

July 12, 2019

Jocelyn Mandrell
Olton Area Library
PO Box 675
Olton, Texas 79064

Grant#: 18211

Dear Jocelyn Mandrell,

The Tocker Foundation promotes Texas public libraries in communities of 12,000 or less. Grant applications are reviewed by a permanent committee of librarians appointed by the Texas Library Association. This grant brings the cumulative grant support to the Olton Area Library to a total of \$121,949.

We have reviewed your grant application and we wish to fund the following:

Description	Requested		Funded
Furniture & Shelving	\$50,000	up to	\$55,516
Grant Total	\$50,000		\$55,516

The grant is conditional on certain Foundation guidelines and allocation of funds. Release of grant funds is contingent upon receipt of your signed contract as well as fulfillment of any conditions that may be indicated. Please do not implement the project without first returning the grant contract.

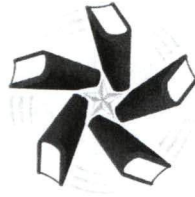
The enclosed contract is based on the breakdown above. Please sign both copies and return ONE signed copy in the enclosed self-addressed envelope. Congratulations on your successful application. We look forward to participating in your project.

Sincerely,



Darryl Tocker
Executive Director





TOCKER FOUNDATION

Grant Contract

Grant Number: #18211

Amount: \$55,516.00

GRANTEE: Olton Area Library

PURPOSE: Furniture & Shelving

TERMS & CONDITIONS: This project of the Olton Area Library must progress to the point that the Furniture & Shelving can viably be installed. Up to \$55,516.00 payable upon the selection and ordering of the Furniture and Shelving.

1. This grant is for the specific purpose(s) set forth herein, as derived from the approved grant application, and moneys received under this agreement should be expended for no other purpose(s) without the express, written approval of the Tocker Foundation.
2. Grantee specifically agrees that no part of the funds received from this grant will be used to carry on propaganda, influence legislation, influence the outcome of any specific public election, or carry on directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive.
3. Grantee agrees immediately to notify the Tocker Foundation, in writing, if (i) grantee's federal tax status is revoked or altered; (ii) Grantee has reasonable grounds to believe that its tax exempt status may be revoked or altered; or (iii) Grantee has reason to believe that these grant moneys cannot be or continue to be expended for the specified purpose(s). In the event that grantee loses its tax exempt status before all funds under this grant are dispensed, this grant contract will be considered null and void and all obligations of the Tocker Foundation hereunder will terminate.
4. Grantee will cooperate with the Tocker Foundation in supplying additional information or in complying with any procedures which might be required by any governmental agency in order for the Tocker Foundation to establish the fact that it has observed all requirement of the law with respect to this grant.
5. The Tocker Foundation retains the right to release information regarding this grant to any public media. Permission is hereby given for Grantee to use any wording

contained in this contract and the accompanying letter in press releases. Grantee agrees to forward to the Tocker Foundation copies of any news releases, published materials, or media articles mentioning this grant which come to Grantee's notice or attention.


- 6. Grantee agrees to submit periodic reports to the Tocker Foundation on the expenditure of Foundation funds. The grant report should be received on or before **July 30, 2020** and subsequent reports may be requested. Grant reports should summarize in narrative form what goals the grant is helping to accomplish and should be accompanied by the accounting of funds used.
- 7. This grant is conditional upon Grantee's acceptance of the terms and conditions set forth herein and in the letter of notification of award. The signature on this document of the persons authorized to make legal contracts for Grantee will represent Grantee's acceptance of this award and agreement to comply with the stated terms and conditions of this grant.

The undersigned officials of the Olton Area Library have carefully read this contract and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein.

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Olton Area Library

By: 
 Darryl Tocker
 Executive Director

By: 
 Jocelyn Mandrell
 Director

Date: July 12, 2019

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By: 
 County Auditor

Date: 7-29-19



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FOUNDATION

The Tocker Foundation was established in 1964 to implement the philanthropic interests of Phillip and Olive Tocker. Phillip Tocker was a practicing attorney, but changed careers in his later years by purchasing the Waco outdoor advertising plant. The family business was destroyed in the 1953 Waco tornado. The family rebuilt and the business survived. Phillip Tocker's vocational career culminated to the position of President of the Outdoor Advertising Association of America. After retiring, Phillip and Olive Tocker actively pursued their avocations. Phillip and Olive Tocker endowed the Foundation with their estates in 1994 and 1993 respectively.

In 1992 the Foundation board decided to focus grant distribution to small rural libraries serving a population of 12,000 or less. The direction is to assist libraries in making services more accessible to individuals who by reason of distance, residence, handicap, age, literacy level or other disadvantage are unable to receive the benefits of public library services. Grants are distributed to assisting libraries to serve as community centers, information resources and provide literacy and bilingual programs. The Foundation partners with community libraries to meet the particular needs of the community.

The Foundation board members are Mrs. Barbara Tocker (Chair), Mr. Terry Tocker (Vice Chair), Mr. Darryl Tocker (Executive Director), Mrs. Donna Tocker, Mrs. Natalie Tocker, Ms. Gretchen Pruett, Mr. Edward Smith and Mrs. Susan Mann. Grant applications are evaluated by a permanent committee of the Texas Library Association. Over the past years the board members have seen inroads made towards library automation, digitization of historical documents and computer access. Grants have been extended for outreach and "shut - in" programs, enhancement of services, adult reading classes, after school projects, bilingual material and many other projects initiated by the community public library. We look forward to serving in this direction for many years.

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