

LIBRARY:

PROJECT:

FY 2023 State Aid for Library Construction Application Checklist

BEFORE YOU APPLY

Due to Pioneer Library System June 1, 2022:

- □ Intent to Apply Form
- □ Proof of Available Funds
- □ Contractor Quote(s)

Libraries should also have/be preparing the following for the full application:

- SAM Registration Renewal (only required if the library has previously had a SAM Account)
- SHPO Approval (if building is 50+ years old, in a historic district, or there will be ground disturbance)

ONLINE APPLICATION

Completed after PLS Board award notifications are sent and due to PLS August 26, 2022:

- □ Application Form
- Additional Sources of Funding (list all sources of funding, public and private)
- □ Project Narratives (complete all five sections)
- □ Budget (funding amount requested; most libraries contract the entire project (Code 40))
- □ Required Attachments (scanned and uploaded to the online application)
 - □ Assurances (must be signed by the Board President at a Board Meeting before the application deadline to PLS)
 - □ Certificate/Proof of Available (examples: a bank statement, proof of bond, legislative member item, or letter by board official on official letterhead)
 - Short Environmental Assessment Form
 - □ Smart Growth Form
 - □ Vendor Bids/Quotes (include a quote from each, if more than one; must include breakdown of individual costs, be signed and dated, and should look official)
 - □ Site Map
 - □ Pre Project Photos (before photos of the site; can be uploaded on one document)
- □ Additional Attachments (may not be required for all applications)
 - Certificate of 10 Year Lease/Legal Agreement (if the library does not own its building)

- Municipal Consent for Site/Building Acquisition Projects (documentation from the municipality that the proposed use of the site/building that is being acquired is allowable according to local land use)
- □ SED Office of Facilities Planning Certificate of Project Approval (required only if the building is owned by a school district and project total cost is over \$10,000)
- □ SHPO Approval (if building is 50+ years old, in a historic district, or there will be ground disturbance)

ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS THAT MUST BE SUBMITTED TO PLS

These documents should be printed single sided. Do not staple documents together.

- **FS-10** Form (provide three one-sided originals signed in **BLUE** ink; leave code categories blank
- □ Payee Form (provide one original signed in BLUE ink)
 - □ Federal Employee ID Number (FEIN or EIN)
 - □ NYS Vendor ID Number
 - DUNS Number (required if the library has previously had a DUNS Number)
 - □ SAM Expiration Date (required if the library has previously had a SAM Account)
- □ Substitute W-9 (provide one original signed in BLUE ink)
 - □ Federal Employee ID Number (FEIN or EIN)

COMPLETED BY PLS

- □ Review/Evaluation Form
- □ Reduced Match Justification Form
- Construction System Contact Person
- □ Reduced Match Justification Letter (attachment)

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