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Ulysses Township Library Obtains USDA Assistance For Needed Repairs

Lincoln, Nebraska, April 5-The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development announced today the funding of \$2,400 in grant funds to assist the Ulysses Township Library with repairs to their facility. The Library is contributing an additional \$900.

Roger Meeks, rural development specialist for Nebraska USDA Rural Development stated, "The USDA grant dollars will be used for repair and replacement of drywall in the library's storage room and stairway, and for the re-tucking of brick and the repair of a window well on the north exterior wall."

USDA Rural Development is a credit arm of the U.S. Department of Agriculture whose mission is to provide financial assistance to rural communities who are unable to secure acceptable credit elsewhere for housing, community facilities, and business development. Assistance provided can be in the form of grants, direct loans, and guarantees on loans made by commercial lenders.

The USDA Rural Development grant funds for the library repairs are provided through the Community Facility Grant Program. For additional information regarding USDA Rural Development Loan and Grant Programs contact Roger Meeks in the USDA Rural Development Office, 6030 S. 58th Street Suite B Lincoln, Neb. 68516 or phone (402) 423-9683. Website: www.rurdev.usda.gov/ne/.

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