

# HOW DOES IMLS FUNDING BENEFIT YOUR CONSTITUENTS?

**\$635**  
thousand  
in system  
grants

**FAST, FREE**  
interlibrary loan  
**DELIVERY**  
5 Days a Week

**\$50**  
million  
in taxpayer  
savings



driving 1.1M miles a year

to **520 libraries** serving  
**2,160,469**  
central & southern Illinois residents

**\$166k**   
to train public library  
trustees

 for the  
better use  
of taxpayer  
dollars

**TRANSLATING TO A TOTAL  
SAVINGS OF:**



**\$25**  
per  
checkout



**\$40**  
per  
mile driven



**\$24**  
per  
resident

meanwhile...  
**IMLS=0.0046%**  
of the **federal budget**



**Illinois Heartland Library System**  
IMAGINING TOMORROW - DELIVERING POSSIBILITIES TODAY