

State Institutional Library Services Program (cont'd)

Eligible Projects:

Institutional library service programs, eligible for funding under this grant, must provide adult and/or juvenile non-fiction and fiction materials and services similar to those provided by public libraries.

Public Library Literacy Programs

Eligible Applicants: Public libraries *currently* providing literacy programs

Amount Available: \$200,000

Maximum Grant: \$15,000

Technical Assistance Session: March 26, 1997

Deadline: May 15, 1997

Purpose:

To strengthen local public library services, resources and programs to meet the literacy needs of adults, young adults and families in the library's community by expanding or enhancing *existing* programs.

Eligible Projects:

Public libraries may offer programs for literacy instruction or family literacy. Projects that teach reading and English as a second language are eligible for funding. Math or computer literacy projects are ineligible for funding.

Academic/School/Public Library Cooperation Resource Sharing Program

Eligible Applicants: *see details listed below*

Amount Available: \$150,000

Maximum Grant: \$10,000

Technical Assistance Session: April 4, 1997

Deadline: June 10, 1997

Purpose:

To strengthen local library services, resources, and programs to meet the identified needs of students attending public and non-public K-12 schools by providing grant funds for resource sharing between school library media centers and public and/or academic libraries in their *local* communities.

Eligible Projects:

The grant program will provide funds for cooperative projects to share library materials in online formats and information in online databases. The following project is ineligible for funding under this grant program: access to and/or purchase of CD-ROMs containing bibliographic records and holdings contained in library or consortia online catalog databases or in regional or union catalog databases. All participants in a project must cooperatively plan and participate in providing the services described in their joint proposal.

Academic/School/Public Library Cooperation Resource Sharing Program (cont'd)

Eligible Applicants:

School districts and non-public schools having a school library media center in an elementary, middle, or high school(s) may apply with a public and/or academic library or both in their *local* community. *See eligibility criteria listed below.*

Eligibility Criteria for Applicants and Project Participants:

- The public and non-public school library media center, the public library and the academic library must all be members of the New Jersey Library Network;
- The public and non-public school library media centers must be staffed full-time by a minimum of one certified Educational Media Specialist or Associate Educational Media Specialist;
- The public libraries must meet all per capita state aid requirements (N.J.A.C. 6:68-1.4-1.6); &
- The public libraries must have a full-time certified librarian who works with youth (either children or young adults).

First priority will be given to awarding grants to applicants who did not receive a FY 1996 award of contract for this grant program. School districts (including any school within a district), non-public schools, public and academic libraries which either received FY 1996 awards of contract or were participants in a project receiving an award of contract will be funded in rank order *pending availability of funds* after all passing first priority applications have been funded.

The following agencies, if they apply for the FY 1997 grant, will be assigned second priority in consideration for an award of contract: Bridgeton School District (Cherry Street School)/Bridgeton Free Public Library, Cranford School District (Cranford High School)/Cranford Public Library, Cumberland Regional School District (Cumberland Regional High School)/Cumberland County Library, Edison Township School District/Edison Township Free Public Library, Elizabeth School District /Elizabeth Free Public Library, Jersey City Public Library/St. Aloysius High School, Jersey City, Kinnelon School District/Kinnelon Public Library, Millville School District/Millville Public Library, Moorestown School District /Moorestown Public Library, New Brunswick School District/New Brunswick Free Public Library, Newark School District/Newark Public Library, Paterson School District/William Paterson College/Paterson Free Library.

Maintenance of Library Collections Program

Eligible Applicants: All N.J. libraries and library-related agencies which meet the definition of a library in N.J.A.C. 6:68-1.2 et seq.

Amount available: \$100,000

Maximum Grant: \$15,000

Technical Assistance Session: April 8, 1997

Deadline: June 17, 1997

Maintenance of Library Collections Program (cont'd)

Purpose:

To assist libraries in preservation and conservation of collections of Jerseyana or New Jersey subject materials in ways consistent with existing preservation or conservation standards.

Eligible Projects:

Jerseyana and New Jersey collections eligible for preservation must have significant historical, cultural or social value. The collections must be composed of one or more of the following formats: printed materials, manuscripts, photographs and audiovisual materials. Eligible projects include reformatting to microforms or non-microforms; physical treatment including binding, mending, minor repair; and preparation of materials for storage, matting, boxing or other protective enclosure.

Library Services to Special Populations Program

Eligible Applicants: Public libraries

Amount Available: \$100,000

Maximum Grant: \$10,000

Technical Assistance Session: April 16, 1997

Deadline: June 30, 1997

Purpose:

To assist public libraries in developing a new service or expanding and/or enhancing library and information services to a targeted special population which is unserved or inadequately served and/or which does not receive the full benefits of library service due to disadvantages related to handicaps, age, lack of education, limited English-speaking ability, economic deprivation, or other factors.

Eligible Projects:

Projects must provide services to *one* of the following targeted special populations: persons with visual handicaps, persons with limited reading ability, unemployed persons, persons for whom English is a second language (including persons requiring ESL materials or materials in languages other than English).

Collection Evaluation and Development Program

Eligible Applicants: Public libraries, *except FY 1996 grant recipients*

Amount Available: \$150,000

Maximum Grant: \$10,000

Technical Assistance Session: May 6, 1997

Deadline: July 10, 1997

Purpose:

To increase New Jersey resident access to a variety of materials by developing or strengthening specialized subject collections in public libraries.

Collection Evaluation and Development Program (cont'd)

Eligible Projects:

Purchase of library materials, in any format, to develop or strengthen a specific subject collection in a public library. A *specific subject collection* means a collection of materials on a single definable topic.

Ineligible Applicants:

Libraries that received FY 1996 awards of contract are ineligible to apply for a FY 1997 grant. The following libraries are ineligible to apply: Bayonne, Belleville, Camden City, Cumberland County, Elizabeth, Irvington, Morris County, Newark, Ocean County, Oradell, Pennsauken, Roseland, Willingboro.

AWARDS OF CONTRACT ANNOUNCED

Public Libraries Awarded FY 1997 Electronic Resources Grant

182 libraries awarded grants totaling \$452,237

In order to provide to every resident of New Jersey full and equal access to online library electronic resources, the State Library developed a grant program to assure that every public library has at least one state-of-the-art multimedia computer capable of both accessing remote databases and CD-ROM databases. Public libraries already having this state-of-the-art computer were given a grant to purchase telecommunications, equipment, software, materials and services that expand their access to electronic resources. Equipment purchased with grant funds will assist public libraries in providing new or expanded reference and/or information or children services using this new technology.

ANALYSIS OF THE GRANT APPLICATIONS

The RFP and application for *Electronic Resources for Public Libraries* was mailed to 203 public libraries. Ninety percent or 183 of the libraries submitted applications; 20 libraries did not. Of the 183, 182 libraries passed and were awarded a contract.

Sixty percent or 109 of the libraries approved for an award of contract applied for *Program A* which is for libraries who do not currently own an IBM compatible multimedia computer with a Pentium processor.

Forty percent or 73 libraries approved for an award of contract applied for *Program B* which is for libraries who already have this equipment and allows for the purchase of the hardware and software required for *Program A* or for the upgrade of existing equipment and/or for the purchase of telecommunications or of other technology related equipment and service.

Public Libraries Awarded FY 1997 Electronic Resources Grant (cont'd)

Libraries applying for *Program B* stated that funds would be used for: multimedia computers (40 libraries), ISP/telecommunications charges (8), upgrade local area networks (4), CD-ROM towers (4), routers/CSU, DSU (4), CD-ROM materials (4), install telephone lines (3), upgrade existing computers (3), file servers (2), and cable library (1)

The 182 libraries said that they would provide the following library services as a result of receiving the grant: public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases (92), children's access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases (4), public access to the Internet (46), library staff access to the Internet (6), public access to CD-ROM databases (22), children's access to CD-ROM databases (12)

THE FOLLOWING PUBLIC LIBRARIES WERE AWARDED GRANTS:

A-F

Allendale (Lee Memorial Library), Asbury Park, Avon-by-the-Sea, Bedminster-Far Hills (Clarence Dillon Public Library), Bergenfield, Berkeley Heights, Bernards Township, Bernardsville, Bloomfield, Bridgeton, Brielle, Carlstadt (Wm. E. Dermody Free Public Library), Carteret, Cedar Grove, Chatham, Joint Free Public Library of the, Cherry Hill, Chester, Joint Free Library of Chester and Chester Twp, Clark, Cliffside Park, Closter, Collingswood, Cranbury, Cranford, Cresskill, Demarest, Denville, Deptford Township (James H. Johnson Memorial Library), Dover, Dumont (Dixon Homestead Library), East Brunswick, East Hanover Township, East Rutherford, Edgewater, Elmwood Park, Emerson, Englewood, Fair Lawn (Maurice M. Pine Free Public Library), Fairfield (Anthony Pio Costa Memorial Library), Fairview, Fanwood, Flemington, Florence Township, Florham Park, Fort Lee, Franklin Lakes, Franklin Township (Gloucester), Franklin Township (Somerset), Freehold .

G-K

Garfield, Gibbstown, Glen Ridge, Glen Rock, Gloucester City, Hackensack (Johnson Public Library), Haddonfield, Hanover Township (Whippanong Library Association), Harrington Park, Hasbrouck Heights, Haworth, Hawthorne (Louis Bay 2nd Library), Highland Park, Hillsdale, Hoboken, Ho-Ho-Kus (Worth Pinkham Memorial Library), Holland Township, Hopewell, Irvington, Jefferson Township, Kenilworth, Kinnelon.

L-O

Lakewood, Lambertville, Leonia, Lincoln Park, Linwood, Little Falls, Little Ferry, Livingston (Ruth L. Rockwood Memorial Library), Lodi, Long Hill Township, Lyndhurst, Madison, Mahwah, Manville, Margate City, Matawan-Aberdeen, Maywood, Mendham, Mendham Township, Metuchen, Middlesex, Midland Park, Millburn, Millville, Monroe Twp (Gloucester), Monroe Twp, (Middlesex), Montvale, Montville Township, Moorestown, Morristown & Morris Twp, Jt Free Public Library of, Mount Laurel, Mount Olive Township, Mountain Lakes, Mountainside, Neptune, New Brunswick, New Milford, New Providence, North Arlington, North Bergen, North Brunswick, North Haledon, Northvale, Norwood, Nutley, Oakland, Ocean City, Old Tappan, Oradell, Orange.

Public Libraries Awarded FY 1997 Electronic Resources Grant (cont'd)

P-S

Palisades Park, Park Ridge, Pennington, Pennsauken, Pequannock Township, Perth Amboy, Phillipsburg, Plainfield, Plainsboro, Pompton Lakes, Rahway, Ramsey, Randolph Township, Raritan, Red Bank, Ridgefield, Ridgefield Park, Ringwood, River Edge, River Vale, Rochelle Park, Rockaway Borough, Roselle, Roselle Park Veterans Memorial Library, Roxbury Township, Rutherford, Saddle Brook, Sayreville, Scotch Plains, Secaucus, Somerville, South Brunswick, South Orange, South Plainfield, South River, Sparta, Springfield, Summit.

T-Z

Teaneck, Tenafly, Totowa (Dwight D. Eisenhower Library), Upper Saddle River, Verona, Vineland, Waldwick, Wallington (John F. Kennedy Memorial Library of), Wanaque Borough, Washington Township (Bergen), Washington Township (Gloucester) Margaret E. Heggan Free Public Library of, Washington Township (Morris), Weehawken, West Caldwell, West Deptford, West Long Branch, West Milford Township, West New York, West Paterson (Alfred H. Baumann Free Public Library), Westfield, Westwood, Woodbury, Wood-Ridge, Wyckoff.

Electronic Resources for County Libraries and Municipal Libraries with Branches FY 1997 Grant Program

41 libraries received grants totaling \$218,023.

The objective of this grant program is to assist county and municipal libraries in the provision of new, expanded, or enhanced reference, information and children's services to patrons at branch libraries through the use of computers and/or telecommunications to access library materials and information.

ANALYSIS OF THE GRANT APPLICATIONS

The following types of services are planned at branch libraries as a result of the grant awards: public access to Internet (5), public access to CD-ROM databases (3), public access to Internet and CD-ROM databases (20), public access to full-text periodical database (8), local area network development for public access to Internet/CD-ROM (6), install router, DSU/CSU, 56kb line for wide area network (3), upgrade cabling at main library and branch for graphic access to Internet (1), and purchase equipment/software to design home web page (1).

Atlantic City Free Public Library

\$3,333

Multimedia computer to provide public access to the Internet and EbscoHost at one branch library.

Atlantic County Library

\$9,164

Multimedia computers to provide public access to the Internet at four branch libraries.

**Electronic Resources for County Libraries and Municipal Libraries
with Branches FY 1997 Grant Program (cont'd)**

- Belleville Public Library & Information Center** \$3,333
Multimedia computer, telephone installation, CD-ROM materials to provide public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.
- Bergen County Cooperative Library System** \$14,165
Application for Bayonne, Paramus, Passaic and Ridgewood Public Libraries to provide the public at branch libraries with an additional Internet access point on the BCCLS wide area network and access to CD-ROM databases.
- Burlington County Library** \$7,498
License to provide CD-ROM phone directory at six branch libraries and purchase of color inkjet printers, memory upgrades for older PCs.
- Camden Free Public Library** \$3,333
Multimedia computer, printer, Internet Service Provider fees, installation of telephone line to provide public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.
- Camden County Library** \$4,999
Multimedia computers for public access to the Internet, networked CD-ROM databases and EbscoHost at two branch libraries.
- Cape May County Library** \$7,498
CD-ROM reference materials made available to patrons at six branch libraries.
- Clifton Public Library** \$3,333
Upgrade of cabling at one branch library and partial payment for main library to allow public terminals to have graphical access to the Internet.
- Cumberland County Library** \$2,500
Multimedia computer with web page software application tools to be used to design and maintain Internet web pages for one member library and the county library.
- East Orange Public Library** \$4,999
Multimedia computer for main library and CD-ROM materials for public access to CD-ROM databases at three branch libraries.
- Elizabeth Public Library** \$4,166
Multimedia computer, printer for public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.
- Gloucester County Library** \$4,166
Multimedia computer and telecommunications equipment to establish a 56K frame relay circuit between one branch and the county library in order to provide public access to the Internet and to online periodicals.

**Electronic Resources for County Libraries and Municipal Libraries
with Branches FY 1997 Grant Program (cont'd)**

Hunterdon County Library	\$4,166
EbscoHost online periodicals index will be made available to the public at two branch libraries.	
Jersey City Free Public Library	\$11,663
Multimedia computers, printers, Internet Service Provider fees, CD-ROM materials, installation of telephone line to provide public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.	
Kearny Public Library	\$3,333
Multimedia computer, printer, Internet Service Provider fees, CD-ROM materials, installation of telephone line, telecommunications charges to provide public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.	
Linden Free Public Library	\$4,166
Router, DSU/CSU, installation of 56kb frame relay, Internet Service Provider fees, telecommunications charges to provide public with Internet access at two branch libraries.	
Long Branch Free Public Library	\$3,333
Multimedia computer, CD-ROM materials to provide public with access to Internet and CD-ROM databases for main library.	
Maplewood Memorial Library	\$3,333
Multimedia computer, installation of telephone line to provide public access to Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch.	
Mercer County Library	\$9,164
Multimedia computers, printers, telephone installation, CD-ROM reference resources to provide patron access to the Internet, CD-ROM databases and a full text magazine index at two branch libraries.	
Middletown Township Public Library	\$4,999
Multimedia computers, local area network installation and wiring to provide public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at main library.	
Monmouth County Library	\$10,830
Multimedia computers, printers to provide public access to full-text online periodicals databases for four member libraries.	
Montclair Public Library	\$3,309
Multimedia computer, printer, telephone installation, telecommunications charges, Internet Service Provider fees to provide public access to Internet, EbscoHost full-text articles, Infotlink union catalog at one branch.	

Electronic Resources for County Libraries and Municipal Libraries with Branches FY 1997 Grant Program (cont'd)

Morris County Library	\$2,500
Hub to connect fifteen OPACs at county library to LAN to provide the public with graphical browser access to the Internet via Morris County ITD	
Newark Public Library	\$12,496
Cisco high-capacity network routers and CD towers to provide the public at branch libraries with access to CD-ROM databases via a wide area network.	
Ocean County Library	\$16,661
CD-ROM LAN server, multimedia computers, CD changers, Novel network software, network wiring to expand public access to CD-ROM databases at two branch libraries.	
Old Bridge Public Library	\$3,332
Multimedia computer, printer, telephone installation, Internet Service Provider fees, CD-ROM materials to provide public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.	
Parsippany Troy Hills Township Library	\$4,166
Multimedia computer and printer used to expand patron access to the Internet at one branch library. Multimedia computer, printer, CD-ROM materials used to provide CD-ROM reference services for children at one branch library.	
Paterson Free Public Library	\$4,999
File server, installation of telephone lines to provide public at three branch libraries with access to all software and CD-ROMs owned by the main library.	
Piscataway Public Library	\$3,333
Expand existing LAN at one branch library by adding additional multimedia computer, printer, CD-ROM materials for public access to CD-ROM databases.	
Rockaway Township Free Public Library	\$3,333
Multimedia computers to provide public at one branch library with graphical access to World Wide Web, library's home page and graphics contained in EbscoHost database.	
Somerset County Library	\$7,498
Multimedia computers and printers to provide public Internet access at four branch libraries.	
Sussex County Library	\$6,665
Installation of frame relay service, ten dial-in-lines, and modems to provide patron access to DYNIX online catalog at five branch libraries.	
Trenton Public Library	\$5,832
Multimedia computers for public access to Internet at main library and two branch libraries.	

**Electronic Resources for County Libraries and Municipal Libraries
with Branches FY 1997 Grant Program (cont'd)**

Union Public Library (Friberger Park)	\$3,333
Multimedia computer, printer, cabling for public access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.	
Warren County Library	\$4,760
Multimedia computers to provide the public with access to the Internet and CD-ROM databases at two branch libraries.	
Wayne Public Library	\$3,333
Mutimedia computer, printer for public access to the Internet, full image magazine articles and CD-ROM databases at one branch library.	
Woodbridge, Free Public Library of	\$4,999
Provide three branch libraries with 17" monitors and laser printers installed on workstations attached to DYNIX network to provide public with full graphical user interface to the Internet. Purchase PhoneDisc CD-ROM for each branch library.	

**Tischler Memorial Fund FY 1997 Grant Program:
Electronic Resources for Public Libraries**

30 libraries awarded grants totaling \$147,521

The Tischler Memorial Fund was established as the result of a bequest by Nathaniel Tischler and his wife, Florence Taylor Tischler, to the State Library. Their intention was to improve library service throughout New Jersey, particularly to "small and needy" municipalities and communities. The objective of the FY 1997 grant is to assist public libraries in the provision of new or expanded reference or information or children's services through access to remote electronic resources via the Internet and the World Wide Web.

ANALYSIS OF THE GRANT APPLICATIONS

The RFP and application was mailed to 39 public libraries selected according to criteria developed by the State Library. Seventy-nine percent or 31 of the libraries submitted applications; 8 libraries did not. Of the 31, 30 libraries passed and were awarded a contract.

Eighty-three percent or 25 of the libraries approved for an award of contract applied for *Program A* which is for libraries who do not currently own an IBM compatible multimedia computer with a Pentium processor and do not currently have graphical access to World Wide Web (WWW) databases.

Seventeen percent or 5 libraries approved for an award of contract applied for *Program B* which is for libraries who already have this equipment. Libraries may establish a graphical access account with an Internet Service Provider and can purchase the hardware and software required for *Program A* and/or purchase

Tischler Memorial Fund FY 1997 Grant Program: Electronic Resources for Public Libraries (cont'd)

telecommunications or other technology-related equipment and service. Four libraries eligible for *Program B* already had Internet accounts with graphical access to World Wide Web databases.

Nine of the libraries planned to make the Internet available to library staff for mediated reference services, while 21 libraries planned to make the Internet available to patrons.

Twenty-one libraries planned to acquire SLIP or PPP Internet accounts operating on regular telephone lines, while 2 libraries planned to install ISDN lines and 7 libraries either had or planned to install 56k dedicated lines.

THE FOLLOWING PUBLIC LIBRARIES WERE AWARDED GRANTS:

Absecon, Audubon, Belvidere, Berlin Borough (Marie Fleche Library), Bloomingdale, Bogota, Boonton Holmes, Pound Brook, Burlington (Library Company of), Butler, Caldwell, Dunellen, East Greenwich, Hackettstown, Haddon Heights, Haledon, Jamesburg, Milford, Milltown, Mount Arlington, Newfield, Northfield (Otto Bruyns Public Library), Pitman (McCowan Memorial Library), Riverton, South Amboy (Dowdell Library), Spotswood, Swedesboro, Washington (Warren Co.), Westville, Wharton.

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Library Grant Programs CHECKLIST

Please send the guidelines and application(s) for the program(s) checked to:

Name: _____

Library: _____

Address: _____

<u>Grant</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
___ State Insitutional Library Services Program	May 8, 1997
___ Public Library Literacy Program	May 15, 1997
___ Academic/Public/School Library Cooperation Resource Sharing Program	June 10, 1997
___ Maintenance of Library Collections Program	June 17, 1997
___ Library Services to Special Populations Program	June 30, 1997
___ Collection Evaluation and Development Program	July 10, 1997

Technical Assistance Sessions are being offered for each of these programs. See the following page for dates and registration form. Registration is required to attend a session.

Please return the **Checklist** form to:

New Jersey State Library
Library Development Bureau -- CHECKLIST
CN 520
Trenton,, New Jersey 08625-052-

or FAX the **Checklist** to: (609) 984-7898

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SESSIONS

Technical Assistance Sessions will be offered for the following grant programs:

State Insitutional Library Services Program	March 21, 1997
Public Library Literacy Program	March 26, 1997
Academic/Public/School Library Cooperation Resource Sharing Program	Arpil 4, 1997
Maintenance of Library Collections Program	April 8, 1997
Library Services to Special Populations Program	April 16, 1997
Collection Evaluation and Development Program	May 6, 1997

All sessions will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon at the

New Jersey State Library
185 West State Street
Fifth Level Conference Room
Trenton, NJ

Parking is available in the State Parking Garage located between the State Library and the State House Annex on West State Street. See the attached page for directions to the Library and to the parking garage.

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

I plan to attend the following Technical Assistance Sessions which will be held at the New Jersey State Library from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon:

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Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Library: _____

FAX Number: _____

TO REACH THE NEW JERSEY STATE LIBRARY

To reach the State Library via the New Jersey Turnpike:

Take NJ Turnpike to Exit 7A. Take Route 195 West to Rt. 129. Follow signs for Route 29 North. Take Route 29 north to the Calhoun Street exit. Exit Right. At first light, turn right on West State Street. The New Jersey State Library will be on your right at 185 West State Street.

From the North:

Enter Trenton on Route 1. Stay on Route 1 to the last New Jersey exit, immediately before the toll bridge to PA.

Exit right to New Warren Street. Turn right onto New Warren to first light (Market Street) where you turn left; this will take you to Route 29 North. Go one exit to Calhoun Street and then follow the directions above.

From the South

Enter Trenton on Route 206 or Rt. 295. Follow signs for Rt. 129, Trenton. Follow directions to Route 29 and the State Library above.

From the East:

Take I-195 West to Rt. 129. Follow directions above under NJ Turnpike.

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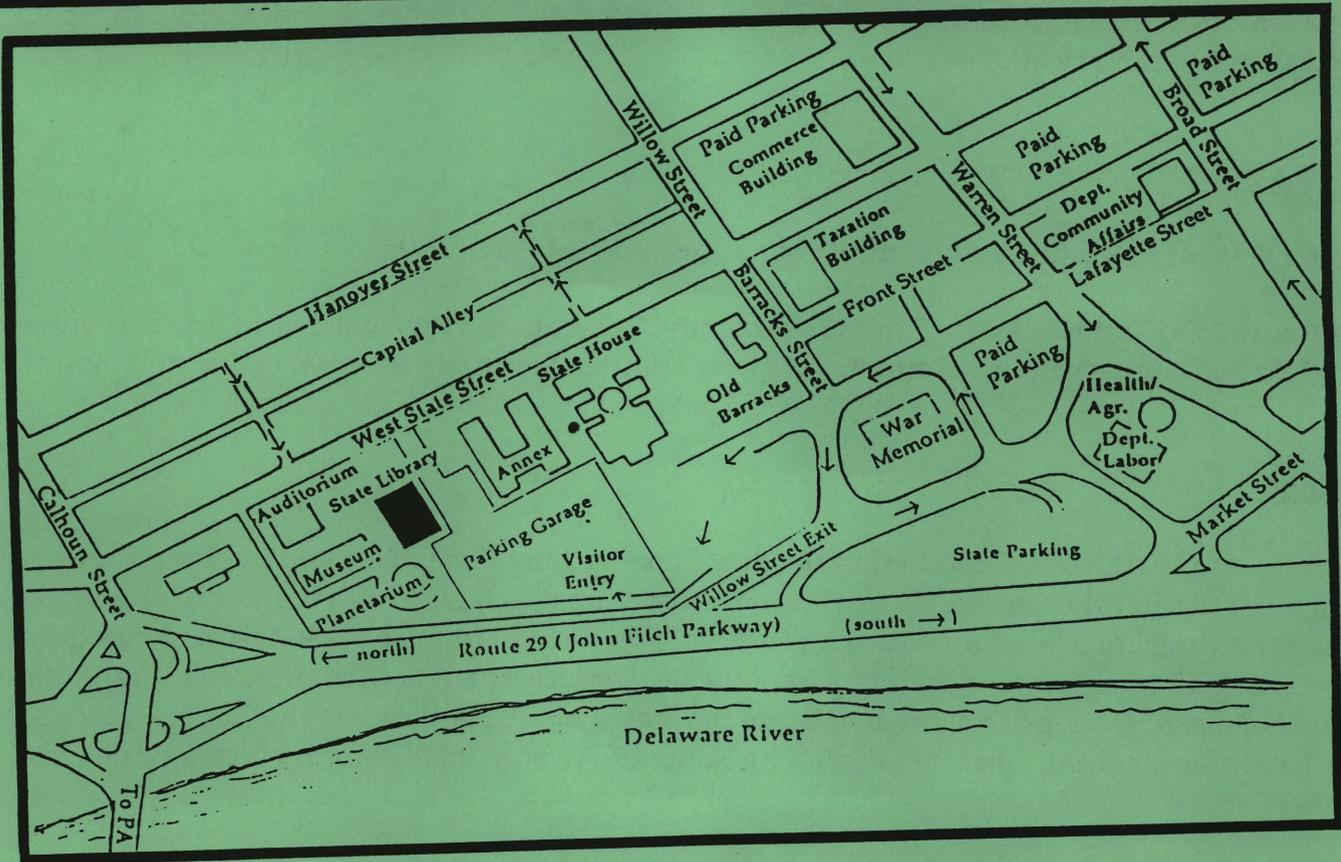
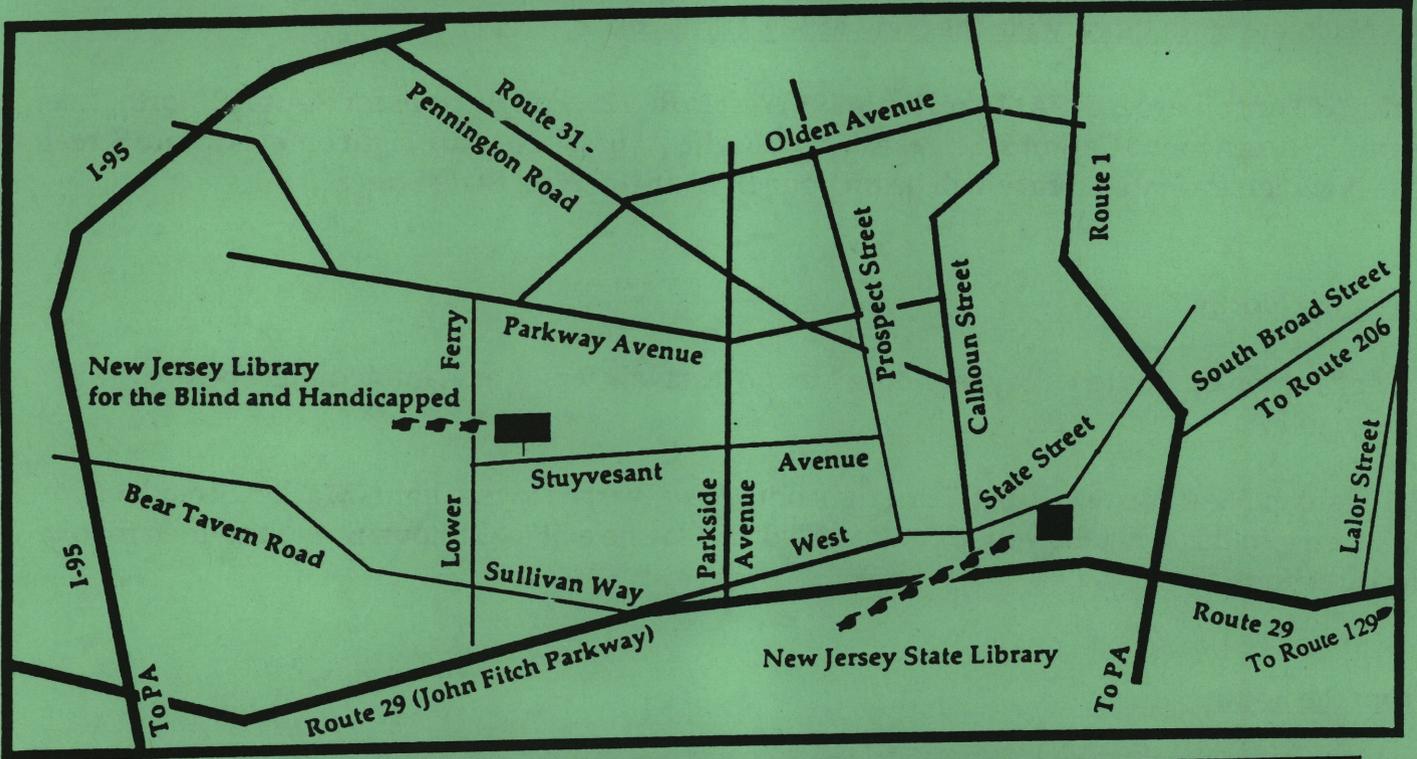
Take Route 33 to Trenton. When Route 33 becomes Nottingham Way, watch for Olden Avenue. Turn right on Olden Avenue to Route 1. Turn left to Route 1 South and follow the directions above.

Parking:

Limited visitor parking is permitted in the new State Parking Garage located between the State Library and the State House Annex. All visitors must enter the Garage from the South through the old State Parking Lot behind the State House. This lot is reached from Barracks Street or by exiting Route 29 at Willow Street and circling part of the way around the War Memorial Building. At the light at Barracks Street, go straight ahead into the State Lot. The entrance to the Garage is located at the back of the building near the fence along Route 29. An entry to the Library is located on Level 3 of the Garage.

Metered parking spaces may be found on West State Street near the Library. Additional paid parking is available in private parking garages or lots indicated on the map.

Locating the New Jersey State Library and the Library for the Blind and Handicapped



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