## SAMPLE MARKETING GOALS FOR ADULT FICTION MINI-COLLECTION:

- 1. Build community and promote cultural enrichment through onsite and remote activities
- 2. Develop a multi-faceted marketing campaign for promoting collection-related events
  - a. Discuss marketing message for collection, events, and promotional activities with team in light of library mission and environmental scan findings; determine onsite and offsite staffing needs for events and marketing materials budget
  - b. Schedule events and marketing activities; develop promotional materials (e.g. ads, flyers, bookmarks) in English; coordinate with Spanish collection librarian on developing promotional materials in Spanish
  - c. Advertise upcoming events through social media channels, website, patron email listserv, and shelf talkers, as well as through local newspapers (print and online), businesses, nonprofits, cultural institutions; advertise as well at the library's own events
- 3. Establish a reliable community feedback mechanism for assessing effectiveness of marketing efforts Solicit feedback through event attendee surveys distributed immediately after each event and through focus groups recruited from event gatherings, library visitors, and other community members; send requests for participation by social media as well

Example Event 1: "One Book, One Community" book discussions in June (Book: *The Last Ballad*) and October (Book: *House of Broken Angels*).

June: Couple book discussion with an author talk/book signing, if possible (Cash is from NC). Coordinate with local partner on a possible "partnering" cultural event, such as a local factory tour.

October: Book discussion will coincide with Dia de los Muertos, which syncs with *House of Broken Angels* story line. Coordinate with Spanish collection librarian to determine related cultural events.

Example Event 2: Host popup libraries at local business complexes and shopping centers every two months beginning in January (more or less frequently depending on demand)