

**CLEVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**Board Meeting**

September 15, 2011

**RESOLUTION TO WELCOME LIBRARIES  
TO CLEVNET**

- WHEREAS, CLEVNET was launched on December 1, 1982, when Cleveland Heights-University Heights Public Library joined Cleveland Public Library's automation system; and
- WHEREAS, By the end of its first decade, CLEVNET had grown to nineteen libraries, and what had begun as a vision for a Cleveland area bibliographic database was clearly becoming a model of regional resource sharing; and
- WHEREAS, CLEVNET continues to grow as more libraries recognize the value and benefits of library cooperation as demonstrated in the Return on Investment Study conducted by Driscoll & Fleeter in 2009; and
- WHEREAS, Six public libraries in Trumbull County will go online October 1, 2011, bringing the total number of CLEVNET libraries to thirty-seven, spread across ten counties in Northeast Ohio; now therefore be it
- RESOLVED, The Cleveland Public Library Board of Trustees warmly welcomes Bristol Public Library, Kinsman Free Library, Girard Free Library, Hubbard Public Library, McKinley Memorial Library, and Newton Falls Public Library to CLEVNET, with every best wish for a long and successful relationship.