

RESOLUTION 2026-0045

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

February 24, 2026

Transfer of Funds to the Sacramento Public Library (SPL) for Opening Day Collection and Children and Teen Area Enhancements at Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK) Library Renovation Project: (C15000840)

BACKGROUND

- A. The Martin Luther King Jr. (MLK) Library was awarded a Building Forward Grant from the California State Library during the Phase 1a distribution of grants for \$5,562,774 in October of 2022, with a City match of \$2,781,387 approved May 2, 2023.
- B. A total of \$6,461,820 funds were transferred from the General Fund (Fund 1001) and \$3,612,867 funds were transferred from Measure U (Fund 2401) to cover the City match and the remaining cost to design, manage and construct the library renovations.
- C. The project is now under construction, and it is time to secure library opening day materials. As required by the Joint Powers Agreement between the City of Sacramento and the Sacramento Public Library Authority (SPL), the City is required to fund the acquisition of the opening day materials.
- D. Opening day materials were included as part of the overall project budget. The SPL has the expertise and purchasing contracts to procure the required opening day materials. To help streamline the process, the City will enter into an MOU with the SPL, so the City can transfer the funds to SPL for the required purchases.
- E. The City will transfer \$530,000 for the opening day materials. Any funds leftover, after the purchase of opening day materials will be returned to the City by transferring them back into the original CIP. If the opening day materials exceed \$530,000, SPL will be required to fund any cost overruns.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.

The City Manager or designee is authorized to execute a memorandum of understanding between the City of Sacramento and the Sacramento Public Library Authority (SPL) to reimburse the SPL for the purchase of opening day materials.

SECTION 2.

Transfer \$530,000 from MLK Library Renovations Project C15000840, Fund 1001, general fund to the SPL CIP. Any funds leftover, after the purchase of opening day materials will be returned to the City by transferring them back into the original City CIP C15000840, Fund 1001. If the opening day materials exceed \$530,000, SPL will be required to fund any cost overruns.

Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on February 24, 2026, by the following vote:

Ayes: Members Dickinson, Guerra, Jennings, Kaplan, Maple, Pluckebaum, Talamantes, Vang, and Mayor McCarty

Noes: None

Abstain: None

Absent: None

Attest:  03/05/2026

Mindy Cuppy, City Clerk

The presence of an electronic signature certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy as approved by the Sacramento City Council.