercial sex act during the period of time that the award is in effect; or
 - 3. Use forced labor in the performance of the award or subawards under the award.
- E. The Subrecipient certifies by this contract that no Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Subrecipient, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid for such purpose, the Subrecipient shall complete and submit OMB form SF-LLL, Disclosure of Lobbying Activities, in accordance with its instructions. The Subrecipient shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subgrants, contracts under grants and cooperative agreements, and subcontracts) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly, as specified in Title 31 U.S. Code, Sec. 1352.
- F. The Subrecipient's authorized representative certifies to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that neither subrecipient nor any of its principals (a) are presently excluded or disqualified; (b) have been convicted within the preceding three years of any of the offenses listed in 2 CFR

Part §180.800(a) or had a civil judgment rendered against it or them for one of those offenses within that time period; (c) are presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses listed in 2 CFR §180.800 (a); or (d) have had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated within the preceding three years for cause or default. Where the Subrecipient is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, the Subrecipient shall attach an explanation to these Terms and Conditions.

- G. Subrecipient understands that acceptance of funds under this contract acts as acceptance of duly authorized representatives of TSLAC, IMLS, the Comptroller General of the United States, and the Texas State Auditor's Office, or any successor agencies, to conduct an audit or investigation in connection with those funds. Subrecipient further agrees to cooperate fully with said representatives in the conduct of the audit or investigation and agrees to provide access to all records requested necessary to conduct the audit and/or investigation. Subrecipient will ensure that this clause concerning the authority to audit funds received indirectly by Sub-Contractors through Subrecipient, and the requirement to cooperate, is included in any sub-grant awarded.
- H. The Subrecipient agrees to maintain all financial and programmatic records, supporting documents, statistical records, and other records relating to this grant award for three years after the last State Program Report for the Texas LSTA 5-Year Plan 2018-2022, is submitted on December 31, 2023. The Subrecipient will maintain their records through December 31, 2026.
- I. The Subrecipient agrees to develop or revise, as necessary, any specific written documentation of its current procedures for (1) collecting and reporting performance measures; (2) conducting a fixed asset inventory; and or, (3) any other issues identified in Subrecipient's internal audit report or grant activities. Drafts of this procedural documentation will be submitted to TSLAC by dates established mutually between TSLAC and Subrecipient. TSLAC will provide review and guidance to enable final versions to be approved on or before established deadlines.
- J. Subrecipient may copyright any work that is subject to copyright and was developed, or for which ownership was acquired, under a Federal award. Subrecipient understands that the federal awarding agency, IMLS, and TSLAC reserve a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable right to reproduce, publish or otherwise use; and to authorize others to use, for Federal purposes (2 CFR §200.315).
- K. The Subrecipient agrees to submit an audit certification form for the auditable period encompassing August 31, 2021 to TSLAC no later than December 31, 2021, or other deadline as specified by TSLAC.
- L. If a single audit is required, the Subrecipient will comply with the Super Circular (2 CFR §200.512 Report Submission). The audit shall be completed and the required data collection form submitted to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse (FAC) within the earlier of 30 days after receipt of the auditor's report(s), or nine months after the end of the audit period, unless a longer period is agreed to in advance by the state agency that provided the funding or a different period is specified in a program-specific audit guide.

II. ENFORCEMENT

- A. Remedies for noncompliance. If Subrecipient materially fails to comply with any term of the contract, whether stated in a state or federal statute or regulation, an assurance, in a state plan or application, a notice of award, or elsewhere, TSLAC may take one or more of the following actions, or impose other sanctions, as appropriate in the circumstances:
1. Temporarily withhold cash payments pending correction of the deficiency by the Subrecipient, or more severe enforcement action by TSLAC;
 2. Disallow (that is, deny both use of funds and matching credit for) all or part of the cost of the activity or action not in compliance;
 3. Wholly or partly suspend or terminate the current contract for the Subrecipient's program;
 4. Withhold further awards for the program; or
 5. Take other remedies that may be legally available.
- B. Hearings, appeals. In taking an enforcement action, TSLAC will provide the Subrecipient an opportunity for such hearing, appeal, or other administrative proceeding to which the Subrecipient is entitled under any statute or regulation applicable to the action involved.
- C. Effects of suspension and termination. Costs of Subrecipient resulting from obligations incurred by the Subrecipient during a suspension or after termination of an award are not allowable unless TSLAC expressly authorized in the notice of suspension or termination, or subsequently. Other Subrecipient costs during suspension or after termination that are necessary, and not reasonably avoidable, are allowable if:
1. The costs resulting from obligations that were properly incurred by the Subrecipient before the effective date of suspension or termination are not in anticipation of it and, in the case of a termination, are non-cancelable; and,
 2. The costs would be allowable if the award were not suspended or expired normally at the end of the funding period in which the termination takes effect.
- D. Relationship to Debarment and Suspension. The enforcement remedies identified in this section, including suspension and termination, do not preclude Subrecipient from being subject to "Debarment and Suspension" under Executive Order 12549 (see UGMS Part III, Subpart C, Sec 35) and state law.
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