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IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-TWO

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SPONSORED BY: Kassandra Gove **BILL No. 2022-152**  
**Kassandra Gove, Mayor**

**An Order** to authorize the transfer of \$66,100.00 from the Library North Wall Repair Plan capital account (120 0610 5861 04) to hire an architectural firm to create a Facilities Master Plan and to install a climate control solution at the Amesbury Public Library.

**Summary:** This order requests a budget transfer in the amount of \$66,100.00 from the Library North Wall Repair Plan capital account (which has a remaining balance of \$66,100.00). We are requesting that these funds be reallocated as follows:

\$50,000.00: To be used to hire an architectural firm to conduct comprehensive studies, assessments and evaluations of the entire building interior and exterior, resulting in a Facilities Master Plan. This older historic building has a variety of facilities issues, and this master plan will provide us with a priority list of short-, mid-, and long-term facilities projects. Total project cost is estimated between \$70,000.00 and \$88,000.00. Matching funds source is the Library Board of Trustees Trust Funds.

\$16,100.00: To be used to install a climate control solution in the vault and local history collections records room. This climate control solution is necessary to eliminate the current silverfish infestation as well as to prevent future infestations, which can cause irreparable harm to the City's irreplaceable collections. Total project cost is estimated between \$45,000.00 and \$50,000.00. Matching funds sources are Library Water Infiltration Study capital account (120 0610 5861 03) and Private Funds.

**Be it Ordered by the City Council of the City of Amesbury assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:**

Authorizes the transfer of \$66,100.00 from the Library North Wall Repair Plan capital account (120 0610 5861 04) to hire an architectural firm to create a Facilities Master Plan and to install a climate control solution at the Amesbury Public Library.