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Toronto Public Library Foundation – Assessment of 2017-2019 Fundraising Priorities

Date:	December 12, 2016
To:	Toronto Public Library Board
From:	City Librarian

SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to provide the Toronto Public Library Board with the Toronto Public Library Foundation's response to the Library's 2017-2019 fundraising priorities.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The Foundation's contribution to the Library's programs and services supplement the Library's approved capital and operating budgets. The Toronto Public Library Foundation is an important source of funding and builds capacity for the Library to enhance the level, range and quality of library service for residents and communities across Toronto.

The Director, Finance & Treasurer has reviewed this financial impact statement and is in agreement with it.

DECISION HISTORY

At its October 24, 2016 meeting, the Library Board approved the 2017-2019 Fundraising Priorities report. The approved fundraising priorities were submitted to the Foundation for consideration and response regarding the funding potential of the identified projects.

COMMENTS

The attached letter from the Chair of the Foundation Board provides the Foundation's response to the Toronto Public Library's list of 2017-2019 fundraising priorities.

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ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Letter from the Toronto Public Library Foundation to the Toronto Public Library Board