



DIVISION OF  
**LIBRARY** and  
**INFORMATION SERVICES**

**2021 Annual Florida Public Library Directors Meeting  
 In-Person and Virtual**

<b>Tuesday, December 7</b>	
8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Eastern	<b>Networking</b>
9:00 – 9:15 a.m.	<b>Welcome</b> Laurel Lee, Secretary of State (invited) <b>Meeting Overview and Introductions</b> Amy Johnson, Director
9:15 – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Top Legal Concerns</b> Marti Minor, JD, MLIS, Library Law Consulting
10:45 – 11:00 a.m.	<b>Break</b>
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<b>Top Legal Concerns</b> Continued
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>
1:30 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Florida Humanities Funding and Programming Opportunities</b> Lindsey Morrison, Grants Director April Myerscough, Public Programs Coordinator
2:00 – 2:30 p.m.	<b>Program Overview and Information</b>
2:30 – 3:15 p.m.	<b>Florida Public Libraries:          Economic Impact and Major Events Studies</b> Hector Sandoval, Director of Economic Analysis Program, Bureau of Economic and Business Research, University of Florida
3:15 – 3:30 p.m.	<b>Break</b>
3:30 – 4:45 p.m.	<b>FLA Public Library Directors Discussion</b> Phyllis Gorshe, FLA President Eric Head, FLA Advocacy Committee Chair
4:45 – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Tomorrow's Highlights</b>

<b>Wednesday, December 8</b>	
8:30 – 9:00 a.m. Eastern	<b>Networking</b>
9:00 – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Equity, Diversity and Inclusion: Contemporary Trends and Expectations</b> DeEtta Jones, DeEtta Jones & Associates
10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Break</b>
10:45 – 11:45 a.m.	<b>Program Overview and Information</b>
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Meeting Wrap-Up</b>
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b>

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