

Ordinance 25-59, An Ordinance of the City Council of Homer, Alaska, Amending the FY26 Capital Budget by Accepting and Appropriating a State of Alaska Public Library Assistance Grant for FY26 in the Amount of \$7,000 for Books and Library Materials. City Manager/Library Director.

**Item Type:** Backup Memorandum

**Prepared For:** Mayor Lord and City Council

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**From:** Dave Berry, Library Director

**Through:** Melissa Jacobsen, City Manager

Homer Public Library has received the Public Libraries Assistance (PLA) grant every year since 1978, and I am pleased to report that we have received it again. This year's grant of \$7,000 is the same amount as in the last several years.

The grant requires a local match of \$7,000, but this is already covered by the library's regular operating budget.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt Ordinance 25-59, accepting the funds from the Public Libraries Assistance grant.