

Southeastern New York Library Resources Council Five Year Plan of Service July 1, 2001 -- June 30, 2006

Mission Statement:	The Southeastern New York Library Resources Council (SENYLRC) is a consortium of academic, special, hospital, research public and public/school library systems in the counties of Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, & Ulster. SENYLRC's purpose is to provide a leadership role in assisting and facilitating member libraries and library systems to cooperate and collaborate to advance the provision of timely reference and research resources and services to their community of users.
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7) Awareness and Advocacy	<i>Vision: an awareness by those who determine policy and funding for academic and special libraries of the role, needs, issues and challenges of these libraries as they strive to provide quality library service to their users as well as their role in region/statewide resource sharing and other library collaboration.</i>
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Year	Goals	Activities	Funding	Players	Results
Ongoing	AA-O G-1 Awareness Increased awareness by decision makers of the needs and issues facing academic and special libraries	AA-O 1.1 SENYLRC sponsored training and staff development opportunities to empower library staff to be better self advocates with those who control policy, decision and funding		CE Comm., SENYLRC, libraries	Annual training programs on advocacy
Ongoing	AA-O G-1	AA-O 1.2 SENYLRC to represent the needs of academics and special libraries whenever possible at state-level meetings, conferences and task forces		SENYLRC, Board	An advocate in Albany
Ongoing	AA-O G-1	AA-O 1.3 SENYLRC to share information with academics and special libraries in a timely manner on issues affecting the library service they provide			Library managers who are abreast of issues being discussed at the state level
Ongoing	AA-O G-2 Funding An ongoing, adequate funding stream for academic and special libraries and for SENYLRC to continue to facilitate and collaborate in shared library services.	AA-O 2.1 SENYLRC to represent the needs of academics and special libraries in lobbying efforts on all issues that impact these libraries		SENYLRC, Board	An advocate in Albany

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Current Year 2000-2001	AA G-1 Awareness	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
	AA G-2 Funding	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
Year 1 2001-2002	AA G-1 Awareness	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
	AA G-2 Funding	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
Year 2 2002-2003	AA G-1 Awareness	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
	AA G-2 Funding	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
Year 3 2003-2004	AA G-1 Awareness	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
	AA G-2 Funding	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
Year 4 2004-2005	AA G-1 Awareness	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
	AA G-2 Funding	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
Year 5 2005-2006	AA G-1 Awareness	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing
	AA G-2 Funding	ongoing		ongoing	ongoing

