

## **ARTICLE II**

### *Cooperation for Development of Public Library Service*

SECTION 1. Each Board member shall have an individual membership in the Trustee Class of the Missouri Library Association (MLA), and the Trustees Division of the American Library Association (ALA).

SECTION 2. To develop and increase effective library service, and to strengthen resources, the library shall cooperate with and take advantage of the services offered by the Missouri State Library. The development of maximum effective library service shall be promoted through cooperation with other libraries and institutions in the area and state, and through membership in the Municipal Library Consortium of St. Louis County. (MLC).

SECTION 3. Recognizing the advantage to the citizens of the community, the library shall participate in such cooperative services as info-pass, reciprocal book return, interlibrary loans, library delivery and such other services as may be economically feasible and efficient. Generally, the library shall not duplicate special services being furnished to agencies or individuals in the community by another library system, but will promote and advertise the availability of these services.