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Ms. Katrina Quattlander Pana Community Unit School District 8 14 East Main Street Post Office Box 377 Pana, IL 62557-0377

Dear Ms. Quattlander:

I am pleased to announce that your district has been awarded a FY18 School District Library Grant award in the amount of \$934.50. This is based on the FY17 district count of 1246 students who receive library services from your district's grant eligible attendance centers.

Over \$1.2 million is being awarded this year to 610 public school districts. These districts serve more than 1.5 million students. The per pupil rate this year is nearly 75ϕ per student. The minimum award for any eligible school district is \$750.00.

The School District Library Grant provides supplementary support for the school district's library media program, which enhances student learning and academics. Appropriate uses of these grant funds include the acquisition of library materials to support reading for academics and enjoyment, library subscriptions to electronic resources or library based technology to support student research.

As Secretary of State and State Librarian, I commend you for taking advantage of this grant opportunity to improve library resources and services to benefit your students.

Sincerely,

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Jesse White, Secretary of State and State Librarian

cc: Superintendent JW:isl