



# CITY OF INGLEWOOD

## OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER



**DATE:** May 2, 2023  
**TO:** Mayor and Council Members  
**FROM:** Library Services Department  
**SUBJECT:** Building Forward Grant Award

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the Mayor and Council Members adopt a resolution authorizing the grant application, acceptance, and execution of the grant funds from the State of California Budget Act of 2021 (SB 129), in the amount of \$2,709,531, for the renovation of the Inglewood Main Library.

**BACKGROUND:**

On October 19, 2022, the Inglewood Public Library received an award from the California State Library in the amount of \$2,709,531, utilizing grant funds from the State of California Budget Act of 2021 (SB 129). These funds will be used to cover the seismic retrofit portion of the overall renovation the library.

**DISCUSSION:**

Per the requirements set forth in SB 129 (2021), the City of Inglewood will contribute one-to-one matching funds toward the project. Match funds are subject to the same restrictions as grant funds; may not be spent on any unallowable costs; and must be spent during the grant period at the same rate as grant funds.

The attached resolution must be adopted by the City of Inglewood prior to May 18, 2023, to ensure that funds are not reallocated to another a project.

**FINANCIAL/FUNDING ISSUES AND SOURCES:**

Acceptance of grand funds will obligate the City to provide one-to-one matching funds toward the project during the construction phase of the seismic retrofit portion of the renovation, which is anticipated to take place in the 2024 Fiscal Year.

**DESCRIPTION OF ANY ATTACHMENTS:**

Attachment No. 1: Resolution

**PREPARED BY:**

Harjinder Singh, Deputy City Manager *H.S.*

**COUNCIL PRESENTER:**

Harjinder Singh, Deputy City Manager

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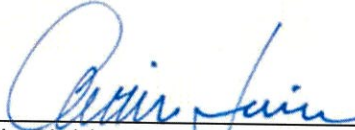
**APPROVAL VERIFICATION SHEET**

**DEPARTMENT HEAD APPROVAL/  
DEPUTY CITY MANAGER APPROVAL:**



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Harjinder Singh, Deputy City Manager

**CITY MANAGER APPROVAL:**



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Artie Fields, City Manager

# **ATTACHMENT NO. 1**

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RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
INGLEWOOD, CALIFORNIA AUTHORIZING THE GRANT  
APPLICATION, ACCEPTANCE, AND EXECUTION OF THE GRANT  
FUNDS FROM THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA BUDGET ACT OF 2021  
(SB 129) FOR THE INGLEWOOD MAIN PUBLIC LIBRARY SEISMIC  
RENOVATION PROJECT.

WHEREAS, the Legislature and Governor of the State of California have provided funds  
for the project shown above; and

WHEREAS, the California State Library has been delegated the responsibility for the  
administration of this grant program, establishing necessary procedures; and

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the California State Library require a  
resolution certifying the approval by potential grantee's governing board either before  
submission of said application(s) to the State or prior to execution of the grant agreement; and

WHEREAS, the grantee, if selected, needs to enter into an agreement with the State of  
California to carry out the project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Inglewood proposes to implement the Inglewood Main Public  
Library Seismic Renovation Project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Inglewood has the legal authority and is authorized to enter into  
a funding agreement with the State of California; and

WHEREAS, the City of Inglewood intends to apply for grant funding from the California  
State Library for the Inglewood Main Public Library Seismic Renovation Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Inglewood,  
California as follows:

1. That pursuant and subject to all of the terms and provisions of the California  
Budget Act of 2021, the City of Inglewood, City Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized and  
directed to prepare and file an application for funding with the California State Library, and  
take such other actions necessary or appropriate to obtain grant funding.

1           2.     The City of Inglewood, Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute the  
2 funding agreement with the California State Library and any amendments thereto.

3           3.     The City of Inglewood, City Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized and  
4 directed to submit any required documents, funding requests, and reports required to obtain  
5 grant funding.

6           4.     Certifies that the project will comply with any laws and regulations including,  
7 but not limited to, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), legal requirements for  
8 building codes, health and safety codes, the California Labor Code, disabled access laws, and,  
9 that prior to commencement of the project, all applicable permits will have been obtained;  
10 and,

11           CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly  
12 adopted by the City Council of the City of Inglewood at the meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_, motion by  
13 \_\_\_\_\_ and seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, motion passed by the following

14 vote:

15 AYES:

16 NOES:

17 ABSTAIN:

18 ABSENT:

**CITY OF INGLEWOOD:**

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**James T. Butts, Jr.,**  
Mayor

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23 **ATTEST:**

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**Aisha L. Thompson,**  
City Clerk