

LIBRARY DIRECTOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

- SPONSOR:** Public Section of the Louisiana Library Association
- FREQUENCY:** Annual, if merited.
- DEADLINE:** January 16th of the award year.
- PURPOSE:** To recognize the outstanding contribution of a Louisiana current library director.
- DESCRIPTION:** Engraved plaque.

PREREQUISITES:

REQUIREMENTS:

1. LLA member; MLS or MLIS. This award is for a current library director.
2. Nominations must be made by a current member of the Public Section.
3. Completed nomination forms will be sent to the LLA executive office.

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

1. The award is to be determined from the nomination forms and the supporting data
2. The nomination statement should include:
 - a. A statement addressing the growth and development of their library.
 - b. A statement addressing the leadership, inspirations and creativity to staff, patrons and trustees that has led to that development..
 - c. A statement addressing the excellent service that the public library, under the director's leadership, has succeeded in providing to their community.
3. Supportive data could be included in the text of the statement in narrative or tabular form. These may include:
 - a. Basic information about the candidate's public library system.
 - b. Biographical data.
 - c. Additional endorsements from other public librarians.