

Legal / Contractual Obligation

The budget reflects the passage of Measure 26-143: "Form Library District with permanent rate to fund library services," November 2012 General Election. The district summary states in pertinent part: "If approved, the Multnomah County Library District would be formed with a permanent rate dedicated to library services, operations, books, materials, programs, activities and oversight of the district. Formation of a District would...prevent reductions in services, programs and activities, and hours."

Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Proposed General Fund	Proposed Other Funds
Program Expenses	2024	2024	2025	2025
Personnel	\$0	\$5,373,615	\$0	\$6,471,625
Contractual Services	\$0	\$534,600	\$0	\$466,250
Materials & Supplies	\$0	\$9,201,198	\$0	\$9,201,276
Internal Services	\$0	\$216,044	\$0	\$299,306
Total GF/non-GF	\$0	\$15,325,457	\$0	\$16,438,457
Program Total:	\$15,325,457		\$16,438,457	
Program FTE	0.00	43.25	0.00	50.50

Program Revenues				
Total Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

Explanation of Revenues

This program generates \$265,984 in indirect revenues.

The revenue allocated to this program offer reflects an intergovernmental service reimbursement from the Library District (99.97%) and resources from the County's Library Fund (0.03%). It represents a prorated share of property taxes (98%), other revenues such as interest earnings, grants, and user charges for services provided to library patrons (2%).

Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2024: 80020 Integrated Library Services

The Library Operations Center opened in November 2023 and will house 500,000 books, as well as a 62-bin Automated Materials Handling system. Purchasing for new collections (with bond funds) for opening day at our new libraries began this year. As of February 2024, 64 pallets of books have arrived. Orders for more than double that will be completed by the end of FY 2024. A librarian position dedicated to selecting and procuring materials for the Indigenous community was also added.

Several Access Services Assistant positions have been reassigned from library locations to support the work of the centralized Sort Center in the new Operations Center.