2011 Annual System Plan and Tentative Budget

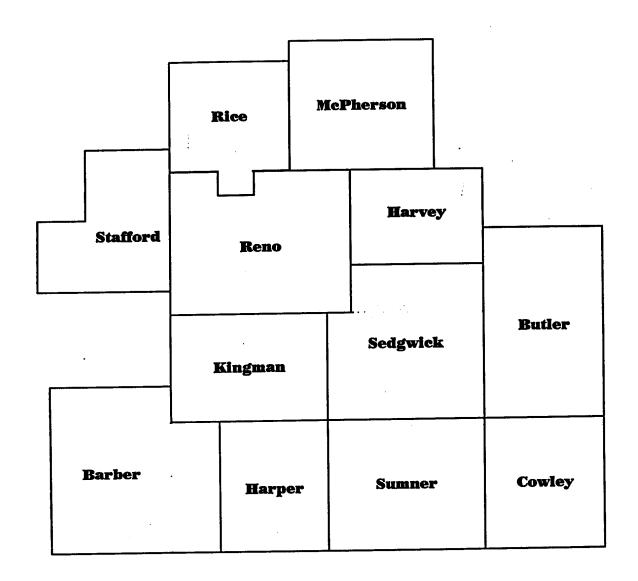


321 North Main Street South Hutchinson, KS 67505 800-234-0529 www.sckls.info The South Central Kansas Library System 2011 Annual Plan and Tentative Budget have been prepared and authorized in accordance with the provisions of applicable Kansas statutes and state regulations. Review and recommendation included the South Central Kansas Library System Executive Committee on March 19, 2010 and adoption by the South Central Kansas Library System Board on April 26, 2010.

Submitted by South Central Kansas Library System, May 31, 2010.

Ву		
	Paul Hawkins, SCKLS Director	
	Barbara Lilyhorn, Chair SCKLS Executive Committee	

Section I, Description



- 1. SCKLS includes the taxing counties of Barber, Butler, Cowley, Harper, Harvey, Kingman, McPherson, Reno, Rice, Sedgwick, Stafford and Sumner and has a service population of approximately 762,058.
- **2.** SCKLS has no contracting libraries and no non-taxing participating counties. Pratt and Kiowa are non-participating and non-taxing counties.
- 3. See next page for a list of all 147 SCKLS participating member libraries.

Section I, Desc	ription, continue	d	
PUBLIC	(73)	SCHOOL DISTRICT	(55)
Andale	Little River	Sacred Heart—Arkansas City	USD 255—Kiowa
Andover	Lyons	USD 267—Andale (Renwick) USD 385—Andover	(South Barber) USD 205—Leon
Anthony	McPherson	USD 361—Andover	USD 400—Lindsborg
Argonia	Macksville	USD 359—Argonia	(Smoky Valley)
		USD 470—Arkansas City	USD 444—Little River/Windom
Arkansas City	Marquette	USD 402—Augusta USD 313—Buhler	USD 405—Lyons USD 351—Macksville
Arlington	Medicine Lodge	USD 462—Burden (Central)	USD 266—Maize
Attica	Moundridge	USD 369—Burrton	USD 418—McPherson
Augusta	Mt. Hope	USD 360—Caldwell	USD 254—Medicine Lodge (North Barber Co.)
Belle Plaine	Mulvane	USD 419—Canton USD 268—Cheney	USD 423—Moundridge
Buhler	Newton	USD 264—Clearwater	USD 263—Mulvane
Burrton	Nickerson	USD 356—Conway Springs	USD 309—Nickerson
Bushton	Norwich	USD 332—Cunningham (West Kingman Co.)	USD 358—Oxford USD 311—Pretty Prairie
Caldwell	Oxford	USD 260—Derby	USD 492—Rosalia
Canton	Park City	USD 471—Dexter	USD 394—Rose Hill
Cheney	Partridge	USD 396—Douglass USD 490—El Dorado	USD 439—Sedgwick USD 509—South Haven
Clearwater	Potwin	USD 310—Fairfield	USD 349—Stafford
Colwich	Pretty Prairie	USD 265—Goddard	USD 376—Sterling
Conway Springs	Rose Hill	USD 440—Halstead/Bentley USD 312—Haven	USD 375—Towanda (Circle) USD 463—Udall
Cunningham	Roxbury*	USD 312—naven USD 261—Haysville	USD 262—Valley Center
Derby	St. John	USD 460—Hesston	USD 353—Wellington
Douglass	Sedgwick	USD 308—Hutchinson	USD 206—Whitewater (Remington)
El Dorado	Sharon	USD 448—Inman USD 331—Kingman/Norwich	USD 259—Wichita
Garden Plain	South Haven		USD 465 Winfield
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Geneseo	Stafford	ACADEMIC (14)	SPECIAL (5)
Goddard	Sterling	Bethany College	El Dorado Correctional Facility-Central
Halstead	Sylvia 	Bethel College	Hutchinson Correctional
Hardtner	Towanda -	Butler Community College	Facility-Central & East
Harper	Turon	Central Christian	Winfield Correctional
Haven	Udall	College of Kansas Cowley Co. Comm. College	Facility
Haysville	Valley Center	Friends University	McConnell Air Force Base,
Hesston	Viola	,	Wichita
Hutchinson	Walton	Hesston College	Sedgwick County
Inman	Wellington	Hutchinson Comm. College	Detention Center, Wichita
Kingman	Whitewater	McPherson College	
Kiowa	Wichita	Newman University	
Latham*	Winfield	Southwestern College	
Leon	Zenda	Sterling College	
Lindsborg		Wichita Area Tech. College	
		Wichita State University	
* Outlets			

Section II, Planning and Budgeting Timeline

SCKLS Planning and Budgeting Timeline

December -- January Update Five-Year Capital Improvement

Plan and make capital improvement transfer

from general fund

February – April Solicit input from Executive Committee, Staff

& Member Libraries

Submit draft annual plan and tentative budget to Executive Committee for

approval

Complete Annual State Library / Regional

Library System Shared Goals

April Submit draft annual plan and tentative

budget to System Board for approval

May – June Submit Report on Annual State Library /

Regional Library System Shared Goals to Executive Committee and State Library of

Kansas Advisory Board

June -- July Gather Motor Vehicle Tax estimates

from county treasurers and assessed property valuation estimates from

county clerks

July Meet with auditor to prepare official

certified budget

August Publish budget and notice of budget

hearing in Wichita Eagle 10 days prior to August Executive Committee

meeting

Hold budget hearing and adopt budget authorization resolution at Executive

Committee meeting

By August 25 Provide copy of published budget and

notice of hearing, budget

authorization resolution and signed official certified budget to Reno

County Clerk

Section II, Service and Programs

SCKLS Mission Statement

The mission of the South Central Kansas Library System is to assist member libraries to provide excellent service to their communities. SCKLS provides grants, consulting, continuing education and cost-effective support services to its member libraries.

SCKLS General Goals

The general goals of SCKLS are as follows:

- 1. Facilitate access for all SCKLS residents to library resources and services.
- 2. Provide assistance in the continuous development of each member library.
- 3. Encourage and assist interlibrary cooperation and resource sharing.

Policy Statements

In January 2009, the Executive Committee considered and authorized the following policy statements which serve as bases for the services and grants that SCKLS offers as well as for its governance structure. These policy statements are presented to give member librarians and others a better understanding of how SCKLS seeks to create equity and allocate limited resources in serving its diverse public, school, academic and special library membership:

- Whenever possible, new SCKLS grants and services should potentially benefit all types of member libraries.
- SCKLS is a multi-type library system serving in some form the needs of all its
 public, school, academic and special members. SCKLS does not provide grants
 and services exclusively for one type or size of library. SCKLS provides grants and
 services to and through its member libraries.
- School districts and other public, academic and special libraries with multiple library sites are recognized as a single entity for membership purposes.
- For eligibility, all SCKLS grants require evidence of local effort either in the form of a cash match or the provision of resource-sharing services or programming.
- For technology matching grants, a member library may receive one grant a year.
 For automation matching grants, a member library may receive one grant every three years.

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- For continuing education grants, any member librarian, staff, public library board member or Friend is eligible to receive up to \$750 a year reimbursement for eligible continuing education training or classes.
- For interlibrary loan resources sharing grants, any individual school or special member library site that provides at least 50 interlibrary loans annually is eligible for a grant.
- Public and academic library members receive grants-in-aid on the basis of population, interlibrary loans provided to other libraries and the number of registered borrowers served outside their library or institution. In addition, public and academic member libraries receive grants-in-aid because they are open more hours and are more accessible to the general public than school and special library members.
- Public and academic library members are eligible for the Rotating Collections service because they are open more hours and are more accessible to the general public than school library members. Special library members are eligible for the Rotating Collections service because there only three special libraries that use the program and they do not constitute a major demand on the limited resources.
- Continuing Education events and programs are scheduled with consideration to audience, location, time, modes of presentation and other applicable factors to reach target audiences.
- Special library members comprise 3.4% of the total SCKLS membership and while there is no position on the Executive Committee exclusively for special library members, there are two at-large positions for which special library members and others may seek election.

State Library / Regional Library System Shared Goals

The State Library of Kansas, Topeka and the seven Regional Library Systems cooperate and collaborate to improve library services to all the citizens of Kansas. The State Library and Regional Library System Shared Goals are found in **Appendix A**.

Section II, Services and Programs

SCKLS Current Year and 2011 Year Goals

In 2008, the SCKLS contracted with the Office of Educational Innovation and Evaluation (OEIE) at Kansas State University, Manhattan to assist in an evaluation and planning process. OEIE facilitated a strategic planning process with member library participants that indicated overall satisfaction with SCKLS. Summaries and reports of the survey and strategic planning exercise can be found at the SCKLS website: www.sckls.info

Since 2009, the changed economy has been critical to evaluating and planning SCKLS grants and services. In December 2008 and 2009, SCKLS announced its continued financial commitment to its existing seven grant programs despite continuing reductions in funding from state and regional sources. Member libraries give high priority to SCKLS grant programs. Using its Services Contingency Line Item, SCKLS was able to establish a new Resource Sharing Grant Program for public and academic libraries in 2009. SCKLS grants, which total \$1,187,000 for 2010, benefit public, school, academic and special member libraries.

Despite reduced income for 2011 and because of their importance to member libraries, SCKLS will fund all its 2011 grant programs with no reductions in existing amount as well as continue the new \$50,000 Resources Sharing Grants for Public and Academic Libraries and increase the Grants-in-aid to Public and Academic Libraries by \$7,000 and increase the Resource Sharing Grants for School and Special Libraries by \$5,000.

Major goals for 2011 are as follows:

- 1. Continue to assist and position SCKLS and member libraries to address the changed economy.
- 2. Establish a basic training program for School Library Media staff.
- 3. Provide Rotating Collections visits four times a year rather than seven to reduce program costs and risks.
- 4. Continue to evaluate and implement suggestions for improvements to grants and services on the basis of ongoing evaluation and planning.

In 2009 and 2010 SCKLS has been able to restrict expenditures by reducing overall spending; create salary savings from open positions; defer purchase of replacement vehicles and reduce the General Fund transfer to its Capital Improvement Fund. Staff have reduced expenditures in their respective areas of responsibility. SCKLS has focused on the changed economy and how it affects member libraries. During 2009, a number of continuing education programs related to the changed economy were offered and an updated list of vendor discounts for member libraries has been added to the SCKLS website.

Section II, Services and Programs (Current and 2011 Year Goals)

If the economy improves and adequate funding is available in 2012, SCKLS may rehire a Training and Web Development Consultant and establish a new School Library Media Consultant position. As evidenced by its continuous planning and evaluation, surveys of member libraries and annual goal setting, SCKLS has demonstrated it will address the ongoing and changing needs of all its member libraries.

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Program of Services and Grants to Member Libraries

Administrative

Definition of service: The Director and Human Resources and Financial Specialist perform budget, governance, policy, financial and human resources duties necessary for efficient operation of SCKLS. In 2006 and 2008, SCKLS was recognized with perfect audits of its financial processes. The SCKLS Grants-in-aid program for member public and academic libraries, Interlibrary Loan Resources Sharing Grants for School and Special Libraries are included in their areas of responsibility. The Director and Human Resources and Financial Specialist also manage the South Central Kansas Library System Foundation (SCKLF). The Director provides referrals and authorizes limited assistance in the professional areas of public library legal authority; architectural; and accounting services.

Staff and resources: One full-time Director position and one-full time Human Resources and Financial Specialist position.

Service Guidelines: The Director provides general library and library development consulting as well as specialized consulting in budget, governance, policy, finance, employment issues and building projects. The Human Resources and Financial Specialist provides specialized consulting in accounting and general information in the area of human resources. The Director and Human Resources and Financial Specialist provide information and consulting in their areas of expertise, collaborate to provide solutions and make referrals to other resources when appropriate.

Member Responsibilities: Member libraries should contact the Director or Human Resources and Financial Specialist for information or with questions.

Automation and Technology

Definition of service: Consulting services and limited hardware/software support are provided to assist member librarians in the use of current technologies. This service provides leadership, advice, training and consulting in the areas of automation, technology planning, technology policies, Internet use, electronic information services, hardware/software/security recommendations and basic computer and network troubleshooting. The new South Central Kansas Automation Network (SCKAN) consortium provides cost-savings and resource-sharing for interested and participating member libraries.

Phone assistance for basic computer troubleshooting is available from the Technology Consultant. The Automation / Technology Consultant works on-site with member libraries. Planning and consulting services are available from the Director of Information Technology. Staff also refer to third party technical resources in conjunction with the above mentioned services and assist with third party price negotiations for computer hardware and software purchases.

Section II, Services and Programs (Technology and Consultant)

Technology Grant programs are available to assist member libraries with the acquisition of hardware/software upgrades, new technologies and/or automation projects as defined by current grant guidelines. Technology grants programs include Technology Matching and Automation Matching. Continuing education services include a training lab for customized training.

Staff and Resources: Three full-time positions: one full-time Director of Information Technology; one full-time Automation / Technology Consultant; and one full-time Technology Consultant. Online resources include the SCKLS website: **www.sckls.info** for access to various SCKLS training, tutorials, continuing education, Internet links, grant applications and other information. An electronic mail list has also been established to further communication among SCKLS members.

Service Guidelines: SCKLS technology consultants provide consulting, facilitate evaluation and purchase of equipment and make referrals to other resources when appropriate. SCKLS provides member libraries matching technology grants subject to guidelines and availability of funds. SCKLS provides phone access and referral to next level technical assistance for member libraries.

Member responsibilities: Member libraries who need assistance in any of the previous areas should contact the SCKLS Automation / Technology staff as outlined in the above "Definition of service." The Automation / Technology staff will attempt to resolve the query by phone, e-mail, in person or through referrals to appropriate resources. Computer troubleshooting phone assistance is available during the hours of Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. from the Technology Consultant. Member libraries are encouraged to apply for technology matching grants.

Consultant Services

Definition of service: SCKLS consultant services include both general and specialized services. SCKLS consultants provide expertise in the following areas: accounting, budget, governance, human resource issues, management, planning, evaluation, policies, collection development, programming, children and youth, technology issues and traditional and emerging library services.

Staff and resources: The Director, Director of Information Technology, Automation / Technology Consultant, Technology Consultant, Continuing Education Coordinator, Training and Web Development Consultant, Youth Services Consultant and Human Resources and Financial Specialist are responsible for providing services to member libraries. The consultants collaborate with each other to provide improved service.

Service guidelines: SCKLS consultants provide consulting in their areas of expertise, collaborate to provide solutions and make referrals to other resources when appropriate.

Member responsibilities: Member libraries are encouraged to contact consultants by phone, e-mail or schedule on-site assistance and meetings.

Section II, Services and Programs, (Continuing Education)

Continuing Education

Definition of service: SCKLS member librarians, trustees, Friends and volunteers can participate in a wide range of workshops and training programs. Workshops are offered each year on a variety of topics and in locations throughout the region. Topics dealing with basic skills as well as trends and innovations in librarianship are covered. New librarians receive an on-site orientation to SCKLS services from the Continuing Education Coordinator. The Director provides orientation and training for new public library trustees. Staff provide additional training in their areas of expertise as requested. A Continuing Education Committee advises the CE Coordinator. The Continuing Education Support Specialist works in cooperation with the CE Coordinator. The Training and Web Development Consultant assists with training and web design.

Hallmarks of the annual SCKLS continuing education program include the following:

Public Library Funding and Governance Workshops Summer Reading Program for Youth Database Trainings Book Repair Workshops Annual November Training Day Quarterly Basic Skills Training (BLaST) Program

To encourage participation in continuing education activities other than those offered by SCKLS, Continuing Education Reimbursement Grants of up to \$750 per member librarian, trustee or Friend per year help pay registration and tuition costs. Eligibility for the program is open to all member libraries subject to grant guidelines. A new School Library Media staff basic training program is being planned for 2011.

Staff and resources: The full-time CE Coordinator, with the assistance of one half-time Continuing Education Support Specialist as well as SCKLS consultants and staff, are responsible for development and implementation of the continuing education program and other training events. The CE Coordinator administers Continuing Education Reimbursement and Library Programming Grants. A Professional Collection is maintained and available for circulation or by interlibrary loan.

Service guidelines: SCKLS fosters a culture of continuous learning. SCKLS routinely surveys the continuing education needs of member libraries and develops programs to meet those needs. SCKLS encourages and supports participation in continuing education programs offered for public, academic, school and special library members as well as those for public library trustees and Friends of libraries.

Member responsibilities: Library staff, trustees, Friends and volunteers are encouraged to participate in continuing education and use the SCKLS CE Grant Reimbursement program. Member libraries are encouraged to use the Library Programming Grants for eligible programs and events at their libraries. The primary source for CE information is a calendar of events and registration details available at the SCKLS website: www.sckls.info. Paid training time and recognition of CE participation by library employees is encouraged by SCKLS.

Section II, Service and Programs (Facility and Grants-in-Aid)

Facility

Definition of Service: The SCKLS facility offers a large training / meeting room that seats 40-60 as well as three small meeting rooms that seat 16 each. A 16 person lab is equipped for web videoconferencing and another is set up for computer training. SCKLS member libraries and library-related groups are encouraged to use the SCKLS facility free-of-charge for meetings and training.

Staff and resources: The CE Coordinator, Human Resources and Financial Specialist and Training and Web Development Consultant coordinate and schedule use of the four meeting and training rooms.

Service guidelines: SCKLS member libraries and library-related groups may use the SCKLS facility for meetings and training. SCKLS will assist in coordinating refreshments and catering for meetings.

Member responsibilities: Member libraries and library-related groups are encouraged to schedule meetings and trainings at the SCKLS facility. SCKLS reserves the right of meeting room use for SCKLS-sponsored events.

Grants-in-Aid

Definition of service: Primary funding for services and programs of the South Central Kansas Library System comes from a tax on all property outside of established public library districts in Barber, Butler, Cowley, Harper, Harvey, Kingman, McPherson, Reno, Rice, Sedgwick, Stafford and Sumner counties. The SCKLS Grant-in-Aid program, which totals \$982,000 annually, partially compensates the 73 public library members of SCKLS for services they provide to registered library borrowers who are not residents of their public library tax district.

In the case of the 14 eligible academic library members of SCKLS, the Grant-in-Aid program compensates them for registered library borrowers who are not enrolled as students or who are not employees of their institution. In addition to the grants-in-aid programs for public, academic, school and special libraries, SCKLS initiated Library Programming Grants for member libraries in June 2007 and new Resource Sharing Grants for school and special libraries in 2008 and for public and academic member libraries in 2009. Non-courier participation is not a legitimate basis for denial of ILL services.

Three factors comprise the formula for the distribution of grants-in-aid to 73 public and 14 eligible academic member libraries:

- (1) a base grant calculated from the population of the library's service area
- (2) a supplemental grant calculated on the basis of the number of registered borrowers outside the library's taxing district or academic institution, and
- (3) a supplemental grant calculated on the number of interlibrary loans provided to other libraries.

Section II, Services and Programs (Grants-in-aid and Interlibrary Loan)

Staff and resources: The Director and Human Resources and Financial Specialist administer the grants-in-aid program.

Service guidelines: SCKLS service population categories and base grants are as follows:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Population</u>	Base Grant
Gateway	Fewer than 500 service population	\$ 2,756
Linking	500 – 1,000 service population	\$ 3,978
Service Center	1,001 – 2500 service population	\$ 4,736
Major Service Center I	2,501- 10,000 service population	\$ 6,770
Major Service Center II	10,001 – 25,000 service population	\$13,828
Major Resource Center I	25,001 – 100,000 service population	\$40,808
Major Resource Center II	More than 100,000 service population	\$66,462

After base grants are calculated, the amount of funds remaining from the total grants-in-aid budget for the year are calculated as supplemental grants. Supplemental grants are calculated on a 50/50 basis for the number of registered borrowers outside the library's taxing district or academic institution and the annual number of interlibrary loans a library has provided to other libraries. SCKLS recommends grants -in-aid be spent by the end of the calendar year in which they are received. SCKLS provides partial reimbursement to public and academic libraries for interlibrary loans and began a new School and Special Libraries Interlibrary Loan Resource Sharing Grant in Fall 2008.

Member responsibilities: As a condition for SCKLS membership, participating libraries agree to provide a free library card and free interlibrary loan services, subject to local borrowing rules, to any individual who requests them and who lives within the 12 county region of SCKLS. Member libraries agree to update or remove inactive borrower registration records every three years. Members are responsible to spend funds according to guidelines and to complete such reports as may be required by SCKLS and the State Library of Kansas, Topeka.

Interlibrary Loan

Definition of service: Interlibrary loan is the state and nation-wide sharing of library materials. Subject to local borrowing rules, a resident of the 12-county SCKLS taxing area may initiate an interlibrary loan request free-of-charge from any SCKLS member library. State and nation-wide sharing of library materials is made possible through the Online Computer Library Center (OCLC), Kansas Library Catalog (KLC), and Kansas Information Circuit Network (KICNET). The KLC, a statewide catalog of library holdings, is used to locate materials that are available in Kansas. The OCLC system is used to locate materials nationwide for member libraries.

Section II, Services and Programs (Interlibrary Loan and Rotating)

SCKLS maintains a Professional Collection, Children's Preview Collection and Book Discussion Collection for use by member libraries. The Professional Collection and Book Discussion Collections are available onsite and through interlibrary loan.

Staff and resources: SCKLS provides one half-time position and access to OCLC and KICNET for member libraries that do not have access to these services.

Service guidelines: SCKLS provides interlibrary loan services and encourages resource sharing among all libraries. SCKLS offers training and support for the delivery of these services to each member library. SCKLS provides grants-in-aid to SCKLS member public, academic, school and special libraries to assist in the partial reimbursement of providing interlibrary loan service to borrowers outside of their taxing district or academic institution.

Member responsibilities: Member libraries are encouraged to provide and promote interlibrary loan services to their users. Member libraries are encouraged to send staff to SCKLS sponsored continuing education activities or request on-site training. Member libraries are encouraged to know and follow state and national ILL protocols and applicable policies and procedures for interlibrary loan service.

Rotating Collections Service

Definition of service: Quarterly, the Rotating Collections Service selects and provides public and academic member libraries with loans of westerns, romances, mysteries, large print books, popular fiction, non-fiction, audiocassettes, books on compact disc and Spanish language books. Materials provided by the Rotating collections service supplement the collections of public and academic member libraries. A compact disc cleaner and repair machine is available for member libraries to use at SCKLS.

Staff and resources: One thirty-hour-a-week, one fifteen-hour-a-week staff and one ten-hour-a week driver. A rotating collections van is used to make deliveries.

Service guidelines: SCKLS will provide a collection of popular materials to public, academic and special member libraries. School library members are not eligible for the service.

Member responsibilities: Member libraries agree to box rotating collections prior to the delivery of their scheduled rotation. Member libraries agree to meet the rotating collections driver and van at their libraries according to the rotating collections schedule and to facilitate the exchange of materials.

Section II, Services and Programs (Technical and Youth)

Technical Services

Definition of service: Processing services include assistance with cataloging of library materials as well as discounts on supplies for member libraries. Bulk purchase allows for the resale of discounted processing supplies to member libraries. Ordering is conducted by member libraries primarily through Baker & Taylor Online (BTOL). Catalog card sets and Marc records are provided using OCLC, the Online Center for Library Cataloging. SCKLS answers questions and advises member libraries regarding acquisition, cataloging and processing of library materials.

Staff and resources: One half-time and one fifteen-hour-a-week staff. SCKLS provides access to OCLC, Books-in-Print and other acquisitions and cataloging resources.

Service guidelines: SCKLS provides technical services including assistance with cataloging of library materials as well as discounts on supplies for member libraries. SCKLS maintains access to OCLC and advises on the addition and deletion of bibliographic records to the Kansas Library Catalog. Retrospective conversion of library materials is not provided.

Member responsibilities: Member libraries may use the technical services of SCKLS, their own technical services or other service providers and vendors. Ordering and processing are the responsibility of member libraries as is the deletion of bibliographic records from the Kansas Library Catalog.

Youth Services

Definition of service: A consultant is available to assist librarians with all aspects of service to children and young adults. Consulting includes collection development such as book selection and weeding, workshops and the annual Summer Reading Program. In 2004, a Children's Puppet Play Resource Collection was established. In 2006, Summer Reading Program Grants were begun. If the economy improves and there is sufficient funding for 2012, a new School Library Media Consultant position will be established. The School Library Media Consultant will be responsible for providing a program of services to SCKLS school district member library media specialists.

Staff and resources: SCKLS employs a full-time youth services' consultant to provide assistance in services to children and young adults. One half-time Continuing Education Support Specialist provides support for the SCKLS Summer Reading Program. Kits in the Children's Puppet Play Resource Collection are available for loan. Mystery Notebooks to use with young people in grades 3 to high school are also available to SCKLS members. A Children's Preview Collection is available at the SCKLS Training Facility and Offices. Summer Reading Program grants are available.

Section II, Services and Programs (Youth)

Service guidelines: SCKLS provides assistance to member libraries in the development and evaluation of programs for children and young adults, collection development, storytelling activities and workshops to promote continuing education and training. SCKLS organizes and facilitates the annual Summer Reading Program.

Member responsibilities: SCKLS member libraries are encouraged to participate in training activities and to work with other agencies within the community who also provide services to children and youth. Summer Reading Program Grants are available. Member libraries may schedule use of resources in the Children's Puppet Play Collection and Mystery Notebooks.

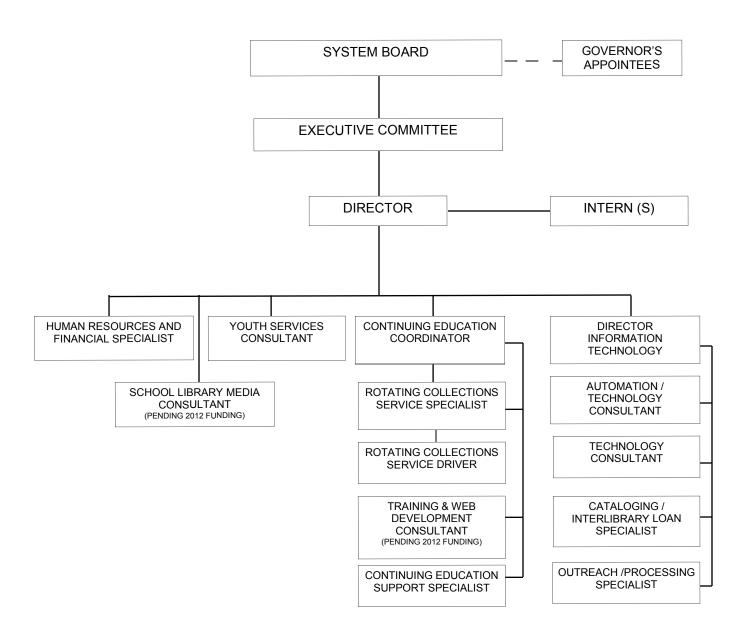
SOUTH CENTRAL KANSAS LIBRARY SYSTEM - 2011 Section III, Staff

System Staff

Position	Staff	FTE
Director	Paul Hawkins	1
Human Resources and Financial Specialist	Mia Wilson	1
Director of Information Technology	Larry Papenfuss	1
Automation / Technology Consultant	Sharon Barnes	1
Technology Consultant	Lee Scott	1
Youth Services Consultant	Julie Tomlianovich	1
Continuing Education Coordinator	Tom Taylor	1
Continuing Education Support Specialist	Elizabeth Rankin	.50
Training and Web Development Consultant	Open	1
Cataloging / Interlibrary Loan Specialist	Dianne Bogle	1
Rotating Collections Specialist	Suzie Fox	.70
Processing / Outreach Specialist	Janice Tuxhorn	.70
Library Intern	Open	.10
Rotating Collections Van Driver	Leland Woodson	.25
Total Staff		11.25

Section III, Organizational Chart

ORGANIZATION CHART



Section IV, Governor's Appointees

Governor's Appointees

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1st 4-year Term - Expires: 12/2011

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2nd 4-year Term -Term Expires: 12/2013

Major Service Center I

Gail Niles Stucky

Co-director, Bethel College Library

300 East 27th St.

North Newton, KS 67117

Work: 316-284-5361 Fax: 316-284-5843

astucky@bethelks.edu

1st 4-year Term + Unexpired Term - Expires: 12/2013

At-large, Position II

Susan Woodard

Director, Cheney Public Library 203 North Main, PO Box 700 Cheney, KS 67025-0700 Judy Bennett-Vice-chair

Derby Public Library 1600 East Walnut Grove Derby, KS 67037

Work: 316-788-0760 Fax: 316-788-7313

judy@derbylibrary.com

2nd 4-year Term + Unexpired Term - Expires: 12/2012

Major Service Center II

Merle Bender

215 Lake Vista Circle Hesston, KS 67062 Home: 620-327-4227

1st 4-year + Unexpired Term - Expires: 12/2013

At-large, Position I

Nan Myers

Director for Public Services Wichita State University Libraries 1845 Fairmount P.O. Box 68 Wichita, KS 67260-0068 Work: 316-978-5130

nan.myers@wichita.edu

1st 4-year Term - Expires: 12/2012

Jane Lee

Board Member, Partridge Public Library

PO Box 126

Partridge, KS 67566-0126 Home: 620-567-3572

1st 4-Year Term + Unexpired term - Expires: 12/2013

Gateway

Deb Simpson

Branch Manager, Wichita Comotara Branch Public

Library

2244 North Rock Road Wichita, KS 67226 Work: 316-688-9350 dsimpson@wichita.gov

2nd 4-year Term - Term Expires: 12/2012

Margaret Wiebe

Director, Mary Miller Library, Hesston College

325 South College Drive Hesston, KS 67062

Work: 620-327-8245 Fax: 620-327-8300

margaret@hesston.edu

1st 4-year Term - Term Expiries: 12/2011

Two and Four Year Academic

Work: 316-542-3331

cheneypubliclibrary@cheneyks.org
2nd 4-year Term - Term Expires: 12/2013

Service Center

Section IV, SCKLS System Board Representatives

SCKLS System Board

The governing body of the South Central Kansas Library System is the System Board. The System Board consists of one representative appointed by the governing body or administrator of each participating public, academic, school and special library. In addition, the System Board is made up of the Executive Committee and a Governor's Appointee from each of the twelve counties in the SCKLS service area.

Each library representative is eligible to serve on the System Board until the governing board or administrator of the participating library, college, university or school district appoints a replacement. The name of each member library's representative should be communicated to SCKLS by June 1 of each year.

The System Board has the authority to pass upon the major policies and philosophy of operation of the system as recommended by the Executive Committee, adopt the tentative annual budget and program of services, elect the Executive Committee and to delegate the Executive Committee such powers and duties as the board may deem appropriate subject to any restriction imposed by law.

The System Board Representative receives all official SCKLS communications related to System Board matters and is eligible to vote on issues that affect the SCKLS membership as a whole. The System Board representative should be interested and be able to attend the SCKLS Semi-annual meetings held the last Monday in April and October.

The following pages identify System Board representatives. To update contact information for your System Board Representative, please e-mail Elizabeth Rankin, Continuing Education Support Specialist, elizabeth@sckls.info.

Section IV, SCKLS Public Library Representatives

City	Public Library	Represent	<u>tative</u>
Andale	Andale District Library	Judy	Horsch
Andover	Andover Public Library	Carol	Wohlford
Anthony	Anthony Public Library	Sandy	Trotter
Argonia	Dixon Township Library	Melodee	Gaskill
Arkansas City	Arkansas City Public Library	Dalene	Hawthorne
Arlington	Arlington City Library	Not	Designated
Attica	Attica City Library	Lillian	Tubb
Augusta	Augusta Public Library	Not	Designated
Belle Plaine	Belle Plaine City Library	Vicki	Bohannon
Buhler	Buhler Public Library	Pam	Fast
Burrton	Ruth Dole Memorial Library	Rhonda	Corwin
Bushton	Farmer Township Community Library	Barbara	Orth
Caldwell	Caldwell Carnegie Library	Lisa	Moreland
Canton	Canton Township Carnegie Library	Not	Designated
Cheney	Cheney Public Library	Susan	Woodard
Clearwater	Clearwater Public Library	Not	Designated
Colwich	Colwich Community Library	Nancy	Maus
Conway Springs	Conway Springs City Library	Danna	Fulkerson
Cunningham	Cunningham Public Library	Not	Designated
Derby	Derby Public Library	Judy	Bennett
Douglass	Douglass Public Library	Not	Designated
El Dorado	Bradford Memorial Library	Not	Designated
Garden Plain	Garden Plain Community Library	Joyce	Loehr
Geneseo	Geneseo Public Library	Ronnie	Bauer
Goddard	Goddard Public Library	Kendra	Mork
Halstead	Halstead Public Library	Not	Designated
Hardtner	Hardtner Public Library	Joy	Helmer
Harper	Harper Public Library	Tina	Welch
Haven	Haven Public Library	Mary Jane	Biltz
Haysville	Haysville Community Library	Betty	Cattrell
Hesston	Hesston Public Library	Not	Designated
Hutchinson	Hutchinson Public Library	Gregg	Wamsley
Inman	Inman Public Library	Donna	Sallee
Kingman	Kingman Carnegie Library	Grace G.	Helm
Kiowa	Kiowa Public Library	Not	Designated
Leon	Leon Public Library	Not	Designated

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City	Public Library	Represen	tative
Lindsborg	Lindsborg Community Library	Pat	Hazelwood
Little River	Little River Community Library	Yolanda	Donnelly
Lyons	Lyons Public Library	Becky	McBeth
Macksville	Macksville City Library	Jody	Suiter
Marquette	Marquette Community Library	Donna	Elvin
McPherson	McPherson Public Library	Steve	Read
Medicine Lodge	Lincoln Library	Rosalee	Armstrong
Moundridge	Moundridge Public Library	Lisa	Teter
Mount Hope	Mount Hope Public Library	Sandra	West
Mulvane	Mulvane Public Library	Tram	Nguyen
Newton	Newton Public Library	Marianne	Eichelberger
Nickerson	Nickerson Public Library	Gay	Sykes
Norwich	Norwich Public Library	Carol	Gray
Oxford	Oxford Public Library	Nyla	Sawyer
Park City	Park City Community Public Library	Not	Designated
Partridge	Partridge Public Library	Margo	Garton
Potwin	Potwin Public Library	Not	Designated
Pretty Prairie	Pretty Prairie Public Library	Patti	Brace
Rose Hill	Rose Hill Public Library	Cindy	Maxey
St. John	Ida Long Goodman Memorial Library	Christie	Snyder
Sedgwick	Lillian Tear Library	Karen	Barnett
Sharon	Wisner Library	Not	Designated
South Haven	South Haven Township Library	Not	Designated
Stafford	Nora E Larabee Memorial Library	Dixie	Osborn
Sterling	Sterling Free Public Library	Shirley	Kenyon
Sylvia	Sylvia Public Library	Not	Designated
Towanda	Towanda Public Library	Judy	Burris
Turon	Turon Community Library	Sharon	Nitzsche
Udall	Udall Public Library	Bertha	Rhoads
Valley Center	Edna Buschow Memorial Library	Janice	Sharp
Viola	Viola Township Library	Claire	Charlebois
Walton	Walton Community Library	Carmen	South
Wellington	Wellington Public Library	Kim	Wiens
Whitewater	Whitewater Memorial Library	Jean	Thiessen
Wichita	Wichita Public Library	Deb	Simpson
Winfield	Winfield Public Library	Joan	Cales
Zenda	Zenda Public Library	Pam	Dick

Section IV, SCKLS School Library Representatives

<u>USD</u>	City	Representative	
267	Andale (Renwick)	Loretta	Sadler
385	Andover	Suzanne	Eastman
361	Anthony-Harper	Kim	Bauer
359	Argonia	Pat	Conklin
470	Arkansas City	Not	Designated
	Arkansas City, Sacred Heart	Pam	Hess
402	Augusta	Not	Designated
313	Buhler	Not	Designated
462	Burden (Central)	Not	Designated
369	Burrton	Not	Designated
360	Caldwell	Not	Designated
419	Canton	Jessica	Bowman
268	Cheney	Carla	Ewy
264	Clearwater	Judy	Kramer
356	Conway Springs	Cortney	Ast
332	Cunningham (W. Kingman Co.)	Jerree	Fitzsimmons
260	Derby	Anita	Brozik
471	Dexter	Not	Designated
396	Douglass	Rashelle	Leivian
490	El Dorado	Judy	George
310	Fairfield	Not	Designated
265	Goddard	Not	Designated
440	Halstead/Bentley	Mary	Raple
312	Haven	Jean	Volk
261	Haysville	Tambra	Owens
460	Hesston	Lois	Brubacher
308	Hutchinson	Denise	Neighbors

Section IV, SCKLS School District Representatives

<u>USD</u>	<u>City</u>	Representative	
448	Inman	Cheryl	Rife
331	Kingman/Norwich	Desiree	Moore
255	Kiowa (S. Barber Co.)	Jill	Daughhetee
205	Leon	Rita	Herl
400	Lindsborg (Smokey Valley)	Not	Designated
444	Little River/Windom	Sheena	Bruce
405	Lyons	Donna	Surprise
351	Macksville	Not	Designated
266	Maize	Margie	Eaton
418	McPherson	Dee	Shively
254	Medicine Lodge (N. Barber Co.)	Barbara	Keitner
423	Moundridge	Vania	Winsor
263	Mulvane	Janet	Allard
309	Nickerson	Lou	Brewer
358	Oxford	Renee	Sanchez
311	Pretty Prairie	Edna Ruth	Kemp
492	Rosalia	Not	Designated
394	Rose Hill	Angela	Boese
439	Sedgwick	Dee Ann	Merhoff
509	South Haven	Peggy	Frieouf
349	Stafford	Gerry	Hildebrand
376	Sterling	Amy	Brownlee
375	Towanda (Circle)	Vicki	Patton
463	Udall	Don	Klein
262	Valley Center	Lenna Lea	Wiebe
353	Wellington	Sarah	House
206	Whitewater	Not	Designated
259	Wichita	Janet	Fowler
465	Winfield	Beverly	Simmons

Section IV, SCKLS Academic and Special Library Representatives

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Library Name</u>	Represent	<u>ative</u>
Bethany College	Wallerstedt Library	Denise	Carson
Bethel College	Bethel College Library	Barbara	Thiesen
Butler Community College	L W Nixon Library	Micaela	Ayers
Central Christian College of Kansas	Briner Library	Judy	Stockstill
Cowley Co Community College	Renn Memorial Library	Rhoda	MacLaughlin
Friends University	Edmund Stanley Library	Max	Burson
Hesston College	Mary Miller Library	Margaret	Wiebe
Hutchinson Community College	JFK Library & Rimmer Learning Resource Center	Robert	Kelly
McPherson College	Miller Library	Not	Designated
Newman University	Ryan Library	Joe	Forte
Southwestern College	Deets Library	Not	Designated
Sterling College	Mabee Library	Valorie	Starr
Wichita State University	University Libraries	Not	Designated
Wichita Area Technical College	Library	Rita	Sevart

<u>Institution</u>	Represen	Representative	
El Dorado Correctional Facility Central / North	Margaret	Adamson	
Hutchinson Correctional Facility Central/East	Kate	Field	
Kansas Veteran's Home Library	Bob	Marsh	
McConnell Air Force Base Library	Darla	Cooper	
Sedgwick County Detention Library	Not	Designated	

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BYLAWS South Central Kansas Library System

Adopted by the South Central Kansas Library System Board, October 27, 2008

Article I

Name

The name of this organization shall be the South Central Kansas Library System. Throughout the statement of these bylaws, the term "System" shall mean the South Central Kansas Library System.

Article II

Authority and Purpose

By authority of Kansas Statutes Annotated 75-25-47, et seq., the System is a political and taxing subdivision of the State of Kansas and a non-profit, educational entity. The purpose of the System is to provide through an organization of cooperating libraries, service to all citizens of the South Central Region.

Article III

Membership

Section 1. Membership of each participating library is established by petition to the State Library of Kansas Board in the original petition for system designation or by amendment to that petition, with prior approval of the System's governing body.

Section 2. As defined by K.S.A. 75-2548, membership shall be open to any school, two or four-year college, regents university, public library, or special library in the manner authorized by state law and regulations of the State Library of Kansas Board.

Section 3. A participating library may withdraw from membership to the System by submitting written notification to the System's governing body, one year prior to the adoption of the annual budget, subject to the approval of the State Library of Kansas Board.

Section 4. The participating libraries of a county, when in unanimous agreement, may withdraw that county from the System by submitting written notification to the System's governing body one year prior to the adoption of the annual budget, subject to the approval of the State Library of Kansas Board.

Section 5. In the event of the withdrawal of a participating library from the System, all system assets and property such as rotating materials, and other materials and equipment on loan from the System shall be returned to the System.

Article IV

Governing Body

Section 1. The governing body of the system shall be the System Board. The board shall consist of one representative or an alternate appointed by the Trustees or institutional administrators of each participating

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library. In addition, there shall be one representative from each participating county appointed by the Governor to represent territory not within the district or any participating library, but within the tax district of the system.

Section 2. Each library representative is eligible to serve on the System Board until the officers of the participating library, college, university or school district appoint a replacement. The name of each member library's representative and alternate shall be communicated to the System Director by June 1 of each year. The Governor's appointees are eligible to serve until the Governor appoints a replacement.

Section 3. As specified in K.S.A. 75-2550, the System Board shall have authority to 1) operate a system of library service to and for participating libraries; 2) purchase service from a participating library for the benefit of the system; 3) contribute to or receive and utilize any gifts to the system; 4) contract with participating libraries; 5) contract with any other system board; and 6) employ a System Director and such other persons as the System Board may find necessary. The System Board shall have authority to pass upon the policies and philosophy of operation of the system as set by the Executive Committee, adopt the annual budget and program of services, elect the Executive Committee, and to delegate in these bylaws to the Executive Committee such powers and duties as the Board may deem appropriate, subject to any restriction imposed by law.

Article V

Executive Committee

Section 1. As specified in K.S.A. 75-2550a, the Executive Committee shall have authority to set policy, perform legal functions, hire a System Director, and conduct system business on a month-to-month basis between meetings of the system board. To that end, the Executive Committee is hereby delegated those powers, enumerated in Article 4, Section 3, with the exception of power to adopt budget, which power is reserved exclusively to the System Board. The Executive Committee is specifically authorized on behalf of the board to act upon applications for system membership.

Section 2. The Executive Committee shall consist of a total of 13 members. It will include one representative from each of the following interest areas: 1) Governor's Appointees, 2) School district libraries, 3) Gateway libraries, 4) Linking libraries, 5) Service Center libraries, 6) Major Service Center I libraries, 7) Major Service Center II libraries, 8) Major Resource Center I libraries, 9) Major Resource Center II libraries, 10) Two or four year college libraries, and (11) Regents University libraries. Two At-large members shall be elected by the System Board. With the exception of Governor's Appointees and At-large members, a member of the Executive Committee shall be a current member of a public library board, an employee of a member public library or an institutionally designated representative of a member academic, school district or special library in the interest area the member represents. The two At-large members may be citizens who shall reside within the boundaries of the System and are interested in improving library services.

Section 3. The standard term of office for an elected member of the Executive Committee shall be four years with a maximum of two consecutive four-year terms. A member appointed to serve an unexpired term remains eligible for two consecutive four-year terms upon completion of the unexpired term. In the event of a vacancy, the Chair may fill the position by appointment, which will be in effect for the remaining term of the vacated position. In the case of a vacancy from an interest area in which there is only one member library, appointment will be made by the Chair of the Executive Committee in consultation with the respective member library and with the approval of the Executive Committee. In the case of an Executive Committee member who is also a member of a local public library board, the Executive Committee member's term of office on the Executive Committee shall end in December of the year in which such Executive Committee member's term of office on a local public library board expires.

Section 4. The members of the Executive Committee shall elect a Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary/Treasurer in December. Terms of office begin January 1 and end December 31 of each year. The duties of the officers are as follows:

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The Chair shall set the agenda for and preside at all meetings; appoint all committees; be a voting member of all committees; sign all approved minutes, assume, jointly with other officers, responsibility to authorize the disbursement of funds; and generally perform all duties associated with that office.

The Vice-Chair, in the event of the absence or disability of the Chair, or of a vacancy in that office, shall assume and perform the duties and functions of the Chair.

The Secretary / Treasurer shall sign all approved minutes of proceedings of each Board and Executive Committee meeting; insure that adequate and correct accounts of the funds and property of the System are kept; sign all disbursements approved by the Executive Committee; and be bonded in an amount determined by the Executive Committee.

Section 5. Any Executive Committee member may resign upon submitting a written resignation, which shall be filed with the Chair. The resignation shall become effective when so filed, unless some other effective date is set forth in the resignation.

Section 6. The System Director shall be the administrative officer for the System. He or she shall report to the Executive Committee on the operations of the System and shall employ and direct such employees that are found to be necessary for the operations of the System.

Section 7. The Recorder will be a System employee designated by the System Director to keep true and accurate minutes of all proceedings of each Board and Executive Committee meeting, attaching a copy of any documents adopted by the Board or Executive Committee; and provide copies of the minutes on request.

Article VI

Ethical Standards

Section 1. Members of the Executive Committee and the System Director must promote a high level of library service while observing ethical standards. No member of the Executive Committee or the System Director may directly or indirectly have an interest in a business or service that conducts business with or contracts with the System. Executive Committee members and the System Director must also avoid situations in which personal interests might be served or financial benefits gained at the expense of library users, member libraries, or the System as a whole.

Section 2. Any member of the Executive Committee who applies for employment with the System must resign prior to making application. A new Executive Committee member will be appointed in accordance with the process outlined in the Bylaws.

Article VII

Standing Committees

Section 1. The System Executive Committee shall serve as the budget committee. The System Director shall present a recommended budget and plan of operation to the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall then evaluate and recommend the budget to the System Board for approval at the April meeting.

Section 2. Such other committees, standing or special, shall be appointed by the Chair, as the System Executive Committee shall from time to time deem necessary.

Article VIII

System Board Meetings

Section V, Bylaws

Section 1. Regular meetings of the System Board will be held in April and October or at the call of the Chair. The April meeting shall be the annual meeting for operations and for the transaction of other business. The October meeting shall be the regular meeting for elections to the Executive Committee, as well as for transaction of other business. Information concerning business items will be available to all System Board members at least one month in advance of the meetings.

Section 2. Each member of the System Board, or his alternate, shall have one vote in the governance of the System at System Board meetings. A mail ballot may be used, when approved by the System Board or Executive Committee.

Section 3. State law (K.S.A. 75-4317 and 75-4318) specifies that all meetings of the System Board shall be open to the public. The designated system board member or a duly appointed alternate (as provided for in Article IV, Section 1) from each participating institution and representatives appointed by the Governor shall be eligible to vote in the proceedings of the Board.

Section 4. A majority of qualified representatives present at any legally called meeting of the System Board shall constitute a quorum.

Article IX

Executive Committee Meetings

Section 1. State law (K.S.A. 75-4317 and 75-4318) specifies that all meetings of the Executive Committee shall be open to the public. The Executive Committee shall meet once a month unless the Chair in consultation with the Director determines there is insufficient business to transact. Written notice of such meetings and an agenda must be provided to Executive Committee members at least one week in advance. At meetings of the Executive Committee, a quorum shall consist of seven members.

Section 2. Special meetings shall be called at any time by the Chair or at the written request of a majority of Executive Committee members. Written notice stating time and place of any special meeting and the purpose for which called shall, unless waived, be given each member of the Executive Committee at least two days in advance of such meeting, and no business other than that stated in the notice shall be transcribed at such meeting.

Article X

Election

Section 1. Public notice seeking nominations for election to the Executive Committee shall be posted at least two months prior to the date of the October System Board meeting. In the case of nominations from interest areas in which there is only one member library, nominations will be made by the respective member library in consultation with the Chair of the Executive Committee.

- Section 2. Nominations shall also be requested from the floor at the October meeting.
- Section 3. Nominations for election to the Executive Committee from those representatives appointed by the Governor shall be solicited by the System Director.
 - Section 4. Election will be conducted by signed ballot of designated System Board representatives or alternates.

Article XI

Reimbursement

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall receive no salary, but shall receive reimbursement for actual expenses incurred in attending System functions or in attending library-related functions as a representative of the System.

Article XII

South Central Kansas Library Foundation

Section 1. In accordance with the Bylaws of the South Central Kansas Library Foundation, members of the Executive Committee may serve as the Board of Directors of the South Central Kansas Library Foundation. The Board of Directors of the South Central Kansas Library Foundation may also include authorized representatives that are employees, community volunteers or donors affiliated with a member library.

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Article XIII

Bylaws Amendment

Section 1. The Executive Committee shall appoint a bylaws review committee as needed.

Section 2. Amendments to these bylaws shall be made at the April or October meetings of the System Board and shall require a two-thirds vote of the System Board members attending.

Section 3. Proposed amendments, specifying changes, must be mailed to all System representatives at least one month prior to the meeting at which the amendments are to be brought before the System Board.

Article XIV

Parliamentary Procedure

All meetings and business shall be conducted according to *Robert's Rules of Order Revised* where such are not in conflict with these bylaws.

Section VI, Proposed Tentative Budget

SCKLS 2011 Proposed Tentative Budget

Reviewed and recommended by SCKLS Executive Committee, March 19, 2010 Pending Review and approval by SCKLS System Board, April 26, 2010

Budget Category	2009 Actual	2010 Budget	2011 Proposed	2010 / 2011 Difference	2010 / 2011 % Change
<u> Daagot Catogory</u>	Aotau	Buaget	Порозоц	Dinordrice	70 Orlange
Audit & Budget & Accounting	\$17,957	\$19,000	\$19,500	\$500	3%
Rent	\$76,000	\$79,000	\$79,000	\$0	0%
Insurance	\$14,899	\$16,500	\$16,500	\$0	0%
Postage	\$7,372	\$13,000	\$7,500	(\$5,500)	-42%
Printing	\$2,135	\$3,500	\$2,500	(\$1,000)	-29%
Salaries	\$443,319	\$482,195	\$496,585	\$14,390	3%
Employee Benefits	\$110,085	\$199,666	\$221,629	\$21,963	11%
Supplies	\$10,913	\$17,500	\$17,500	\$0	0%
Travel & CE for Staff	\$28,754	\$36,000	\$36,000	\$0	0%
Member Library CE & Training	\$31,151	\$38,000	\$38,000	\$0	0%
OCLC (Cataloging/ILL)	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$0	0%
Grants-in-aid: Public & Academic	\$982,000	\$982,000	\$989,000	\$7,000	1%
Resource Sharing: School & Special	\$9,776	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	100%
Resource Sharing: Public & Academic	\$0	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000	0%
Grants-Continuing Education	\$45,194	\$45,000	\$45,000	\$0	0%
Grants-General Technology	\$32,117	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$0	0%
Grants-Automation	\$36,348	\$50,000	\$50,000	\$0	0%
Grants-Programming	\$3,117	\$7,500	\$7,500	\$0	0%
GrantsSummer Reading	\$6,500	\$7,500	\$7,500	\$0	0%
Library Materials	\$66,030	\$83,000	\$83,000	\$0	0%
Internet Services	\$9,171	\$11,000	\$11,000	\$0	0%
Telephone	\$13,615	\$13,500	\$13,500	\$0	0%
Contractual Services	\$53,556	\$80,000	\$59,000	(\$21,000)	-26%
Technology	\$41,479	\$39,000	\$39,000	\$0	0%
Vehicle Expenses	\$12,294	\$22,000	\$20,000	(\$2,000)	-9%
Capital Outlay	\$64,497	\$80,000	\$65,000	(\$15,000)	-19%
Transfer Capital Improvement Fund	\$25,000	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$0	0%
Services Contingency	\$55,849	\$75,000	\$75,000	\$0	0%
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebates	\$0	\$115,441	\$115,441	\$0	0%
Totals	\$2,229,128	\$2,665,302	\$2,719,655	\$54,353	2.0%

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative

2011 SCKLS Tentative Budget Narrative

(Reviewed and Recommended by SCKLS Executive Committee, March 19, 2010)

Audit / Budget / Accounting

Increase \$500

 2009 Actual
 \$ 17,957

 2010 Projected
 \$ 19,000

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 19,500

The firm of SJHL, McPherson annually audits SCKLS financial records and assists with the preparation of official budget documents. Monthly accounting and payroll services are provided by the Hutchinson firm of Adams, Brown, Beran and Ball. Cost of the annual budget publication in the *Wichita Eagle* is included in this line item.

Rent No change

 2009 Actual
 \$ 76,000

 2010 Projected
 \$ 79,000

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 79,000

SCKLS pays about \$6,583 a month for rental of 13,400 square feet of space at its training facility and offices at 321 North Main Street, South Hutchinson. Rent includes the cost of utilities.

Insurance and Bonds

No change

 2009 Actual
 \$ 14,899

 2010 Projected
 \$ 16,500

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 16,500

Insurance includes general property and automobile liability for vehicles, electronic equipment, board of directors and employment practices as well as surety bonds required by state law.

Postage Decrease \$5,500

2009 Actual \$ 7,372 2010 Projected \$ 13,000 2011 Tentative \$ 7,500

Includes standard business mailings and mailings of information, books, supplies and children's puppet play resources to member libraries. SCKLS has significantly reduced its mailings and relies on its website and list-serv to communicate with member libraries.

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative, continued

Printing Decrease \$1,000

 2009 Actual
 \$ 2,135

 2010 Projected
 \$ 3,500

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 2,500

Includes photocopier paper and costs for printing of materials to support continuing education programs and communications to member libraries. SCKLS has reduced its volume of printing.

Salaries Increase \$14,390
Benefits Increase \$21,963

2009 Actual \$ 553,404 (\$ 443,319 Salaries / \$ 110,085 Benefits)
2010 Projected \$ 681,861 (\$ 482,195 Salaries / \$ 199,666 Benefits)
2011 Tentative \$ 718,214 (\$ 496,585 Salaries / \$ 221,629 Benefits)

SCKLS currently employs 10 full-time and 2 half-time staff in the following positions: Director, Continuing Education Coordinator, Director of Information Technology, Automation/Technology Consultant, Technology Consultant, Youth Services Consultant, Human Resources and Financial Specialist, Cataloging/Interlibrary Loan Specialist, Rotating Collections Specialist, Processing/Outreach Specialist as well as a Rotating Collections Service Driver, Continuing Education Support Specialist and Library Intern(s) which are each half-time positions.

Open positions include Training and Web Development Consultant and School Library Media Consultant. SCKLS provides eligible employees health insurance, Kansas Public Employees Retirement System, deferred compensation, health reimbursement and wellness program benefits. In 2011, individual staff may be eligible for a 0 - 4% increase in salary based on merit and performance of their job duties.

Supplies No change

 2009 Actual
 \$ 10,913

 2010 Projected
 \$ 17,500

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 17,500

Includes standard office and work items used by SCKLS staff to provide service to member libraries as well as custodial supplies for the SCKLS Training Facility and Offices. SCKLS has reduced the number of supplies purchased.

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative, continued

Travel and Staff Continuing Education

No change

2009 Actual	\$ 28,754
2010 Projected	\$ 36,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 36,000

Nearly half of the SCKLS staff travel on a daily basis to provide expertise and assistance to member libraries as well as attend state and national library conferences and meetings. Costs for SCKLS staff continuing education and training are part of this line item.

Member Continuing Education & Training

No change

2009 Actual	\$ 31,151
2010 Projected	\$ 38,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 38,000

Continuing education and training are primary services of SCKLS. Costs associated with continuing education programs for member libraries including presenters, meeting rooms and hospitality are charged to this line item. In 2009, nearly 1,300 member librarians and other individuals participated in continuing education and training provided by SCKLS.

OCLC (Cataloging & Interlibary Loan)

No change

2009 Actual	\$ 30,000
2010 Projected	\$ 30,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 30,000

Includes charges from the Bibliographical Center for Research (BCR) through the Online Computer Library Center (OCLC) for production of bibliographic records and other cataloging for member libraries as well as costs related to interlibrary loan requests for member libraries.

Grants—Aid to Local Units

Increase \$7,000

2009 Actual	\$ 982,000	
2010 Projected	\$ 982,000	
2011 Tentative	\$ 989,000	

In 2007, public and academic member libraries received a 9% increase in their annual **base** grant for local library service development. As specified in grant guidelines, each public and academic library also receives a **supplemental** grant as partial reimbursement for serving users outside of their taxing district or academic institution and for interlibrary loans provided to other libraries. No reduction in grants-in-aid funding occurred in 2009 and 2010; nor will any occur in 2011. Increase due to changed service population category for one public library and consequently its qualifying for a higher grant amount.

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative, continued

Resource Sharing Grants—School and Special Libraries Increase \$5,000

 2009 Actual
 \$ 9,776

 2010 Projected
 \$ 5,000

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 10,000

In Fall 2008, school and special libraries that provided at least 50 or more interlibrary loans annually were eligible for a grant to partially reimburse their resource sharing. No reduction in interlibrary loan resource sharing grants funding occurred in 2009 and 2009; nor will any occur in 2011. Non-courier participation is not a legitimate basis for denial of ILL services.

Resource Sharing Grants—Public and Academic

New line item

2009 Actual \$

2010 Projected \$ 50,000 2011 Tentative \$ 50,000

In May 2009, public and academic libraries that provided at least 50 or more interlibrary loans annually became eligible for a grant to use towards resources sharing. The new grant may be used to pay the costs of standard postage, courier service(s), other interlibrary loan delivery methods such as UPS or FedEx and or to purchase new library materials that will be available for interlibrary loan. This grant was funded through the Services Contingency Line Item in 2009 and 2010. Non-courier participation is not a legitimate basis for denial of ILL services.

Continuing Education Grants

No change

2009 Actual \$ 45,194 2010 Projected \$ 45,000 2011 Tentative \$ 45,000

Each member librarian, library board member or member of Friends of Kansas Libraries is eligible for up to \$750 annually for reimbursement of registration and tuition costs for library-related continuing education and training as specified in grant guidelines. In 2009, more than \$26,,500 in grants were awarded to individual school library media specialists. No reduction in continuing education grants funding occurred in 2009; nor will occur in 2011.

Grants—General Technology Matching

No change

2009 Actual \$ 32,117 2010 Projected \$ 40,000 2011 Tentative \$ 40,000

Member libraries are eligible for a matching grant up to \$1,000 for any general technology hardware or software as specified by grant guidelines. No reduction in general technology matching grants funding occurred in 2009 and 2010; nor will any occur in 2011.

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative, continued

Grants--Automation Matching

No change

2009 Actual	\$ 36,348
2010 Projected	\$ 50,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 50,000

Member libraries are eligible for a maximum \$25,000 matching grant for first-time automation, upgrade of existing automation, migration and/or retrospective conversion as specified in grant guidelines. No reduction in automation matching grants funding occurred in 2009 and 2010; nor will any occur in 2011.

Grants--Programming

No change

2009 Actual	\$ 3,117
2010 Projected	\$ 7,500
2011 Tentative	\$ 7,500

As specified in grant guidelines, library programming grants provide one grant up to \$200 each year for interested public, academic, school or special libraries. No reduction in library programming grants funding occurred in 2009 and 2010; nor will any occur in 2011.

Grants--Summer Reading Program

No change

2009 Actual	\$ 6,500
2010 Projected	\$ 7,500
2011 Tentative	\$ 7,500

The annual Summer Reading Program for young people is a basic service of every member public library and some member school districts. Each member public library and school district that provides an annual Summer Reading Program will be eligible for a grant of \$100 to help defray costs associated with the service. No reduction in Summer Reading Program grants funding occurred in 2009 and 2010; nor will any occur in 2011.

Library Materials No change

2009 Actual	\$ 66,030
2010 Projected	\$ 83,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 83,000

Includes library materials circulated through the Rotating Collections Service, processing charges, interlibrary loan high demand items, a children's preview book collection and a professional collection with various subscriptions.

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative, continued

Internet Services No change

2009 Actual	\$ 9,171
2010 Projected	\$ 11,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 11,000

Includes costs for T-3 Internet access through Cox Communications to support video-conferencing.

Telephone No change

2009 Actual	\$ 13,615
2010 Projected	\$ 13,500
2011 Tentative	\$ 13,500

Includes costs for local, long distance, toll-free and cellular services to communicate with member libraries.

Contractual Services

Decrease \$21,000

2009 Actual	\$ 53,556
2010 Projected	\$ 80,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 59,000

Contractual services include expenses for facility property management and maintenance, security, pest control, custodial services and memberships in library professional associations and various other services for SCKLS. Member libraries are eligible for limited legal, accounting and architectural services as well. Decrease is due to anticipated actual expenses.

Technology No change

2009 Actual	\$ 41,479
2010 Projected	\$ 39,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 39,000

Includes costs for the purchase, repair, upgrade, maintenance and licensing of the telecommunications network, computers and other technology used by SCKLS. Also included in these costs are the SCKLS website management through ePowered Schools.

Vehicle Expense Decrease \$2,000

2009 Actual	\$ 12,294
2010 Projected	\$ 22,000
2011 Tentative	\$ 20,000

This line item covers fuel costs, maintenance and repairs for six automobiles used by the consultants and one van used by Rotating Collections to provide service to member libraries.

Section VI, Proposed Budget Narrative, continued

Capital Outlay Decrease \$15,000

 2009 Actual
 \$ 64,497

 2010 Projected
 \$ 85,000

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 65,000

Capital Outlay provides about \$35,200 each year towards principal and interest to purchase the building at 321A North Main, South Hutchinson. Other Capital Outlay expenses include lease costs for two photocopiers as well as other major expenses associated with the SCKLS facility and its infrastructure. SCKLS will continue to decrease and defer expenses associated with maintenance and improvements.

Transfer to Capital Improvement Fund

No change

 2009 Actual
 \$ 25,000

 2010 Projected
 \$ 75,000

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 75,000

The Capital Improvement Fund allows for the annual purchase of a replacement automobile and pays for other major improvements and maintenance to the SCKLS facility. Each year SCKLS updates a Five-Year Capital Improvement Plan of anticipated expenditures. This transfer also allows for the annual accrual of \$28,000 for roof and parking lot replacements and repairs that are planned for 2016—2018. For the past two years, SCKLS has deferred the purchase of two replacement vehicles and reduced the amount of transfer in 2009.

Services Contingency

No change

 2009 Actual
 \$ 55,849

 2010 Projected
 \$ 75,000

 2011 Tentative
 \$ 75,000

Unbudgeted or unanticipated expenditures for new SCKLS and statewide services as well as service transitions may be paid from this line item. The 2009 and 2010 amounts provided funding for the new Resource Sharing Grants for Public and Academic Libraries and partial funding for the Resources Sharing Grants for School and Special Libraries.

Neighborhood Revitalization Rebates

New line item

2009 Actual \$ 0 2010 Projected \$ 115,441 2011 Tentative \$ 115,441

In accordance with a change in Kansas law, SCKLS began budgeting for estimated Neighborhood Revitalization Rebates in 2010. SCKLS participates in six Neighborhood Revitalization districts in Barber, Butler, Harper, Kingman, Rice and Sumner counties. In the long-term, our support of these districts will mean increased property values. Rebates to taxpayers for improvements to dilapidated buildings are reduced incrementally over a ten year period. None of the rebate income will be received or spent by SCKLS for library purposes.

Section VI, Proposed Operating Budget

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	Central Administra-	Automation	Youth	Continuing	Extension	Technical	Grants-	
Budget Category	tion	Technology	Services	Education	Services	Services	in-aid	Total
Audit & Budget & Accounting	\$19,500	\$0	\$0	0\$	80	80	0\$	\$19,500
Rent	\$79,000	80	80	80	80	80	80	\$79,000
Insurance	\$16,500	80	\$0	80	\$0	80	80	\$16,500
Postage	\$7,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,500
Printing	\$2,500		80	\$0	80	80	80	\$2,500
Salaries	\$133,983	\$145,212	\$51,173	\$59,688	\$56,729	\$49,800	80	\$496,585
Employee Benefits	\$58,871		\$22,945	\$26,777	\$25,446	\$22,327	\$0	\$221,629
Supplies	\$17,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$17,500
Travel & Staff CE	\$36,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	80	\$36,000
Member Library CE & Training	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$38,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$38,000
OCLC (Cataloging/ILL)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$30,000	\$0	\$30,000
Grants-in-Aid: Public & Academic	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$989,000	\$989,000
Resource Sharing-School & Special	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,000	\$10,000
Resource Sharing-Public & Academic	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
Grants-Continuing Education	\$0	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$45,000	\$45,000
Grants-General Technology	80	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$40,000	\$40,000
Grants-Automation	\$0	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
Grants-Programming	\$0	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,500	\$7,500
Grants-Summer Reading	80	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$7,500	\$7,500
Library Materials	\$0	\$0	\$1,500	\$2,500	\$79,000	\$0	\$0	\$83,000
Internet Services	\$11,000	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$11,000
Telephone	\$13,500	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$13,500
Contractual Services	\$59,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$59,000
Technology	\$39,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$39,000
Vehicle Expenses	\$20,000	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	80	\$0	\$20,000
Capital Outlay	\$65,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$65,000
Transfer Capital Improve. Fund	\$75,000	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$75,000
Services Contingency	\$75,000	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$75,000
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebates	\$115,441	80	80	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$115,441

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\$844,295

Totals

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2011 SCKLS Proposed Consolidated Budget

	General	Employee	State	
Budget Category	Fund	Benefits	Aid	Total
Audit & Budget & Accounting	\$19,500	\$0	\$0	\$19,500
Rent	\$79,000	\$0	\$0	\$79,000
Insurance	\$16,500	\$0	\$0	\$16,500
Postage	\$7,500	\$0	\$0	\$7,500
Printing	\$2,500	\$0	\$0	\$2,500
Salaries	\$496,585	\$0	\$0	\$496,585
Employee Benefits	\$0	\$221,629	\$0	\$221,629
Supplies	\$0	\$0	\$17,500	\$17,500
Travel & Staff CE	\$36,000	\$0	\$0	\$36,000
Member Library CE & Training	\$38,000	\$0	\$0	\$38,000
OCLC (Cataloging & ILL)	\$0	\$0	\$30,000	\$30,000
Grants-in-Aid: Public & Academic	\$989,000	\$0	\$0	\$989,000
Resource Sharing-School & Special	\$10,000	\$0	\$0	\$10,000
Resource Sharing-Public & Academic	\$3,167	\$0	\$46,833	\$50,000
Grants-Continuing Education	\$45,000	\$0	\$0	\$45,000
Grants-General Technology	\$40,000	\$0	\$0	\$40,000
Grants-Automation	\$50,000	\$0	\$0	\$50,000
Grants-Programming	\$7,500	\$0	\$0	\$7,500
Grants-Summer Reading	\$7,500	\$0	\$0	\$7,500
Library Materials	\$83,000	\$0	\$0	\$83,000
Internet Services	\$11,000	\$0	\$0	\$11,000
Telephone	\$13,500	\$0	\$0	\$13,500
Contractual Services	\$59,000	\$0	\$0	\$59,000
Technology	\$39,000	\$0	\$0	\$39,000
Vehicle Expenses	\$20,000	\$0	\$0	\$20,000
Capital Outlay	\$65,000	\$0	\$0	\$65,000
Transfer Capital Improvement Fund	\$75,000	\$0	\$0	\$75,000
Services Contingency	\$75,000	\$0	\$0	\$75,000
Neighborhood Revitalization Rebates	\$108,496	\$6,945	\$0	\$115,441
Totals	\$2,396,748	\$228,574	\$94,333	\$2,719,655

Section VI, Proposed Income / Resources

Income / Resources

	Actual	Authorized	Proposed
	2009	2010	2011
SCKLS Tax - General Fund	\$1,857,962	\$2,193,265	\$2,396,748
SCKLS Tax - Employee Benefits Fund	\$118,934	\$173,623	\$228,574
State Grant-In-Aid	\$113,160	\$99,076	\$94,333
Balance Carried Forward - General Fund	\$140,895	\$50,005	\$0
BCF - Employee Benefit Fund	\$132,062	\$74,089	\$0
BCF- Member Library Reimbursable Fund	\$37,976	\$40,000	\$40,000
BCF- Automation Consortium Fund	\$0	\$7,500	\$15,000
Transfer Capital Improvement FundIncome	\$25,000	\$75,000	\$75,000
Capital Improvement FundExpenditures	\$10,194	\$71,000	\$72,000
Balance Capital Improvement Fund 12/31/09	\$229,392	\$257,392	\$285,392
Proposed 2011 Expenditures 2011 Total (Expenditures + Capital Improvem	ents)		\$2,719,655 \$3,005,047

Appendix A, State Library / Regional Library System Shared Goals

State Library / Regional Library System Shared Goals for 2011

When federal funds became available for regional library development in 1965, seven regional library systems were established. That year the Kansas Legislature passed a bill which permitted the organization of the seven regional systems of cooperating libraries. The system law (KSA 75-2548 and following) was amended in 1968 by the legislature to allow school and academic libraries to participate in regional systems of cooperating libraries. The law permitted the systems to levy a tax on property within the boundaries of the system that is not taxed for the support of a public library. Librarians and trustees in each region meet annually to determine programs and budgets. The systems continuously develop services to meet the needs of their member libraries. The State Library of Kansas and Regional Library Systems cooperate and collaborate to improve library services to all the citizens of Kansas. The State Library and Regional Library System Shared Goals for the calendar year 2011 are as follows:

Goal #1

Access: Kansans have direct and rapid access to all Kansas library collections.

- Libraries will have an Integrated Library Management (ILS) system that meets the state standards for federated searching (z39.50) and user authentication (NCIP; SIP2)
- Libraries will offer self-initiated interlibrary loan or direct borrowing from other libraries
- A statewide courier service will deliver materials among Kansas libraries

Action steps:

- 1. Each regional library system will review its plan for a system-wide integrated library system by January 1, 2010.
- 2. Library Service and Technology Act funds will continue. This program will be expanded in FY 2011 to include other types of libraries with a first priority given to public libraries for automation grants.
- 3. Sixty-five percent of public libraries will have an integrated library system that meets state standards by December 31, 2011.
- 4. Fifty percent of public libraries will provide self-initiated interlibrary loan or direct borrowing from other libraries by December 31, 2011.
- 5. Kansas libraries will implement a statewide courier service by January 1, 2010. This action step has been completed.

Appendix A, State Library / Regional Library System Shared Goals

Goal # 2

Continuing Education: Librarians and trustees will have the knowledge and skills to provide excellent library service.

Deliver instruction in core competencies

Action steps:

- 1. Each regional library system will identify and anticipate continuing education needs on an annual basis.
- 2. The seven regional library systems will jointly sponsor a continuing education event on an annual basis.
- 3. The cooperative regional library system website will maintain a link to each CE calendar of the RLS and to the State Library CE calendar.
- 4. The State Library will sponsor an annual statewide core competencies continuing education event.
- 5. Review of core compentencies will be undertaken by the regional library systems' CE coordinators. This review will be disseminated to the library community by June 2011.
- 6. RLS and the State Library will identify additional CE delivery methods by Spetember 2011 and will implement those appropriate to the Kansas library community on an ongoing basis.

Goal #3

Advocacy: Libraries will be relevant and visible to Kansans.

- Build advocacy skills in librarians, patrons and trustees
- Engage librarians and trustees in advocacy efforts
- Support and disseminate timely responses to issues that have statewide impact
- Support and promote programs that enhance library visibility
- Publicize statewide services

Action steps:

- 1. Each regional library system will provide an advocacy training program for librarians, patrons and trustees by December 31, 2010. This action step has been completed and will be repeated as often as necessary.
- 2. Each regional library system will use the cooperative regional library system website to identify model library promotion activities on an annual basis.
- 3. Each regional library system will use the cooperative regional library system website to publicize statewide services.
- 4. The State Library will identify model library promotional activities and publicize state services on an ongoing basis.

Appendix A, State Library / Regional Library System Shared Goals

Goal #4

On-line Resources: Libraries meet the informational and educational needs of every Kansan through access to a broad array of on-line library resources.

- Collaborate with the library community in the selection of databases
- Provide training to librarians to use on-line library resources
- Promote on-line resources to constituents
- Enhance federated searching
- Provide improved access to on-line resources

Action steps:

- 1. Regional library systems will provide input to the Database Task Force. This action step has been completed.
- 2. The State Library will facilitate training in the use of statewide databases.
- 3. Each regional library system will provide training in the use and promotion of state-wide databases.
- 4. All regional library consortia will link to the statewide databases

Goal #5

Public Library Accreditation: Public Libraries will be accredited according to new state standards.

- Review and revise existing standards
- Provide information to librarians and trustees

Action steps:

- 1. An accreditation program for public libraries will be under development by December 31, 2009
- 2. The accreditation program for public libraries will be facilitated by the State Library and regional library systems. Standards have been evaluated from the patron's perspective and work to incorporate additional metrics will be completed by December 2011.