

CLEVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

Board Meeting

November 18, 2010

RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT TARGET GRANT

- WHEREAS, Since 1946, Target, the retail corporation, has given 5% of its income to support education, the arts, social services and volunteerism; and
- WHEREAS, Target is committed to supporting the communities where the company does business with grants to help develop new programs and fund existing ones for the needs of diverse populations; and
- WHEREAS, Cleveland Public Library's Winter Reading Club is an existing program that Target recognizes as making a difference in the lives of Cleveland students; and
- WHEREAS, A one-time grant of \$35,000.00 from Target will be used to fund the 2011 Winter Reading Club that will promote books and reading activities to K-12th grade students, featuring a week-long writer in residence program with children's author/illustrator Denise Fleming; now be it therefore
- RESOLVED, The Cleveland Public Library Board of Trustees accepts the \$35,000.00 grant from Target.



November 8, 2010

Ms. Mercier C. Robinson
Grants & Development Coordinator
Cleveland Public Library
325 Superior Avenue
Cleveland, OH 44114

Dear Ms. Robinson:

Target is pleased to inform Cleveland Public Library that a grant has been approved in the amount of \$35,000 for support of Cleveland Public Library Winter Reading Program.

In addition to the grant check, we have enclosed a Charitable Contribution Receipt. Please take a moment to complete the receipt and return it in compliance with Internal Revenue Service guidelines. Please note that your grant check is void if it is not cashed within five months.

We ask that you identify us as "Target" if you choose to produce any announcements or articles in recognition of this grant. Resources to help you promote your partnership with Target are available at <http://www.target.com/marketingresources>.

As always, Target grants are one-time gifts. By making annual commitments, we ensure we can remain flexible and respond to changing community and business needs.

Since 1946, we have given 5 percent of our income to the communities we serve. We are proud to partner with organizations like yours to meet the unique needs of our communities. Whether it's inspiring young minds, offering unique cultural experiences or meeting your community's most basic needs; we thank you for your continued commitment to making a difference.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Beth Lockman".

Beth Lockman
Community Relations
Target

Enclosures: Check, Charitable Contribution Receipt