

Senator Bonacic Secures \$5,000 in State Aid for Each of the 27 Libraries in the 42nd Senate District

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(**Middletown, NY**)-Senator Bonacic announced today that he has secured \$5,000 in state aid for each of the 27 libraries in the 42nd Senate District. This aid is in addition to a \$5 million increase in funding for libraries, secured by the legislature in the 2015-2016 state budget, over the level proposed by the Governor. Senator Bonacic successfully advocated to have this additional money included in the budget.

"Local libraries provide our communities with a strong foundation of educational opportunities, chances for adults and children to experience new technologies, and safe and quiet place to learn," said Senator Bonacic. "I can't think of a more appropriate institution to provide these funds too, and I am confident that this money will be put to good use."

The 27 libraries in the 42nd Senate District are:

Canon Free Library, Delhi

Masonville Library, Masonville

William B. Ogden Free Library, Walton

Thrall Library, Middletown

Port Jervis Free Library, Port Jervis

Goshen Public Library, Goshen

Florida Public Library, Florida

Albert Wisner Public Library, Warwick

Greenwood Lake Public Library, Greenwood Lake

Tuxedo Park Library, Tuxedo

Roscoe Free Library, Roscoe

Daniel Pierce Library, Grahamsville

Western Sullivan Public Library—Jeffersonville Branch, Jeffersonville

Western Sullivan Public Library—Delaware Free Branch, Callicoon

Western Sullivan Public Library—Tusten Cochecton Branch, Narrowburg

Ethelbert B. Crawford Public Library, Monticello

Fallsburg Public Library, South Fallsburg

Liberty Public Library, Liberty

Livingston Manor Free Library, Livingston Manor

Sunshine Hall Free Library, Eldred

Mamakating Library, Wurtsboro

Cragsmoor Free Library, Cragsmoor

Ellenville Public Library, Ellenville

Elting Memorial Library, New Paltz

Gardiner Library, Gardiner

Rosendale Library, Rosendale

Wallkill Public Library, Wallkill