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State of Indiana Road Salt Bid for Winter Season 2016-2017



NOTICE OF UPCOMING ROAD SALT DEMAND AGGREGATE

For Winter Season 2016-2017

GENERAL INFORMATION

This notice is to inform the political subdivisions of the State of Indiana that the Indiana Department of Administration (IDOA) is preparing to initiate the 2016-2017 road salt demand aggregate on **Monday, March 07, 2016**. This demand aggregate will assist the state in developing the 2016-2017 road salt bid.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

More LEU Options Now Available

As you know, ISL is in the process of proposing changes to **the Librarian Certification rule** (590 IAC 5 --more details on ISL's [Rulemaking Docket](#) page). One of the areas of concern to the task force members was a need for greater flexibility in LEU-eligible activities. While we must wait for adoption of the new rule (anticipated date of January 1, 2017) before we may enact most of the changes, ISL is very excited to share with you the following:

Effective immediately, "specialist subjects of importance to library operations" will now include topics such as First Aid/Safety and foreign language acquisition. This means Indiana librarians can now earn LEUs for these trainings. Up to 10 LEUs per 5-year certificate period may be earned from training on



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Morgan County Public Library

[Circulation Specialist II](#)

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[Department Head - MLS - Circulation](#)

Elkhart Public Library

[Early Literacy Coordinator](#)

Muncie Public Library

[Mini-Branch Manager \(Part Time\)](#)

Morgan County Public Library

[Staff Librarian](#)

Community Health Network

To see the complete list of current

openings listed on the ISL

[Continuing Education Jobs page](#) click [here](#)

In The News



[2016 Wabash Valley Community](#)
[Read picks book by ISU professor](#)

Entities that would like to be included in the bid must provide volumes through the demand aggregation tool (similar to past years) on the OneIndiana website. Please

note that your participation in this bid is a commitment to buy from this contract. Therefore, entities that provide tonnage will be required to purchase a minimum of 80% of the tonnage requested and are eligible to purchase up to a maximum of 120% of tonnage requested. For example, a 100 ton commitment equals a minimum purchase of 80 tons and a maximum purchase of 120 tons.

A follow-up email through OneIndiana will be sent on March 07, 2016 to announce the official start of the road salt demand aggregate.

TRAINING VIDEO

To prepare for the bid, a [training video](#) has been provided. This video will give you step by step instructions on how to submit your commitment of tonnage for the Road Salt Bid.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Questions about registration for OneIndiana should be sent to support@spendbridge.co.

Questions regarding the upcoming bid or current contract should be sent to roadsalt@idoa.in.gov.

2016 Thomas Krasean Student Scholarship

The Society of Indiana Archivists will award the Thomas Krasean Student Scholarship to attend the 2016 Society of Indiana Archivists Annual Meeting, held on Friday, April 8. The scholarship recipient will receive a complimentary registration to Annual Meeting

non-library topics and topics unrelated to library operations. The LEU approval process remains unchanged and the outlined can be viewed by clicking [here](#).

For your review, below is the original announcement regarding anticipated changes to public librarian certification:

During the summer of 2015, Indiana library directors, staff, and trustees held two public meetings to discuss the successes and challenges related to certification since the rule changed in 2008. This task force of library directors, staff, and trustees came up with a list of recommended changes to improve the certification rule. In December 2015, the Indiana Library and Historical Board (ILHB) approved implementation of the task force's recommended rule changes and the State Library is now on the path to officially changing the certification rule.

The proposed changes to **Rule # 15-446 Librarian Certification** (590 IAC 5) will update the rule to remove obsolete language, clarify the rule, reduce the regulatory impact on librarians serving libraries with smaller populations, broaden the language related to LEUs to permit earning LEUs from a wider variety of sources, and provide for greater certification opportunities for librarians educated in other countries. You can read the proposed rule as well as a summary of the changes on the State Library's website. (See ISL's [Rulemaking Docket](#) page.)

The State Library hopes to host a public hearing this summer for public comment. The date and time are not yet set; we will notify the listservs and the Wednesday Word in advance so that colleagues may plan to attend. The meeting will be held at ISL ([140 North Senate Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46204](#)).

Vigo County Public Library

[Connecting the past to the future](#)

Hammond Public Library

[Genealogy: State conference set for](#)

[April 16 in Allen County](#)

Allen County Public Library

[‘Happy Birthday, Indiana’: – State Library encourages fourth graders to celebrate Bicentennial](#)

Indiana State Library

[Indy Library Board Approves Renovations](#)

[Renovations](#)

Indianapolis Public Library

[IU Southeast librarian gets posthumous recognition](#)

[posthumous recognition](#)

Indiana University Southeast

[Library displays history during bicentennial](#)

[bicentennial](#)

DeMotte Public Library

[Library's Genealogy Center to open new Discovery Center, oral history room](#)

[new Discovery Center, oral history room](#)

[room](#)

Allen County Public Library

[Neal-Marshall Library to offer black literature event](#)

[literature event](#)

Neal-Marshall Black Culture Center

Library

[Young artist at work for good in Plainfield](#)

[Plainfield](#)

Plainfield-Guilford Township Public

Library

Is Your Library Making News?

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Upcoming Workshops & Important Dates

[Evergreen Indiana Basic Circulation](#)

(waiting list)

When: March 14, 9:00 am -12:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

and \$150.00 to cover the expenses associated with attending. For 2016, we are additionally offering to the scholarship recipient a complimentary registration to the pre-conference SAA Workshop, held on Thursday, April 7.

**Application Deadline:
Monday, March 14, 2016**

Eligibility Requirements:

An applicant must be either a graduate student enrolled in a Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS) program, Master of Arts (MA) in History or Museum Studies program, or a related graduate program -OR- a recent graduate from one of the previously listed programs with five or fewer years of post-graduate work experience.

Recipient must be able to attend the Annual Meeting on Friday, April 8, 2016, where they will receive the check.

To apply: Write a statement of interest stating why you want to attend the annual meeting and how it will benefit you. Include in your statement a brief outline of your archival education and any work history, along with a description of your long-term professional goals. Please include your contact information (name, mailing address, phone, and e-mail) and contact information for your institution or employer. Statements should be limited to 200-400 words.

Additionally, the recipient is expected to write a brief (150-300 word) statement about their experience attending the Annual Meeting and turn in a photograph (head shot) to be published in SIA's News and Notes newsletter.

Please submit the information stated above via

The proposed changes are in the initial stages of gaining approval; however, we expect the ILHB to adopt them effective January 1, 2017. Please contact Emily Schaber at Emschaber@library.IN.gov or Sylvia Watson at Sywatson@library.IN.gov with any questions or comments about the proposed rule.

Indiana State Library Bookmark Design Competition - Deadline Extension

2015-2016 Contest Winner



Due to an extreme interest we have decided to extend the due date until March 18th

“Where do Books take you in Indiana”

Open to all Indiana Schools, Grades K-3

First place - Your Bookmark will be printed for your school, for libraries throughout Indiana, AND your school will WIN

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4 Honorable Mentions- Your bookmarks will be printed for your school and for libraries throughout the state

Bookmarks are judged on the following

1. Artistic Quality
2. Use of color
3. Use of theme
4. Where do books take you in Indiana

[Evergreen Indiana Holds Training](#)

When: March 14, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Open Forum on Digital Preservation](#)

When: March 15, 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Where: Morrison-Reeves Library

[Evergreen Indiana - Basic Cataloging](#)

When: March 16, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Evergreen Indiana - Local Administration](#)

When: March 16, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Open Forum on Digital Preservations](#)

When: March 16, 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Where: Crawfordsville District Public Library

[Tools / Tips / Trends: Run a Great Meeting](#)

When: March 22, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Open Forum on Digital Preservation](#)

When: March 24, 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Where: St. Joseph County Public Library

[Every Child Ready to Read 2nd](#)

Edition! - New Carlisle

When: March 29, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Where: New Carlisle Olive Twp. PL

[Evergreen Indiana Annual Conference](#)

When: March 31 - April 1

Where: Fort Benjamin Harrison Inn

[Advanced Cataloging Pt. 1](#)

When: April 5, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Advanced Cataloging Pt. 2](#)

When: April 6, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Webinar

View free LEU opportunities from:**email to the committee members:**

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The award recipient will be announced through the SIA listserv prior to the meeting.

Open Forums on Digital Preservation

Is your organization creating or managing digital content? If so, are you aware that digital files become inaccessible over time unless they are managed and migrated to new technology as needed. Even content that resides on a web site or social media site is at risk. Technology changes and without a program for long-term preservation the intellectual content you are developing today will become inaccessible to the researchers of tomorrow.

Digital preservation combines policies, strategies and actions to ensure long-term access to content that is born digital or converted to digital form regardless of the challenges of file corruptions, media failure and technological change. Digital preservation is an ongoing process, not a one-time activity, and needs to be addressed programmatically.

A series of eight Open Forums on Digital Preservation will be held across Indiana in March-April 2016. Sponsored by the Indiana State Library and Indiana State

Please click [here](#) to see all the details.

Less Than 2 Weeks Remain to Apply for LSTA Grants

The Indiana State Library is accepting applications for 2016 LSTA [Technology](#) and [Digitization](#) grants. All public, academic, school, institutional or special libraries in the state are welcome to apply for these grants.

- The 2016 grant [guidelines](#) and [application materials](#) are now [available here](#). An [Application Assistance webinar](#) is also available to help first-time applicants with the process.

- Applications must be submitted by 4:00 PM EST on **Friday, March 11th, 2016**. One copy must be emailed to the [LSTA Consultant](#) and another must be mailed and postmarked by that date.

Please contact LSTA Consultant Jen Clifton if you have any questions or need assistance at (800) 451-6028 or jclifton@library.in.gov.

2016 Teen Tech Week March 6-12


Teen Tech Week is when libraries make the time to showcase all of the great digital resources and services that are available to help teens

Free training on lynda.com



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University, Cunningham Memorial Library, these sessions will address the questions: What is Digital Preservation? Why do we need it? and Is there an affordable digital preservation solution for small to mid-size organizations in Indiana? The Forums are free and open to the public.

Scheduled Sessions:

March 15 - Morrison Reeves Library – Richmond

March 16 - Crawfordsville District Public Library – Crawfordsville

March 24 - St. Joseph County Public Library - South Bend

April 12 - Jeffersonville Township Public Library - Jeffersonville

April 13 - Marian University – Indianapolis

April 14 - Allen County Public Library – Fort Wayne

April 19 - Evansville Vanderburgh Public Library – Evansville

April 20 - DePauw University – Greencastle

The forums are scheduled to begin at 1pm at each venue and will finish by 4pm. Please register by clicking on the appropriate date on the [Evanced Calendar](#) and complete the registration information form. Or contact Connie Rendfeld at crendfeld@library.in.gov or 317.232.3694.

succeed in school and prepare for college and 21st century careers.

Celebrate the next Teen Tech Week with us, **March 6-12, 2016**, with the theme "**Create it at your library.**"

To find out everything you need to plan TTW activities in your community click [here](#).

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