## **AGREEMENT**

For 2024 State Aid Recipients

**WHEREAS**, the State of Oklahoma and the Oklahoma Department of Libraries wish to improve library service in the State.

**THEREFORE,** in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein and as set forth in the Oklahoma Administrative Code Title 405, Chapter 25;

The Department will distribute funds as per approved formula. <u>State aid funds are dependent on the Oklahoma Department of Libraries having sufficient funds to pay awards. In case of revenue failures, payments to libraries will be reduced uniformly.</u>

All funds shall be administered according to 11 O.S. § 17-207 (2011), which states, "Any monies received or expended by a municipality must be accounted for by fund and account."

In accepting state aid funds, the undersigned representative of a public library or system agrees that said library or system meets the standards as adopted by the Oklahoma Department of Libraries Board on April 1, 1999, amended in 2017, 2019 and 2022, or are covered by the waivers approved by the Board on December 16, 2022, that address impacts on hours of operation and Maintenance of Effort. Said library or system agrees to adhere to the adopted standards and to notify the Department if such standards cannot be maintained. Said library or system agrees to apply state aid funds for the improvement of public library services. All funds will be expended or obligated on or before July 31, 2025.

## **Lawton Public Library**

Authorized Representative	Library Director
Print Name and Title	$\frac{12/31/24}{Date}$
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