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Mr. Brandon Ferguson
City Treasurer and Director of Finance
City of Belleville
169 Front Street
Belleville, ON K8N 2Y8

Dear Director Ferguson:

Please see attached 2026 Library Board Operating Budget and Municipal Operating Grant request submission to Council, as approved by the Library Board. I would also like to make a deputation to Council please when they meet to consider this request.

I have included the excel budget sheet showing our 2025 actuals to date, and proposed 2026 budget amounts. Closer to February, I will submit a slide deck for the deputation to be included with the Council agenda package.

We very much appreciate the vital funding we receive from the City of Belleville every year to support our operations. Please let me know if any questions come up regarding our 2026 grant request submission.

Sincerely,

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Encl. Budget spreadsheet

cc. Councillor Paul Carr, Chair, Library Board; Brianne MacNevin, Deputy Treasurer;
Jane Van Manen, Belleville Public Library; Holly Dewar, Belleville Public Library