## RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE NORTH SUBURBAN LIBRARY SYSTEM REVISED RECIPROCAL BORROWING TENETS

**WHEREAS**, the Rolling Meadows Library supports the broadest possible access to library materials for our residents; and

**WHEREAS**, the revised Reciprocal Borrowing Tenets of the North Suburban Library System (hereinafter NSLS) further this goal and are a basic responsibility and privilege of membership in NSLS; and

**WHEREAS**, revised tenets (attached) for the Reciprocal Borrowing Program were adopted by the NSLS Board of Trustees on November 28, 2005;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Rolling Meadows Library Board Of Trustees adopts and endorses the revised tenets for the NSLS Reciprocal Borrowing Program.

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M. Richard Wright President, Library Bo	pard Of Trustees,	
City Of Rolling Mean ATTEST:	dows, Cook County, Illinois	
Peg Webb Secretary, Library Bo	pard Of Trustees, City Of Rolling M	leadows, Cook County, Illinois

## **Text Of The North Suburban Library Reciprocal Borrowing Policy:**

- 5. The System's policy with regard to reciprocal borrowing among member libraries is described in the Reciprocal Borrowing Program: Goals and Policies.
- 6. With regard to reciprocal borrowing between member libraries and libraries outside NSLS, the System has adopted the Illinois Intersystem Reciprocal Borrowing Covenant. Borrowers registered at any NSLS library electing to participate in the Illinois Reciprocal Borrowing Program (RBP) may borrow circulating materials from any other library in Illinois, which has agreed to participate in the agreement. As part of this program, NSLS has given notice that it will accept responsibility for negotiations with other systems for the recovery or payment for materials lost or damaged in loans under the provisions of the Illinois Intersystem Reciprocal Borrowing Covenant.
  - a. The Illinois Intersystem Reciprocal Borrowing Covenant is an agreement between systems. Claims should be submitted to NSLS by the system in which the lending library is a member and NSLS will make claims to other systems on behalf of its members. NSLS will forward the claims to the member libraries who are responsible for making payments directly to the other systems
  - b. NSLS will not forward claims for materials that are more than one year overdue.
  - c. NSLS will not forward claims for materials that are less than six months overdue.
  - 7. NSLS adopts the latest editions of National Interlibrary Loan Code and the ILLINET Interlibrary Loan Code for Illinois.
  - 8. NSLS uses a variety of mechanisms to deliver and distribute information to member libraries. These include van delivery, fax, electronic means, and delivery via U.S. Mail or other similar services.