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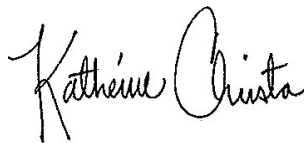
That Superintendent's Recommendation #25-289 Grant Award, be adopted as follows: that the School Committee accept and approve the grant award below in the amount and for the period indicated:

FY26 Mass Cultural Council Creative Experiences Grant (SC26894) - State - in the amount of \$12,500.00 for the period of July 1, 2025 to June 30, 2026.

DESCRIPTION: The Massachusetts Cultural Council awarded Creative Experiences Grant funding to the Cambridgeport, Haggerty, and King Open school libraries for coordinated workshops and a performing arts field trip centered on "Library Lion" - a key text in the library curriculum. In collaboration with Adam Theater, students will explore stage adaptation in an artist-led workshop featuring discussion, improvisation, and interpretation. A field trip to see Library Lion at the Calderwood Pavilion follows, along with a post-show discussion. Designed for grades 2 to 5, this program fosters creative expression, critical thinking, and emotional growth, offering students a unique and enriching experience with professional-level theater.

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Attest:



Katherine Christo
Executive Secretary to the Cambridge School Committee

c: Superintendent