

Community Library Enhancement Fund (CLEF) 2018 Spending Summary

\$564,800

were allocated to 59 certified Utah public libraries in 2018 through CLEF.

CLEF dollars can be spent in three areas: collection development, technology for public use, and library programs.

\$1,466,316.04

were leveraged locally with the funds spent through CLEF.

Non-fiction Easy Readers

"Our easy reader collection needed to broaden its selection. [A patron said] *'My son only wants nonfiction. He was so happy to find an entire shelf that meets his interest!'*"

–Beaver Public Library

61%

of CLEF was spent on collection development by 53 libraries.

Book Club Books for Inmates

"In a survey inmates said the book club has taught them to be better readers, introduced them to new genres of books and brightened their incarceration. ... The book club *'keeps my interest in life and learning to move forward.'*"

–Wasatch County Library

34%

of CLEF was spent on technology for public use by 37 libraries.

Hotspots for circulation

"*Thank you so very much for making it possible for my granddaughter to do her school homework at home. I'm a grandmother on a fixed income. Thank goodness Nephi Library had a few hotspots to be checked out. She has kept her grades up. I'm so proud of her.*" – Nephi Library

5%

of CLEF was spent on library programs by 19 libraries.