### **MISSION**

The mission of the Maryland State Library Agency (MSL) is to provide leadership and consultation in technology, training, marketing, funding, resource sharing, research, and planning, so that Maryland libraries can fulfill their missions now and in the future to the people of Maryland.

### VISION

Maryland libraries will be the first thought of Maryland residents for information in the 21st century.

### **KEY GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND PERFORMANCE MEASURES**

Goal 1. Libraries will anticipate and meet the educational and informational needs of their communities.

Obj. 1.1 Maryland Public Libraries will provide equitable access to educational, social, and informational services.

| Performance Measures   | 2017 Act.  | 2018 Act.  | 2019 Act.  | 2020 Act.  | 2021 Act.  | 2022 Est.  | 2023 Est.  |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Number of library materials (digital and physical) owned by MD |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Public Libraries   | 15,041,386 | 16,049,911 | 17,960,695 | 18,388,964 | 20,793,517 | 20,155,896 | 20,835,659 |
| Number of digital materials owned                              | 1,157,430  | 1,742,849  | 2,434,774  | 3,573,275  | 4,734,865  | 4,413,954  | 4,879,510  |
| Number of library materials (digital and physical) accessed    | 70,860,479 | 67,496,633 | 66,887,132 | 66,810,856 | 57,301,080 | 62,622,859 | 62,025,113 |
| Number of digital materials accessed                           | 16,531,227 | 16,614,650 | 16,506,162 | 17,640,434 | 21,676,322 | 24,273,576 | 26,727,327 |
| Number of early literacy programs for children under 5         | 36,687     | 36,845     | 35,254     | 37,192     | 27,557     | 31,821     | 29,783     |
| Attendance at early literacy programs for children under 5     | 955,198    | 1,043,046  | 950,267    | 994,634    | 751,680    | 866,602    | 1,030,408  |
| Number of library programs                                     | 85,873     | 88,663     | 92,393     | 100,403    | 76,369     | 91,589     | 93,017     |
| Attendance at library programs                                 | 2,287,868  | 2,393,632  | 2,451,554  | 2,596,482  | 1,959,959  | 2,337,560  | 2,350,357  |

**Obj. 1.2** The Maryland Library for the Blind and Print Disabled (LBPD) will coordinate statewide library services for all blind, visually impaired, and print disabled Maryland residents and for institutions serving these individuals.

| Performance Measures   | 2017 Act. | 2018 Act. | 2019 Act. | 2020 Act. | 2021 Act. | 2022 Est. | 2023 Est. |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Number of materials available through LBPD                     | 424,601   | 391,491   | 299,797   | 394,957   | 434,144   | 433,467   | 319,000   |
| Number of LBPD programs  | 113       | 126       | 93        | 94        | 111       | 100       | 105       |
| Number of LBPD materials checked out                           | 198,299   | 201,534   | 227,079   | 224,794   | 220,439   | 234,133   | 241,391   |
| Number of individuals engaged in LBPD programs                 | 5,703     | 5,398     | 6,167     | 3,488     | 1,054     | 6,506     | 6,864     |
| Number of LBPD patrons served                                  | 9,595     | 10,258    | 9,872     | 8,745     | 8,394     | 8,745     | 9,697     |
| Increase in customer access to LBPD materials                  | 2%        | 2%        | 13%       | -1%       | -2%       | 6%        | 3%        |
| Number of textbook chapters completed for students through the |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Maryland Accessible Textbook (MAT) Program                     | 8,149     | 9,719     | 8,618     | 6,169     | 3,538     | 8,366     | 8,366     |
| Number of students served through the MAT Program              | 71        | 77        | 66        | 47        | 52        | 64        | 64        |

# Summary of Maryland State Library Agency

|  | 2021<br>Actual | 2022<br>Appropriation | 2023<br>Allowance |
|--|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Number of Authorized Positions             | 31.00          | 31.00                 | 31.00             |
| Salaries, Wages and Fringe Benefits        | 3,097,823      | 2,984,880             | 3,179,039         |
| Operating Expenses                         | 87,669,053     | 94,488,865            | 92,363,861        |
| Net General Fund Expenditure               | 86,996,731     | 90,989,233            | 91,819,900        |
| Federal Fund Expenditure                   | 3,410,145      | 3,525,037             | 3,723,000         |
| American Rescue Plan Act of 21 Expenditure | 360,000        | 2,959,475             | 0                 |
| Total Expenditure                          | 90,766,876     | 97,473,745            | 95,542,900        |

### R11A11.01 Maryland State Library - Maryland State Library

#### **Program Description**

The State Library Agency administers State and Federal programs to improve library services; operates the Maryland State Library for the Blind and Print Disabled; approves plans for the State Library and the Regional Resource Centers; coordinates Sailor--the State's on-line electronic information network that provides free Internet access to Maryland residents; and oversees the State Library Network where residents can obtain materials and services not available at their local library. Responsibilities also include oversight of Maryland's Public Libraries, the Library Capital Grants Programs and the Deaf Culture Digital Library. Funding for previous fiscal years may be found in the Maryland State Department of Education budget (R00A01.17).

| Appro  | priation Statement                     | 2021<br>Actual | 2022<br>Appropriation | 2023<br>Allowance |
|--------|--|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| N      | umber of Authorized Positions          | 31.00          | 31.00                 | 31.00             |
| 01 Sa  | alaries, Wages and Fringe Benefits     | 3,097,823      | 2,984,880             | 3,179,039         |
| 03 Cd  | ommunications                          | 14,818         | 26,560                | 25,985            |
| 04 Tr  | ravel                                  | 11,864         | 55,750                | 56,248            |
| 06 Fu  | uel and Utilities                      | 89,386         | 108,000               | 112,000           |
| 07 M   | otor Vehicle Operation and Maintenance | 16,470         | 36,240                | 31,640            |
| 08 Cd  | ontractual Services                    | 843,207        | 805,651               | 1,111,601         |
| 09 Su  | upplies and Materials                  | 54,239         | 148,767               | 108,938           |
| 10 Ec  | quipment - Replacement                 | 20,470         | 29,750                | 40,000            |
| 11 Ec  | quipment - Additional                  | 0              | 0                     | 10,000            |
| 12 G   | rants, Subsidies, and Contributions    | 135,000        | 235,000               | 235,000           |
| 13 Fix | xed Charges                            | 154,199        | 148,568               | 150,852           |
|        | Total Operating Expenses               | 1,339,653      | 1,594,286             | 1,882,264         |
|        | Total Expenditure                      | 4,437,476      | 4,579,166             | 5,061,303         |
| Ne     | et General Fund Expenditure            | 3,447,331      | 3,554,129             | 3,838,303         |
| Fe     | ederal Fund Expenditure                | 990,145        | 1,025,037             | 1,223,000         |
|        | Total Expenditure                      | 4,437,476      | 4,579,166             | 5,061,303         |
| Federa | l Fund Expenditure                     |                |                       |                   |
| 45.3   | 10 Library Services Program            | 990,145        | 1,025,037             | 1,223,000         |
|        | Total                                  | 990,145        | 1,025,037             | 1,223,000         |

### R11A11.02 Public Library Aid - Maryland State Library

### **Program Description**

State funding is mandated by Maryland law for public libraries. Federal financial assistance is provided to promote the development of public library services and interlibrary cooperation, and to assist in providing specialized State library services to physically disabled persons and residents and staff of State institutions. Funding for previous fiscal years may be found in the Maryland State Department of Education budget (R00A02.31).

| Appropriation Statement                    | 2021<br>Actual | 2022<br>Appropriation | 2023<br>Allowance |
|--|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 12 Grants, Subsidies, and Contributions    | 46,838,137     | 50,133,849            | 49,162,119        |
| Total Operating Expenses                   | 46,838,137     | 50,133,849            | 49,162,119        |
| Total Expenditure                          | 46,838,137     | 50,133,849            | 49,162,119        |
| Net General Fund Expenditure               | 44,058,137     | 44,674,374            | 46,662,119        |
| Federal Fund Expenditure                   | 2,420,000      | 2,500,000             | 2,500,000         |
| American Rescue Plan Act of 21 Expenditure | 360,000        | 2,959,475             | 0                 |
| Total Expenditure                          | 46,838,137     | 50,133,849            | 49,162,119        |
| Federal Fund Expenditure                   |                |                       |                   |
| 45.310 Library Services Program            | 2,420,000      | 2,500,000             | 2,500,000         |
| Total                                      | 2,420,000      | 2,500,000             | 2,500,000         |
| American Rescue Plan Act of 21 Expenditure |                |                       |                   |
| 45.310E Library Services Program - ARPA    | 360,000        | 2,959,475             | 0                 |
| Total                                      | 360,000        | 2,959,475             | 0                 |

#### R11A11.03 State Library Network - Maryland State Library

#### **Program Description**

This program ensures that the major library resources of the State will be readily available to all Maryland citizens, thus improving the capacity of each library to meet the specific informational needs of its clientele and provide maximum use of existing collections. Through cooperative efforts it is possible to provide additional resources and services for all library users at the lowest reasonable cost. The State Library Network has implemented a long-term program to electronically connect libraries and other resources within the State and provide connection to the Internet. The network includes the Enoch Pratt Central Library which is designated as the State Library Resource Center, three regional resource centers, and metropolitan cooperative service programs. Funding for previous fiscal years may be found in the Maryland State Department of Education budget (R00A02.32).

|   | FY 2020<br>Actual | FY 2021<br>Actual | FY 2022<br>Estimated  | FY 2023<br>Estimated |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| General Fund Allocation (\$)            |                   |                   |                       |                      |
| State Library Resource Center (\$)      | 10,954,440        | 11,179,028        | 11,184,508            | 11,922,042           |
| Regional Libraries (\$)                 | 8,078,107         | 8,292,055         | 8,518,921             | 8,556,485            |
| Interlibrary Loan Agreements (\$)       | 29,479            | 29,479            | 29,479                | 29,479               |
| Cooperative Library Agreements (\$)     | 34,605            | 34,605            | 34,605                | 34,605               |
| Total                                   | 19,096,631        | 19,535,167        | 19,767,513            | 20,542,611           |
| Appropriation Statement                 |                   | 2021<br>Actual    | 2022<br>Appropriation | 2023<br>Allowance    |
| 12 Grants, Subsidies, and Contributions |                   | 19,535,167        | 19,767,513            | 20,542,611           |
| Total Operating Expenses                |                   | 19,535,167        | 19,767,513            | 20,542,611           |
| Total Expenditure                       |                   | 19,535,167        | 19,767,513            | 20,542,611           |
| Net General Fund Expenditure            |                   | 19,535,167        | 19,767,513            | 20,542,611           |
| Total Expenditure                       |                   | 19,535,167        | 19,767,513            | 20,542,611           |

### R11A11.04 Aid for Local Library Employee Fringe Benefits - Maryland State Library

### **Program Description**

This program provides funds for the employers' share of retirement costs for library employees in the Teachers' Retirement and Pensions Systems maintained by the State. It also includes funding to support the retirement of Montgomery County Public Library Employees, who are not in the State retirement system, as well as funding to cover the State Retirement Agency administrative fee costs for library employees. Funding for previous fiscal years may be found in the Maryland State Department of Education budget (R00A02.03).

|   | FY 2020<br>Actual | FY 2021<br>Actual | FY 2022<br>Estimated  | FY 2023<br>Estimated |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Montgomery County Librarian Retirement (\$) | 2,356,115         | 1,830,662         | 2,119,750             | 2,119,750            |
| Librarian Retirement (\$)                   | 17,974,104        | 17,758,959        | 18,037,562            | 18,294,289           |
| Local Libraries Administrative Charge (\$)  | 396,533           | 366,475           | 335,905               | 362,828              |
| Total Library Retirement/Pensions (\$)      | 20,726,752        | 19,956,096        | 20,493,217            | 20,776,867           |
| Appropriation Statement                     |                   | 2021<br>Actual    | 2022<br>Appropriation | 2023<br>Allowance    |
| 12 Grants, Subsidies, and Contributions     |                   | 19,956,096        | 20,493,217            | 20,776,867           |
| Total Operating Expenses                    |                   | 19,956,096        | 20,493,217            | 20,776,867           |
| Total Expenditure                           |                   | 19,956,096        | 20,493,217            | 20,776,867           |
| Net General Fund Expenditure                |                   | 19,956,096        | 20,493,217            | 20,776,867           |
| Total Expenditure                           |                   | 19,956,096        | 20,493,217            | 20,776,867           |

## R11A11.05 Capital Appropriation - Maryland State Library

### **Program Description**

This program includes operating funds for capital projects at county libraries.

| Appropriation Statement      | 2021<br>Actual | 2022<br>Appropriation | 2023<br>Allowance |
|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| 14 Land and Structures       | 0              | 2,500,000             | 0                 |
| Total Operating Expenses     | 0              | 2,500,000             | 0                 |
| Total Expenditure            | 0              | 2,500,000             | 0                 |
| Net General Fund Expenditure | 0              | 2,500,000             | 0                 |
| Total Expenditure            | 0              | 2,500,000             | 0                 |

# 3 Year Position Summary

| lassification Title                       | FY 2021<br>Positions | FY 2021<br>Expenditures | FY 2022<br>Positions | FY 2022<br>Appropriation | FY 2023<br>Positions | FY 2023<br>Allowance |
|---|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| 11 - Maryland State Library Agency        |                      |                         |                      |                          |                      |                      |
| R11A1101 - Maryland State Library         |                      |                         |                      |                          |                      |                      |
| Admin Officer I                           | 0.00                 | 97,793                  | 2.00                 | 98,773                   | 2.00                 | 98,773               |
| Admin Spec II                             | 5.00                 | 87,109                  | 3.00                 | 123,190                  | 3.00                 | 124,450              |
| Admin Spec III                            | 1.00                 | 47,609                  | 1.00                 | 48,086                   | 1.00                 | 48,086               |
| Administrator III                         | 1.00                 | 66,021                  | 1.00                 | 66,683                   | 1.00                 | 66,683               |
| Asst State Supt Dept Of Educ              | 1.00                 | 132,720                 | 1.00                 | 134,051                  | 1.00                 | 134,051              |
| Computer Network Spec II                  | 1.00                 | 79,297                  | 1.00                 | 80,053                   | 1.00                 | 80,053               |
| Dir Dept Of Education                     | 1.00                 | 108,065                 | 1.00                 | 109,149                  | 1.00                 | 109,149              |
| Educ Program Manager I                    | 1.00                 | 0                       | 0.00                 | 0                        | 0.00                 | (                    |
| Educ Program Spec I                       | 3.00                 | 342,567                 | 4.00                 | 346,001                  | 4.00                 | 346,001              |
| Educational Support Program Coordinator I | 2.00                 | 314,333                 | 4.00                 | 317,485                  | 4.00                 | 317,485              |
| Exec Assoc I                              | 1.00                 | 0                       | 0.00                 | 0                        | 0.00                 | C                    |
| Exec Assoc II                             | 0.00                 | 69,560                  | 1.00                 | 70,257                   | 1.00                 | 70,257               |
| Fiscal Services Officer I                 | 1.00                 | 47,328                  | 1.00                 | 50,971                   | 1.00                 | 50,971               |
| Maint Chief IV Non Lic                    | 1.00                 | 57,094                  | 1.00                 | 57,666                   | 1.00                 | 57,666               |
| Management Associate                      | 3.00                 | 132,350                 | 3.00                 | 132,351                  | 3.00                 | 132,351              |
| Office Clerk II                           | 1.00                 | 35,632                  | 1.00                 | 35,632                   | 1.00                 | 35,632               |
| Office Secy III                           | 1.00                 | 42,053                  | 1.00                 | 42,053                   | 1.00                 | 42,053               |
| Office Services Clerk Lead                | 1.00                 | 35,537                  | 1.00                 | 35,537                   | 1.00                 | 35,537               |
| Prgm Mgr III                              | 1.00                 | 98,903                  | 1.00                 | 99,895                   | 1.00                 | 99,895               |
| Prgm Mgr Senior I                         | 0.00                 | 94,930                  | 1.00                 | 95,882                   | 1.00                 | 95,882               |
| Prgm Mgr Senior III                       | 0.00                 | 112,257                 | 1.00                 | 113,383                  | 1.00                 | 113,383              |
| Staff Specialist I Education              | 1.00                 | 0                       | 0.00                 | 0                        | 0.00                 | C                    |
| Staff Specialist II Education             | 0.00                 | 52,867                  | 1.00                 | 53,397                   | 1.00                 | 53,397               |
| Staff Specialist III Education            | 4.00                 | 0                       | 0.00                 | 0                        | 0.00                 | C                    |
| Total R11A1101                            | 31.00                | 2,054,025               | 31.00                | 2,110,495                | 31.00                | 2,111,755            |