

Cleveland Public Library

I would like to commend Cleveland Public Library for participating in the Cleveland Division of Fire Summer Reading Program and supporting young people in the Cleveland Community.

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October 25, 2013

Mr. Andrew Venable Cleveland Public Library 325 Superior Avenue Cleveland, OH 44114

Dear Mr. Venable,

A mother's paycheck. A child's education. A veteran's benefits. A family's home.

The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland works to ensure that these basic necessities are preserved through access to our justice system. Every day, Legal Aid's staff and volunteers secure shelter, safety and economic security for our clients.

Cleveland Public Library's recent \$5,000.00 grant contribution to fund Brief Advice Clinics helps Legal Aid continue to bring justice into the lives of those who are far too often left to navigate the complicated legal system on their own.

While the economic downturn has affected Legal Aid as much as any other organization in Northeast Ohio, your partnership allows us to move forward with even more determination. Your generosity means more now than ever to our staff, board, and most of all, our clients.

Thank you for your support and belief that a better future for our region begins with a strong Legal Aid and access to justice for all.

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Sincerely,

Executive Director





November 4, 2013

Irwin Library Butler University 4600 Sunset Avenue Indianapolis, IN 46208

Mr. Felton Thomas, Executive Director Cleveland Public Library 325 Superior Ave E. Cleveland, Ohio 44114

Dear Mr. Thomas,

On behalf of the Midwest Chapter of the Music Library Association, I wish to express our gratitude to you for allowing us to hold the business meetings and sessions of our 72nd Annual Meeting in the renowned and very beautiful Cleveland Public Library. Your generous hospitality enabled us to keep registration costs low. Given the current economic situation in our country, this was a significant benefit which, I'm sure, contributed to our healthy attendance numbers. We appreciated, too, your very kind welcoming remarks and your underwriting (along with that of the CPL Friends Group) of our break beverages and treats!

On a more personal note, as one who grew up in and around Cleveland, I was very pleased by (and proud of) the generous hospitality shown to us by you, your staff, and our friends at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum. I also was impressed by the programs that you are offering through the Cleveland Public Library (I noted the large signs advertising these programs outside the building!) and equally impressed with the friendly and helpful attitudes of the people we met both in and outside of the Library! (Michael Dalby was a life-saver, by the way!)

The meeting in Cleveland was very well-received. Many attendees have remarked favorably about the wonderful accommodations, meeting spaces, interesting tours, and the city itself. The success of the 72nd Annual Meeting of the MLA Midwest Chapter was due in no small part to your involvement and contributions. Again, thank you so much!

Most sincerely,

Sheridan Stormes, Chair

Music Library Association Midwest Chapter

Associate Professor, Performing & Fine Arts Librarian