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To: Mayor and Common Council, City of Racine

From: The Racine Public Library Board of Trustees (via Jessica MacPhail, Library Director)

Re: Resolution to Racine County Board of Supervisors on Library Funding

The Library Board of Trustees approved sending to City Council the attached resolution at their board meeting yesterday, and have asked me to forward it to the Council for their consideration.

I'll be happy to answer any questions.

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RESOLUTION

SUPPORT FOR LIBRARIES IN RACINE COUNTY

FROM THE CITY OF RACINE, WISCONSIN

- WHEREAS,** the state of Wisconsin requires public libraries to serve all residents of the state at the same level of service they serve their own residents (except Milwaukee County); and
- WHEREAS,** Racine County has agreed to reimburse municipalities with libraries for serving Racine County residents; and
- WHEREAS,** the municipalities with libraries provide this service to county residents with the understanding that they will be reimbursed by Racine County; and
- WHEREAS,** Racine County had been moving on a progressive track to reach 100% reimbursement over the past ten years or so; and it
- WHEREAS,** a reduction in the mil rate by Racine County for past service would create undo financial hardship that shifts this burden to the residents of the local municipality; be it
- RESOLVED,** that the City of Racine, in Racine County requests 100% reimbursement for library service provided to county residents.

SUBMISSION DATE:

SUBMITTED BY: _____

APPROVED: