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**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM:** David Carpenter, Councilman, District 10

**COPIES TO:** City Manager; Deputy City Manager; Executive Team; City Clerk;  
City Attorney; Director of Community Initiatives; Director of Finance;  
Director of Management and Budget; Assistants to the Mayor and  
City Council

**SUBJECT:** Agenda Item for December 19, 2002 - Request for Support of HDSF  
Allocation to the San Antonio Public Library Foundation

DATE: December 12, 2002

I am requesting Council concurrence in placing an item on the City Council Agenda for Thursday, December 19, 2002. I would like to allocate \$10,000 from the District 10 Human Development Services Fund to the Library Foundation for their *Born To Read*: Newborn Reading Initiative.

The Library Foundation is also requesting \$10,000 from **each** Councilmember to support the new program *Born To Read*: Newborn Reading Initiative. These funds will help provide every newborn in the city of San Antonio in 2003 with a *Born To Read* book bag that includes: two bilingual books; a Library card application and branch information; coupons for a *Born To Read* videotape, a children's lullaby CD, a free children's book from the Book Cellar and a "birth certificate" declaring the child a Library Centennial Baby. Your allocation of funds for this initiative will also impress upon parents that they must start reading to their babies right away and that the Library is there for them, in their neighborhood, with an unlimited supply of free books to nurture their children who are *Born To Read*.

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Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated. Please indicate below your concurrence and should you wish to contribute to this program, please sign the memo and indicate the amount you would like to contribute next to your signature.



David Carpenter  
Councilman, District 10

20/yr (Mayor has no fund)

Edward D. Garza, Mayor



(25000)

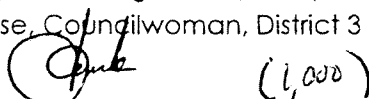
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Enrique "Kike" Martin, Councilman, District 4



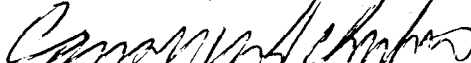
(TBD)

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