

RESOLUTION ON FUNDING
OF THE LIBRARY SERVICES AND CONSTRUCTION ACT

- WHEREAS, The Library Services and Construction Act Amendments of 1989 have been introduced as HR 2742 and enjoy wide and bi-partisan support; and
- WHEREAS, The Library Services and Construction Act has produced many benefits for libraries and their users throughout the nation; and
- WHEREAS, Congressional action on HR 2742 and a companion Senate measure is imminent; and
- WHEREAS, The pending legislation emphasizes certain critical needs such as an increased capacity to use information technologies, to preserve deteriorating library materials, to provide library services to child-care centers, to provide intergenerational literacy programs, and to develop literacy centers; now, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the American Library Association request that congressional appropriations for the Library Services and Construction Act be increased to allow the programmatic emphases of the pending LSCA reauthorization bill to be implemented in fiscal year 1990; and, be it further
- RESOLVED, That this resolution be transmitted to the House and Senate Appropriations Committee.

Adopted by the Council of the
American Library Association
Dallas, Texas
June 28, 1989
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