

STATEMENT ON PRIVATIZATION OF PUBLICLY-SUPPORTED LIBRARIES

The Florida Library Association affirms that libraries and their employees should remain directly accountable to their residents and communities as opposed to transitioning management to private for-profit organizations. Publicly managed libraries provide the highest return on investment of public funds and benefit all who access these services. The Association will support our membership in resisting privatization efforts.

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