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Weekly News Updates for New Jersey Libraries
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Updates & Opportunities

Participate in the State Library's NJ Makerspace Survey

Please participate in the State Library's NJ Makerspace Survey. We need you to add your library to the scan of maker activities and makerspaces in New Jersey public libraries! [Click to learn more.](#)

TBBC's 55th Anniversary Celebration Recording Now Available

On September 30th, TBBC hosted a webinar to celebrate the 55th anniversary of the State Library's operating library for the visually and physically impaired. The recording is now available and can be viewed [here](#).

FCC Provides Additional Information Concerning ACP Pilot Programs

By this Public Notice, the Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) provides additional information concerning the Your Home, Your Internet Pilot Program

and the Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) Navigator Pilot Program (collectively, Pilot Programs), including guidance to assist prospective applicants in preparing to apply for participation in one or both Pilot Programs. The Bureau expects to open the Pilot Programs' application window, and expects the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau to release the Notice of Funding Opportunity (or NOFO) for Pilot Program funding, in November 2022. [Click to learn more.](#)

Advancing Broadband in New Jersey Opportunity

New Jersey Board of Public Utilities is mapping broadband infrastructure across the state. Your input will help us achieve the goal of 100% broadband availability state-wide.

[Click here to take broadband survey.](#)

[Click here for flyer.](#)

National Family History Month

October is National Family History Month! NJSL's own Genealogy Librarian, Regina Fitzpatrick, has planned several informative webinars about researching your own family history. [Click here to learn more and register](#) for the different events throughout the month celebrating genealogy.

Library Marketing Resources

If your library is looking for marketing tips, best practices and inspiration, check out our [Marketing Blog](#) updated weekly. Here's our most recent blog posts:

- [The Secret of Successful YouTube Hashtags](#)
- [Online Video Editing for Beginners](#)
- [Creating A Library Social Media Strategy](#)
- [How To Use TikTok For Your Library](#)

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