

Justification for Change

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Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO): Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program and National Leadership Grants for Libraries program

IMLS is requesting a change to a previously approved clearance in order to change the Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program and National Leadership Grants for Libraries program. This updated grant program clearance is requesting the same expiration date of 07/31/2018.

Request abstract:

The information collections in this package include the guidelines and instructions to apply for IMLS support in the Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program and the National Leadership Grants for Libraries program.

Justification for the Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program and National Leadership Grants for Libraries

- A few grammatical changes.
- Corrections (to align with, for example, the PIS or the form name), as with:
 - o Pages 16 and 21 of LB21 and pages 14 and 19 of NLG-L, with the changes to “category” and “type”
 - o Page 25 of LB21 and page 23 of NLG-L, with the addition of “IMLS” to “IMLS Budget Form” header
 - o Page 26 of LB21 and page 23 of NLG-L, with the correction of Digital Products Form to Digital Product Form
 - o The correction of the subheaders
 - o Page 27 of LB21 and page 24 of NLG-L, with the inclusion of “Final” with “Final Federally Negotiated Indirect Cost Rate”
 - o The removal of “Ignition” from “Sparks Ignition Grants” in NLG-L
 - o Page 28 of NLG-L, with the removal of the sentence about cost principles, which was removed from all other NOFOs
 - o Page 28 of NLG-L, with the removal of the unallowable cost bullet about animal enclosures, which had no place here
- Addition of the Organizational Profile description is rectifying an omission held over from previous years;
- Deletion of D.2.Part II.d removes a duplication with Section G.
- Corrected the clearance number sections at the very end of the program language.

The respondent burden should remain the same.