



# Staff Report

---

**Agenda Item:**           **LIBRARY SERVICES AND TECHNOLOGY ACT (LSTA) GRANT, CENTENNIAL EXPERIENCE** - Discussion and consideration of submitting a Centennial Experience grant application for the Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) Grant through the Arizona State Library, Archives, and Public Records.

**Staff Contact:**           Charlotte Hawken, Library Manager

**Meeting Date:**           March 10, 2009

**Background:**           Arizona State Library, Archives, and Public Records accepts Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) grant applications, annually in March for various project categories. This proposed project is for:

**Centennial Book**

The goal of this project is to showcase Clarkdale and its history as the first planned company town in Arizona and celebrate its Centennial in conjunction with the Arizona Centennial in 2012. Funds will be used to produce a photographic centennial journal, a map and audio-guided walking tour, a website page, historical exhibits, reproduction of the 1989 "Historic Resource Survey of Clarkdale, Arizona, historical postcards and brochures. Community members and the general public will benefit through further education about the town and its unique history, including Mexican and Native American cultures, and early mining/smelting industrial focus and the railroads within north central Arizona.

**Recommendation:**   Approval to submit a Library Services and Technology Act Grant, Centennial Experience application.