

RESOLUTION R-97-233

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE MANATEE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM TO PROVIDE LIBRARY LENDING MATERIALS TO ALTERNATIVE EDUCATIONAL AND/OR COMMUNITY FACILITIES AND TO IMPOSE FINES AND FEES FOR LENDING MATERIALS WHICH ARE OVERDUE, LOST OR DAMAGED; AUTHORIZING THE LIBRARY SERVICES MANAGER TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT FOR THE LENDING OF SUCH MATERIALS.

WHEREAS, the establishment, operations and maintenance of a free public library service in Manatee County was authorized by Ch. 71-760, Laws of Florida (the "Manatee County Free Public Library Act"); and

WHEREAS, the provisions of Ch. 71-760, Laws of Florida, were approved by Resolution adopted January 25, 1972; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners may by resolution adopt policies, rules and regulations for the operation of the library or the library service pursuant to Ch. 81-429, Laws of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has determined that the provision of library lending materials to alternative educational and/or community facilities for use by participants of the alternative educational or community facility to avail themselves of the resources of the Manatee County Public Library System is in the best interest of the community and is consistent with the laws of Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

1. The provision of library lending materials to alternative educational and/or community facilities is hereby authorized.
2. The Library Services Manager is authorized to enter into agreements with alternative educational and/or community facilities in accordance with the form of agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A.
3. The Library Services Manager or his designee shall make appropriate determinations as to the selection and quantity of library lending materials provided to alternative educational and/or community facilities.
4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTED with a quorum present and voting this 16th day of December, 1997.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Patricia M. Glass
Patricia M. Glass, Chairman

ATTEST:
F. B. Shore
Clerk of Circuit Court

by: *Jerry L. James*
Deputy Clerk

AGREEMENT FOR THE LENDING OF LIBRARY MATERIALS
BETWEEN
THE MANATEE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
AND

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into by and between the MANATEE COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEM, hereinafter called "LIBRARY SYSTEM" and _____ hereinafter called "FACILITY", to provide library lending materials to participants of the FACILITY.

The LIBRARY SYSTEM agrees to:

Deliver _____ (agreed upon delivery period) a selection and quantity of library lending materials as determined by the Library Services Manager or his designee. Each delivery will include an inventory of titled materials and a summary list of materials previously delivered but not yet returned. The loan period commencing with each delivery shall be approximately _____ days and as established by the Library Services Manager.

The FACILITY agrees to:

1. Circulate, collect, prepare for timely pickup and maintain appropriate records of all library materials on loan to the FACILITY.
2. Designate a person in charge to coordinate with Library staff in overseeing the lending program.
3. Except as provided herein, the FACILITY shall pay fines and fees applicable to overdue, lost or damaged library lending materials and shall comply with all rules and policies adopted from time to time by the Board of County Commissioners applicable to use of the County library system.

TERMINATION:

This agreement may be terminated by the LIBRARY SYSTEM when in the LIBRARY SYSTEM'S determination the FACILITY has incurred combined fines and fees of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for overdue, lost and damaged books and other library lending materials. This agreement may also be terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party.

NOTICES:

All notices, requests and authorizations provided for herein shall be in writing and shall be delivered to or

mailed

To the LIBRARY SYSTEM.

Manatee County Public Library
1301 Barcarotta Boulevard West
Bradenton, Florida 34205
Attn: Library Services Manager

To the FACILITY:

Attn: _____

or addressed to either party at such other address as such party shall hereinafter furnish in writing. All such notices, requests or authorizations shall be in effect upon receipt.

The designee representatives are duly authorized to make representations in accordance with the provisions of this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be duly executed, in duplicate, by their authorized representatives.

The FACILITY

by _____
Title _____
Date _____

The LIBRARY SYSTEM

by _____
Title: Library Services Manager
Date _____

ATTEST:

F B Shore
Clerk of Circuit Court

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EXHIBIT A