

## FY2008-2009 Public Library Construction Grants, \$800,000 Annual Program

The New York State Library awarded 59 Public Library Construction Grants totaling \$777,101 (reflects 2.86% reduction in funding) to public libraries and public library systems for State fiscal year 2008-2009. The State Public Library Construction Grant program is funded under [Education Law 273-a](#).

A listing of New York State libraries and systems receiving FY 2008-2009 construction grants follows.

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Public Library System	Public Library	Street	City	Zip	Amt Awarded	Project Description	Lib Director		Phone
<b>Brooklyn Public Library</b>	Brooklyn Public Library--Fort Hamilton	9424 Fourth Avenue	Brooklyn	11209	\$74,747.00	Complete restoration of existing building; construction of 1,700 square foot addition; purchase of new furniture.	Dionne	Mack-Harvin	718-230-2162
<b>Buffalo &amp; Erie County Public Library</b>	BECPL - Riverside Branch	820 Tonawanda Street	Buffalo	14207	\$41,160.00	Replacement of HVAC system.	Bridget	Quinn-Carey	716-858-7180
<b>Chautauqua-</b>	Ashville Free Library	2200 N. Maple Street	Ashville	14710-0379	\$16,152.00	Installation of a chair lift to create	Tabetha	Butler	716-763-

<b>Cattaraugus Library System</b>						accessibility to second floor.			9906
	Olean Public Library	134 N. Second Street	Olean	14760-2583	\$2,819.00	Replacement of 11-year-old numeric keypad door openers with new push plate operators at main entryway.	Lance	Chaffee	716-372-0200
<b>Finger Lakes Library System</b>	Lamont Memorial Free Library	5 Main Street	McGraw	13101	\$5,745.00	Insulation of attic; installation of exhaust fan in attic; installation of 7 interior storm windows on second floor.	Julie	Widger	607-836-6767
	Springport Free Library	171 Cayuga Street	Union Springs	13160	\$2,500.00	Construction of "area of refuge" on basement level for disabled patrons.	Carla	Pipero-Jones	315-889-7766
<b>Four County Library System</b>	New Berlin Library	15 South Main Street	New Berlin	13411	\$32,600.00	Installation of solar panels	Darlene	LaBrie	607-847-8564
<b>Mid-Hudson Library System</b>	Grinnell Library	2642 East Main Street	Wappingers Falls	12590	\$12,000.00	Reconfiguration of entryway and circulation desk areas including removal of walls, reconstruction of space, electrical and lighting; new circulation desk	Matthew	Pfisterer	845-297-3428

	Hudson Area Association Library	400 State Street	Hudson	12534	\$12,178.00	Restoration of front outer doors; restoration of wood window sash and frames of four central ground floor windows; reglazing of windows with laminated glass	Greta	Boeringer	518-828-1792
	Kingston Library	55 Franklin Street.	Kingston	12401	\$11,340.00	Upgrading of existing elevator.	Margaret	Menard	845-339-4260
	<a href="#">Morton Memorial Library and Community House</a>	82 Kelly Street., PO Box 157	Rhinecliff	12574	\$6,000.00	Construction of an accessible bathroom on second floor.	Joanne	Meyer	845-876-2903
<b>Mid-York Library System</b>	Western Town Library	9172 Main Street	Westernville	13486	\$22,334.00	Installation of 16 exterior storm windows; insulation of attic; replacement of boiler; installation of air handler system.	Kathryn	Dorr	315-827-4118
<b>Mohawk Valley Library System</b>	<a href="#">Fort Plain Free Library</a>	19 Willett Street	Fort Plain	13339	\$3,300.00	Removal of existing automatic door openers and replacement with a new wireless opener system.	Laura	Flynn	518-993-4646
	<a href="#">Northville Public Library</a>	341 S. Third Street	Northville	12134	\$14,500.00	Renovation of the basement including	Michael	Burnett	518-863-

						new lighting and electrical outlets, new ventilation, new interior stairs and painting.			6922
	Schenectady County PL - Duane Branch Library	1331 State Street	Schenectady	12304	\$2,843.00	Installation of automatic door opens for front entryway.	Andrew	Kulmatiski	518-388-4543
<b>Monroe County Library System</b>	Rochester PL - Charlotte Branch Library	3615 Lake Avenue	Monroe	14612	\$14,512.00	Replacement of 20 windows throughout library.	Paula	Smith	585-428-8045
	Rochester PL - Winton Branch Library	611 Winton Road North	Rochester	14609	\$14,300.00	Installation of 2 new boilers.	Paula	Smith	585-428-8045
<b>Nassau Library System</b>	<a href="#">Baldwin Public Library</a>	2385 Grand Avenue	Baldwin	11510	\$5,000.00	Installation of motorized Mecho Shades for ceiling-high windows, including new electrical to power the motors.	H. Maria	Sysak	516-223-6228
	Bethpage Public Library	47 Powell Avenue	Bethpage	11714	\$4,994.00	Removal of existing flooring to slab level; leveling of concrete slab and installation of new tile flooring.	Lois	Lovisololo	516-931-3907
	Garden City	60 Seventh	Garden City	11530	\$10,431.00	Installation of	Thomas	Witt	516-

	Public Library	Street				ceiling access hatches and drop ceilings in strategic locations to enable access for current and future wiring; replacement of 7 fire doors.			742-8405
	Hempstead Public Library	115 Nichols Court	Hempstead	11550	\$12,045.00	Reconfiguration of existing space to create new circulation area, including new electrical and data communication lines.	Irene	Duszkiewicz	516-481-6990
	Henry Waldinger Memorial Library	60 Verona Place	Valley Stream	11582	\$4,362.00	Installation of new rooftop ventilation fans to HVAC system.	Mamie	Eng	516-825-6422
	Hillside Public Library of New Hyde Park	155 Lakeville	New Hyde Park	11040	\$4,892.00	Installation of upgraded security camera system.	Charlene	Noll	516-355-7859
	<a href="#">Plainedge Public Library</a>	1060 Hicksville Road	North Massapequa	11758	\$4,992.00	Installation of new lighting and drop ceiling in storage room being converted to Local History Room.	Marilyn	Kappenberg	516-735-4133
<b>The New</b>	NYPL - Stapleton	132 Canal Street	Staten Island	10304	\$95,744.00	Renovation of existing building	David	Ferriero	212-930-

<b>York Public Library</b>	Branch Library					and construction of 7,525 square foot addition.			0674
<b>Nioga Library System</b>	Nioga Library System	6575 Wheeler Road	Lockport	14094	\$7,625.00	Installation of special light filtering shades for windows in reconstructed space; new flooring for reconstructed space.	Thomas	Bindeman	716-434-6167
<b>Onondaga County Public Library</b>	<a href="#">Baldwinsville Public Library</a>	33 East Genesee Street	Baldwinsville	13027	\$3,916.00	Construction of custom-made oak book drop and closet	Marilyn	Laubacher	315-635-5631
	Fayetteville Free Library	300 Orchard Street	Fayetteville	13066	\$27,080.00	Installation of ADA compliant automatic front door; modifications to porch and ramp; reconstruction of parking lot leading to ramp; exterior renovation of front entryway.	Susan	Considine	315-637-6374
<b>Pioneer Library System</b>	Clifton Springs Library	4 Railroad Avenue	Clifton Springs	14432	\$5,200.00	Restoration of front doors; installation of automatic door openers and 2 security cameras for front entryway.	Maryann	Marchitell	315-462-7371
	Geneva Public Library	244 Main Street	Geneva	14456	\$16,216.00	Replacement of evaporative cooling tower.	Michael	Nyerges	315-789-5303

	<a href="#">Honeoye Public Library</a>	PO Box 70	Honeoye	14471	\$3,700.00	Replacement of furnace.	Wendy	Krause	585-229-5020
	Red Creek Free Library	6817 Main Street	Red Creek	13143	\$2,698.00	Replacement of furnace and A/C coils.	Jeanette	Treby	315-754-6679
<b>Queens Borough Public Library</b>	QBPL - Auburndale Community Library	25-55 Francis Lewis Boulevard	Flushing	11358	\$68,898.00	Reconstruction of staff and Teen areas including plumbing, electrical, HVAC, lighting, walls, ceilings, and floors.	Thomas	Galante	718-990-0796
<b>Ramapo-Catskill Library System</b>	Haverstraw King's Daughters PL - Fowler Memorial Building	85 Main Street	Haverstraw	10927	\$5,941.00	Replacement of existing front walkway and ramp and railings to create accessibility.	Joanne	Sininsky	845-786-3800
	<a href="#">Livingston Manor Free Library</a>	92 Main Street	Livingston Manor	12758	\$5,676.00	Insulation of building exterior and replacement of old siding with vinyl.	Peggy	Johansen	845-439-5440
	Sunshine Hall Free Library	14 Proctor Road	Eldred	12732	\$2,500.00	Replacement of the electrical system (100 amp replaced with 200 amp service) and installation of 8 additional outlets throughout building.	Patricia	Kennedy	845-557-6258
	<a href="#">West Nyack</a>	65 Strawtown	West Nyack	10994	\$7,537.00	Installation of new	Rita	Tavel	845-

	<a href="#">Free Library</a>	Road				A/C system for circulation area and director's office, new thermostat, and new exterior condensing unit; installation of 2 new boilers for heat and hot water.		Fogelman	358-6081
	<a href="#">Western Sullivan PL - Delaware Free Branch</a>	45 Lower Main Street.	Callicoon	12723	\$9,550.00	Complete restoration of 26 windows including replacement of all aluminum storm windows with new historically correct wood frame triple track units.	Susan	Scott	845-482-4350
	<a href="#">Western Sullivan PL - Jeffersonville Branch</a>	19 Center Street	Jeffersonville	12748-0594	\$7,774.00	Installation of new HVAC to replace window air conditioners and baseboard electric heat.	Susan	Scott	845-482-4350
<b>Southern Adirondack Library System</b>	<a href="#">Cambridge Public Library</a>	21 West Main Street	Cambridge	12816	\$3,262.00	Replacement of furnace, thermostat, and water heater.	Judy Beth	Center	518-677-2443
	Corinth Free Library	89 Main Street	Corinth	12822	\$4,737.00	Installation of central A/C unit.	Rebecca	Fasulo	518-654-6913
	Crandall Public Library	251 Glen Street	Glens Falls	12801	\$3,825.00	Purchase and installation of RFID	Christine	McDonald	518-792-

						equipment for self-check circulation.			6508
	Woman's Round Lake Improvement Society	1 Bayberry Drive	Ballston Spa	12020	\$10,000.00	Installation of circulation security system for new branch library.	Denise	Coblish	518-899-2285
<b>Southern Tier Library System</b>	CCLD - Horseheads Free Library	405 South Main Street	Horseheads	14845	\$23,164.00	Installation of ADA compliant doors at front entrance and exit; replacement of exterior service/emergency doors; replacement of 22 windows.	James	Sleeth	607-733-8611
<b>Suffolk Cooperative Library System</b>	Bay Shore-Brightwaters Public Library	One South County Road	Brightwaters	11718	\$11,832.00	Installation of hurricane shutters on windows, light controls for upper level, and purchase of a lift to allow access to skylights on exterior of building.	Eileen	Kavanaugh	631-665-4350
	East Northport Public Library	185 Larkfield Road	East Northport	11731	\$2,500.00	Reconstruction of walkway at rear of building including curb cuts for accessibility; reconstruction of front staircase and bookdrop area.	Stephanie	Heineman	631-261-6930
	<a href="#">Half Hollow</a>	55 Vanderbilt	Dix Hills	11746	\$34,487.00	Replacement of	Kevin	Verbese	631-

	<a href="#">Hills PL - Dix Hills Building</a>	Parkway				boiler and air handler systems.			286-1600
<b>Upper Hudson Library System</b>	Albany Public Library - Main Library	161 Washington Avenue	Albany	12210	\$5,000.00	Replacement of lighting fixtures in main library's auditorium.	Timothy	Burke	518-427-4379
	Altamont Public Library	177-181 Main Street	Altamont	12009	\$5,187.00	Painting of complete interior of building once renovations are completed.	Judith	Wines	518-861-7239
	<a href="#">Grafton Community Library</a>	2455 NY 2	Grafton	12082	\$6,194.00	Pave the existing gravel/dirt parking area.	Carolyn	Durnin	518-279-0580
	Nassau Free Library	18 Church Street	Nassau	12123	\$2,525.00	Installation of stair lift leading to community room on lower level.	Patricia	Sahr	518-766-2715
	<a href="#">Sand Lake Town Library</a>	8428 Miller Hill Road	Averill Park	12018	\$7,171.00	Complete renovation of the "Children's Room."	Melinda	Fowler	518-674-5050
	Watervliet Public Library	1501 Broadway	Watervliet	12189	\$4,890.00	Conversion of 2 existing bathrooms into 1 accessible, unisex bathroom.	Ginger	Hewitt	518-274-4471
<b>Westchester Library System</b>	Hastings Public Library	7 Maple Avenue	Hastings-on-Hudson	10706	\$3,450.00	Purchase and installation of hand rails for newly constructed walkway and ramp.	Sue	Feir	914-478-3977
	<a href="#">Katonah Village</a>	26 Bedford Road	Katonah	10536	\$17,215.00	Replacement of heating system	Van	Kozelka	914-232-

	<a href="#">Library</a>					boiler.			3508
	Mamaroneck Public Library District	136 Prospect Avenue	Mamaroneck	10543	\$7,215.00	Installation of fire sprinkler system; new and upgraded plumbing for existing library and new addition.	Susan	Benton	914-698-1250
	Mount Kisco Public Library	100 East Main Street	Mount Kisco	10549	\$7,215.00	Purchase and installation of security system for interior and exterior of new building.	Susan	Riley	914-666-8041
	North Castle Public Library	19 Whippoorwill Road East	Armonk	10504	\$4,216.00	Replacement of HVAC.	M. Cristina	Ansnes	914-273-8929
	Somers Library		Somers	10589	\$7,215.00	Replacement of lighting fixtures throughout building.	Patricia	Miller	914-232-5717

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