

# Alaska Public Library Statistics

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## Introduction

The following tables are a summary of the public library statistics collected by the Alaska State Library for FY98. Included are statistics reported by the libraries as well as selected per capita computations. The libraries included are those that received the Public Library Assistance Grant.

The statistics collected are based on the *Federal State Cooperative System for Public Library Data (FSCS) of the U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics*. By using this national system and its definitions of terms, Alaska's data is comparable with that of the other 49 states and the District of Columbia. Of course, extreme caution should be used in comparing any one library with national or state averages. This is especially true of Alaskan libraries that tend to be atypical in size, and population served.

All the information reported in the Annual Reports has been entered into a spreadsheet and specialized tables can be generated upon request. Please contact the State Library if you need special statistical information.

## General Information on the Use of the Tables for Public Libraries

The data included in these tables was reported by public libraries in the Annual Reports for. Although all libraries reported income and expenditure information, not all libraries collected the same circulation and collection statistics. A number of libraries did not collect attendance, reference or program data. To make the tables more readable, data elements reported as zero and those reported as not collected have been left blank.

The population data was adjusted for some libraries in order to ensure a consistent method of counting and to eliminate double counting. In most cases, populations attributed to the *city and borough libraries* correspond to the populations of the area from which they receive tax revenue. The source of this information was the Department of Community and Regional Affairs' *Certification of Population*. In the case of libraries located in unincorporated areas not certified by DCRA, the figures reported on the Annual Report were used. The population of legal service area for libraries in the Mat-Su and Kenai Boroughs were calculated as in previous years. Using DCRA figures, each library was credited with the population base of the city and a percentage of the borough wide population based on the percentage of materials circulated by each library. A. Holmes Johnson Memorial Library in Kodiak was given the population of the Kodiak Borough minus the populations of Chiniak, Old Harbor, Ouzinkie and Port Lions.

The data reported under the entity called *Bush Services* is a total of the statistics reported for the *Books by Mail* programs run by the Fairbanks North Star Borough Library and the Juneau Public Library. The population assigned to this "library" is the official state population, minus the populations of those communities served by libraries. By using the statewide population figure and reporting all public library services, we feel the data more accurately reflects the true status of library services in Alaska.

### **Highlights:**

In FY98 Alaska's circulation per capita of 6.09 was just slightly under the national average in FY96 of 6.5. In FY96 national volumes per capita was 2.8. Alaska's per capita for FY98 was 3.25, down from 3.3 in FY97. Collection expenditures in Alaska remained at \$4.06 the same as FY97. In FY98 in Alaskan libraries, staffing costs were 62.5% of the budget, collections were 11.9%, and operational costs were 25.6%.

### **The Tables**

*Please contact us at 800-776-6566 (from libraries within Alaska) or 907-269-6570 (Anchorage and out-of-state- callers) if you have questions.*

#### **Table 1: Public Library Circulation and Interlibrary Loan**

This table shows how often different types of library materials (books, magazines, audio tapes, videos, etc.) were checked out of the library as well as how often the library lent or received materials through Interlibrary Loan.

#### **Table 2: Public Library Collections**

Table 2 provides an overview of the size of a library's book, audio, video, electronic and magazine collections, the number of book volumes added during the year, and the number of book volumes per capita.

#### **Table 3: Public Library Income**

This table provides information on the sources of income for Alaskan libraries: Local (city or borough), State, Federal Government, and Other funding. Other is important for many of Alaska's smaller libraries because they are operated by private, non-profit organizations. The income from these non-governmental sources is reported under this category.

#### **Table 4: Public Library Expenditures**

This table shows how libraries spend their budgets. Columns are included for salaries, benefits, collections (books, magazines, audiovisual materials, etc.), operating expenditures (maintenance, travel, services and supplies), and capital expenditures (if any).

### **Table 5: Public Library Expenditures on Collections**

Table 5 subdivides the library collection expenditures by format: books, subscriptions, audiovisuals and other (microforms, software, maps, etc.)

### **Table 6: Public Library Staff and Volunteers**

This table shows the composition of the library staff: Librarians with a masters degree in library science (MLS), all people working as librarians, and the technical and clerical staff. It also includes information on volunteers and the number of hours contributed to the library by volunteers, although these numbers may not be as reliable as the numbers reported for paid staff.

### **Table 7: Public Library Hours, Attendance, Reference, and Programs**

Table 7 covers the number of hours per week the library is open, annual library attendance, the number of reference questions answered, and the number of programs presented during the year. The last three are indicators of how heavily the library is used. It is the attendance and reference question data elements that small libraries find the most difficult to count and report accurately. The State Library encourages libraries to use a sampling technique as described in the *Manual for Small Libraries* to increase the reliability of this information.

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**Table 1: Circulation and Interlibrary Loan FY98**

Libraries	Population	Adult Book Circulation	Juvenile Book Circulation	Total Book Circs	All Other Circs	Total Circulation	Circs Per Capita	ILL's Sent	ILL's Rec'd
Akiachak	569	2,603	4,725	7,328	1,707	9,035	15.88		
Akiak	316	3,082	5,528	8,610	509	9,119	28.86		9
Akutan	408	1,215		1,215	125	1,340	3.28		
Anchor Point	1,629	2,075	1,605	3,680	2,715	6,395	3.93		
Anchorage	258,782	568,211	480,644	1,048,855	245,020	1,294,283	5.00	5,608	4,011
Anderson	524	1,186	1,604	2,790	1,062	3,852	7.35	5	32
Barrow	9,389	6,989		6,989	8,665	15,654	1.67	71	892
Bethel	5,227	20,583		20,583		20,583	3.94	179	262
Big Lake	4,390	5,541	6,958	12,499	3,147	15,646	3.56	70	39
Cantwell	166	2,553	1,200	3,753	640	4,393	26.46	15	30
Chiniak	75	2,000		2,000	3,100	5,100	68.00		
Clearwater	1,500	4,000		4,000	8,475	12,475	8.32		12
Cold Bay	103	342	661	1,003	4,693	5,696	55.30		
Cooper Landing	473	1,178	342	1,520	1,233	2,753	5.82		75
Cordova	2,571	15,105		15,105	10,674	25,791	10.03		1,500
Craig	2,145	6,577	4,551	11,128	3,098	14,226	6.63		174
Deering	156	148	44	192	418	610	3.91		5
Delta Junction	884	9,306		9,306	1,165	10,471	11.85		87
Dillingham	2,332	1,924	1,653	3,577	1,062	4,700	2.02		
Eagle City	168	2,662		2,662	4,210	6,872	40.90		188
Egegik	132	731	310	1,041	340	1,381	10.46		
Elim	306	316	645	961	288	1,249	4.08		22
Fairbanks	83,928	390,218		390,218	97,355	482,966	5.75	2,489	2,864
False Pass	58	1,400		1,400	350	1,750	30.17		45
Galena	544	1,161		1,161	2,927	4,088	7.51		320
Glennallen	488	4,669	4,692	9,361	8,941	18,302	37.50		317
Gustavus	368	2,180	4,050	6,230	695	6,925	18.82	4	212
Haines	2,476	24,245	12,516	36,761	22,003	58,764	23.73	207	1,247
Healy	641	18,046		18,046		18,046	28.15	5	192
Hollis	196	4,500	4,500	9,000	3,220	12,220	62.35		
Holy Cross	277						0.00		
Homer	11,536	95,317		95,317	11,715	107,032	9.28	148	334
Hoonah	896	5,163	8,434	13,597	2,066	15,663	17.48		118
Hope	210	622	153	775	314	1,089	5.19		6
Juneau	30,684	93,458	105,388	198,846	67,017	265,451	8.65	6,053	7,273
Kasilof	1,387	12,021		12,021		12,021	8.67		
Kenai	14,384	34,107	52,447	86,554	19,681	106,235	7.39	452	284
Kenny Lake	490	1,268	1,655	2,923	2,100	5,023	10.25		41
Ketchikan	14,231	70,336	45,978	116,314	57,558	173,879	12.22	740	767
Kodiak	12,982	41,744	28,528	70,272	22,960	93,233	7.18	371	369
Kotzebue	3,710	6,459	3,461	9,920	431	10,351	2.79	63	467
Koyuk	296	245	112	357	309	666	2.25		7

**Table 1: Circulation and Interlibrary Loan FY98**

<b>Libraries</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Adult Book Circulation</b>	<b>Juvenile Book Circulation</b>	<b>Total Book Circs</b>	<b>All Other Circs</b>	<b>Total Circulation</b>	<b>Circs Per Capita</b>	<b>ILL's Sent</b>	<b>ILL's Rec'd</b>
Mcgrath	441	1,214	1,374	2,588	300	2,888	6.55		47
Metlakatla	1,595	3,500		3,500	200	3,700	2.32		30
Moose Pass	199	251	286	537	409	946	4.75		
Naknek	1,297	2,696	3,727	6,423	3,099	9,522	7.34	2	166
Nenana	435	5,718	4,204	9,922	12,225	22,147	50.91	18	27
Nikolai	103	400		400	500	900	8.74		
Ninilchik	2,318	7,230	2,852	10,082	13,740	23,822	10.28		
Nome	3,706	8,879	12,701	21,580	4,546	26,126	7.05	14	377
Northway	124	200	160	360	538	898	7.24		6
Old Harbor	297	500	310	810		810	2.73		
Ouzinkie	252	260	91	351	115	466	1.85		
Palmer	17,703	40,820	41,166	81,986	15,559	97,545	5.51	180	285
Pelican	149	804		804	660	1,464	9.83		13
Petersburg	3,398	13,800	7,500	21,300	4,157	25,832	7.60	150	274
Pilot Station	558	3,327	670	3,997	102	4,261	7.64		
Port Lions	242	3,250	275	3,525	566	4,091	16.90		24
Ruby	204	3,725	935	4,660	187	4,847	23.76		26
Russian Mission	295	100		100	370	470	1.59		5
Sand Point	830	20,000		20,000	2,195	22,195	26.74		175
Seldovia	883	1,778	1,720	3,498	5,227	8,725	9.88		38
Seward	6,389	21,648	13,568	35,216	13,342	48,558	7.60	393	1,035
Shishmaref	538						0.00		
Sitka	8,779	55,246	41,425	96,671	43,508	140,170	15.97	1,172	1,208
Skagway	814	6,572	2,908	9,480	3,736	13,216	16.24	34	252
Soldotna	9,407	69,823		69,823	6,634	76,457	8.13		106
St. George Island	173	370	1,344	1,714	144	1,858	10.74		18
St. Paul	761	1,756	4,204	5,960	405	6,365	8.36	2	1
Sutton	1,603	2,796	3,036	5,832	2,400	8,232	5.14	21	75
Takotna	58	2,527	1,622	4,149	568	4,717	81.33		
Talkeetna	1,969	11,684		11,684		11,684	5.93	11	40
Tanana	317	300	450	750	410	1,160	3.66	6	100
Tenakee Springs	101	952	648	1,600	1,000	2,600	25.74		152
Tok	1,214	1,844	878	2,722	4,974	7,696	6.34		177
Trapper Creek	914	1,792	1,541	3,333	755	4,088	4.47	2	192
Tuluksak	421	150	2,500	2,650	1,116	3,766	8.95	3	157
Unalakleet	784	40	200	240	165	405	0.52		2
Unalaska	4,285	26,685	3846	30,531	3,295	33,826	7.89		678
Valdez	4,155	36,555	6,031	42,586	6,476	49,062	11.81	490	1,360
Wasilla	26,476	59,366	77,632	136,998	18,540	155,538	5.87	200	1,077
Willow	2,692	6,709	5,803	12,512	3,974	16,486	6.12	49	307
Wrangell	2,589	16,122	10,673	26,795	5,562	32,357	12.50		275
Regional Services	39,905	19,533		19,533	19,409	38,942	0.98		474
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>	<b>1,926,408</b>	<b>1,038,664</b>	<b>2,965,072</b>	<b>823,096</b>	<b>3,784,166</b>	<b>6.09</b>	<b>19,227</b>	<b>31,380</b>

**Table 2: Collections FY98**

Libraries	Population	Books and Serials Added	Book and Serial Volumes	Volumes Per Capita	Audio Total	Video Total	Electronic Total	Subscription Total
Akiachak	569	430	9,562	16.80	107	402	4	47
Akiak	316		7,610	24.08	268	432	8	14
Akutan	408	112	6,817	16.71	146	173	54	13
Anchor Point	1,629	200	10,300	6.32	36	235	3	3
Anchorage	258,782	21,000	529,482	2.05	23,084	9,713	125	1,745
Anderson	524	478	13,033	24.87	439	981	132	7
Barrow	9,389	3,660	31,261	3.33	986	2,055	25	147
Bethel	5,227	657	34,994	6.69	2,428	1,061	12	90
Big Lake	4,390	1,102	12,087	2.75	428	475		43
Cantwell	166	142	8,989	54.15	121	157		16
Chiniak	75	325	8,088	107.84	50	528	22	20
Clearwater	1,500	82	10,712	7.14	112	1,078	5	13
Cold Bay	103	62	8,723	84.69	469	1,826	3	4
Cooper Landing	473	394	4,483	9.48	521	310		12
Cordova	2,571		20,938	8.14	972	933	36	51
Craig	2,145	507	10,648	4.96	428	352		44
Deering	156	416	7,273	46.62	301	97	7	18
Delta Junction	884		7,510	8.50	94	353		4
Dillingham	2,332	450	12,000	5.15	400	1,000		103
Eagle City	168	491	12,791	76.14	81	1,196		34
Egegik	132	1	6,150	46.59	277	319		21
Elim	306	561	6,400	20.92	91	56	18	18
Fairbanks	83,928	9,772	238,477	2.84	7,034	4,961	142	486
False Pass	58	714	2,796	48.21		176		21
Galena	544	300	13,431	24.69	60	100	7	41
Glennallen	488	808	13,500	27.66	302	1,070	2	42
Gustavus	368	1,818	7,498	20.38	83	230	11	38
Haines	2,476	989	19,269	7.78	1,062	1,417	29	112
Healy	641	940	18,637	29.07	617	592	31	44
Hollis	196	1,050	16,740	85.41	600	190		1
Holy Cross	277		5,250	18.95	22	12		24
Homer	11,536	1,067	31,754	2.75	298	858	2	101
Hoonah	896	957	17,040	19.02	64	793	11	37
Hope	210	313	4,734	22.54	17	19		6
Juneau	30,684	4,513	113,914	3.71	2,696	3,110	31	356
Kasilof	1,387	259	4,734	3.41	220	173		4
Kenai	14,384	3,160	35,573	2.47	725	1,379	23	377
Kenny Lake	490	200	5,022	10.25	232	407		4
Ketchikan	14,231	5,147	42,373	5.01	2,324	2,920	319	199
Kodiak	12,982	3,890	61,588	4.74	5,233	1,524	43	275
Kotzebue	3,710		13,703	3.69	485	1,242	9	129
Koyuk	296	55	10,092	34.09	74	122		10

**Table 2: Collections FY98**

<b>Libraries</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Books and Serials Added</b>	<b>Book and Serial Volumes</b>	<b>Volumes Per Capita</b>	<b>Audio Total</b>	<b>Video Total</b>	<b>Electronic Total</b>	<b>Subscription Total</b>
Mcgrath	441	41	11,830	26.83	91	60	63	25
Metlakatla	1,595		9,308	5.84		220		49
Moose Pass	199	93	4,338	21.80	187	184	3	8
Naknek	1,297	278	10,024	12.31	92	996	5	15
Nenana	435		9,000	20.69	120	650		13
Nikolai	103	183	4,495	43.64		170		39
Ninilchik	2,318	236	10,424	4.50	201	859		
Nome	3,706		14,930	4.03	1,147	456	60	85
Northway	124	40	2,100	16.94	229	565		18
Old Harbor	297							
Ouzinkie	252		600	2.38		34	17	5
Palmer	17,703	1,500	39,346	2.22	402	555		120
Pelican	149	330	7,600	51.01	435	478		58
Petersburg	3,398	1,527	26,557	7.82	519	941	3	77
Pilot Station	558							
Port Lions	242	250	8,380	34.63	163	320	35	51
Ruby	204		3,700	18.14	56	59	2	14
Russian Mission	295		256	0.87	5	66		29
Sand Point	830	380	6,400	7.71	48	368	55	43
Seldovia	883	140	11,081	12.55	252	800		10
Seward	6,389	1,629	26,324	4.12	1,471	1,108	27	94
Shishmaref	538	100	3,475	6.46				12
Sitka	8,779	2,903	51,180	5.83	2,298	1,914	12	197
Skagway	814	1,000	13,457	16.53	199	848	10	58
Soldotna	9,407	2,260	39,603	4.21	406	1,228	22	56
St. George Island	173		7,322	42.32	704	151	16	25
St. Paul	761		15,312	20.12	976	686		96
Sutton	1,603	500	9,291	5.80	265	420		31
Takotna	58		5,883	101.43	54	232		8
Talkeetna	1,969	548	11,673	5.93	201	644		
Tanana	317		9,280	29.27	510	250		27
Tenakee Springs	101	258	5,875	58.17	276	375	10	
Tok	1,214		10,734	8.84	534	655		22
Trapper Creek	914	836	6,829	7.47	365	232	42	28
Tuluksak	421	339	7,139	16.96	50	382	20	20
Unalakleet	784	75	3,909	4.99	14	64	3	10
Unalaska	4,285	1,281	7,153	1.67		651	10	59
Valdez	4,155	2,309	42,530	10.24	2,379	839	34	118
Wasilla	26,476	3,252	50,101	1.89	1,273	998	2	131
Willow	2,692	1,096	14,822	5.51	485	532	2	64
Wrangell	2,589	1,384	41,511	16.03	614	1,060	28	78
Regional Services	39,905							
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>	<b>91,790</b>	<b>2,019,748</b>	<b>3.25</b>	<b>71,008</b>	<b>66,077</b>	<b>1,595</b>	<b>6,567</b>

**Table 3: Income FY98**

<b>Libraries</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Local</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total Income</b>
Akiachak	569	\$25,020	\$5,800			\$30,820
Akiak	316	\$20,439	\$5,800			\$26,239
Akutan	408	\$15,260	\$7,000	\$4,150		\$26,410
Anchor Point	1,629		\$6,730		\$4,576	\$11,306
Anchorage	258,782	\$8,531,043	\$166,740	\$63,077	\$531,708	\$9,292,568
Anderson	524	\$5,000	\$7,000		\$1,500	\$13,500
Barrow	9,389	\$500,902	\$64,725	\$301,217	\$5,560	\$872,404
Bethel	5,227	\$65,000	\$7,000		\$87,030	\$159,030
Big Lake	4,390	\$102,720	\$7,000			\$109,720
Cantwell	166	\$1,706	\$5,682	\$4,217		\$11,605
Chiniak	75	\$3,000	\$6,200		\$1,632	\$10,832
Clearwater	1,500		\$5,000		\$526	\$5,526
Cold Bay	103	\$2,000	\$5,800			\$7,800
Cooper Landing	473		\$5,800		\$4,600	\$10,400
Cordova	2,571	\$90,497	\$7,000			\$97,497
Craig	2,145	\$38,353	\$7,000			\$45,353
Deering	156	\$4,068	\$6,600	\$4,217		\$14,885
Delta Junction	884	\$10,688	\$7,000			\$17,688
Dillingham	2,332	\$46,575	\$7,000		\$391	\$53,966
Eagle City	168	\$1,000	\$5,400			\$6,400
Egegik	132	\$4,500	\$6,800			\$11,300
Elim	306	\$5,000	\$7,000	\$4,217	\$11	\$16,228
Fairbanks	83,928	\$2,768,548	\$41,672			\$2,810,220
False Pass	58	\$5,000	\$7,000	\$4,000		\$16,000
Galena	544	\$10,679	\$5,800	\$4,217	\$4,513	\$25,209
Glennallen	488		\$13,573		\$20,071	\$33,644
Gustavus	368	\$3,691	\$7,000		\$3,019	\$13,710
Haines	2,476	\$181,735	\$8,052		\$19,938	\$209,725
Healy	641	\$6,414	\$7,000		\$10,738	\$24,152
Hollis	196	\$3,000	\$6,480		\$700	\$10,180
Holy Cross	277	\$4,805	\$7,000			\$11,805
Homer	11,536	\$248,315	\$7,000			\$255,315
Hoonah	896	\$53,680	\$12,000			\$65,680
Hope	210		\$5,640		\$2,973	\$8,613
Juneau	30,684	\$1,427,223	\$73,945			\$1,501,168
Kasilof	1,387		\$5,000			\$5,000
Kenai	14,384	\$393,173	\$7,000			\$400,173
Kenny Lake	490	\$1,578	\$6,220		\$2,986	\$10,784
Ketchikan	14,231	\$789,351	\$32,000		\$92,492	\$913,843
Kodiak	12,982	\$491,693	\$7,000			\$498,693
Kotzebue	3,710	\$50,549	\$14,000	\$4,217	\$41,823	\$110,589
Koyuk	296	\$5,520	\$6,840			\$12,360



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<b>Libraries</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Local</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Federal</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total Income</b>
Mcgrath	441	\$5,791	\$7,000	\$4,207	\$4,758	\$21,756
Metlakatla	1,595	\$11,826	\$7,000	\$4,000		\$22,826
Moose Pass	199		\$5,000		\$175	\$5,175
Naknek	1,297	\$87,281	\$17,582			\$104,863
Nenana	435	\$22,510	\$7,000	\$6,548	\$3,000	\$39,058
Nikolai	103	\$3,951	\$5,000			\$8,951
Nimilchik	2,318		\$6,430		\$7,914	\$14,344
Nome	3,706	\$224,288	\$15,686			\$239,974
Northway	124		\$5,280	\$8,315	\$944	\$14,539
Old Harbor	297	\$5,960	\$6,600			\$12,560
Ouzinkie	252	\$5,000	\$7,000	\$4,217		\$16,217
Palmer	17,703	\$353,919	\$7,000		\$26,547	\$387,466
Pelican	149	\$7,400	\$7,000		\$115	\$14,515
Petersburg	3,398	\$170,180	\$7,000	\$267	\$6,911	\$184,358
Pilot Station	558	\$2,835				\$2,835
Port Lions	242	\$3,200	\$6,800		\$1,488	\$11,488
Ruby	204	\$4,100	\$5,896		\$2,188	\$12,184
Russian Mission	295	\$4,899	\$6,600		\$110	\$11,609
Sand Point	830	\$2,700	\$5,400			\$8,100
Seldovia	883		\$5,000		\$413	\$5,413
Seward	6,389	\$238,091	\$30,487	\$4,602	\$3,428	\$276,608
Shishmaref	538	\$5,153	\$7,000			\$12,153
Sitka	8,779	\$440,558	\$7,000		\$13,121	\$460,679
Skagway	814	\$92,281	\$7,000			\$99,281
Soldotna	9,407	\$247,485	\$7,000			\$254,485
St. George Island	173	\$3,167	\$3,873			\$7,040
St. Paul	761	\$2,031	\$6,000		\$2,243	\$10,274
Sutton	1,603	\$77,184	\$8,000		\$2,396	\$87,580
Takotna	58		\$6,600		\$5,098	\$11,698
Talkeetna	1,969	\$82,640	\$7,000			\$89,640
Tanana	317	\$5,000	\$7,000			\$12,000
Tenakee Springs	101	\$4,200	\$6,680			\$10,880
Tok	1,214	\$2,700	\$6,600		\$1,500	\$10,800
Trapper Creek	914	\$27,750	\$7,000		\$1,626	\$36,376
Tuluksak	421	\$30,600	\$5,800			\$36,400
Unalakleet	784	\$10,000	\$7,000			\$17,000
Unalaska	4,285	\$220,957	\$11,350			\$232,307
Valdez	4,155	\$330,151	\$7,000		\$12,400	\$349,551
Wasilla	26,476	\$561,259	\$7,000		\$18,073	\$586,332
Willow	2,692	\$111,351	\$7,000			\$118,351
Wrangell	2,589	\$157,247	\$8,097		\$17,316	\$182,660
Regional Services	39,905			\$228,581		\$228,581
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>	<b>\$19,483,370</b>	<b>\$951,060</b>	<b>\$654,266</b>	<b>\$968,551</b>	<b>\$22,057,247</b>

**Table 4: Expenditures FY98**

Libraries	Population	Salary	Benefits	Collection	All Other Operating Expend	Total Operating Expend	Operating Expend per Capita	Capital
Akiachak	569	\$16,376	\$3,670	\$4,289		\$24,335	\$42.77	
Akiak	316	\$19,898	\$5,517	\$483	\$387	\$26,285	\$83.18	
Akutan	408	\$14,500	\$1,195	\$1,880	\$4,835	\$22,410	\$54.93	\$4,000
Anchor Point	1,629	\$3,563	\$588	\$2,000	\$5,155	\$11,306	\$6.94	
Anchorage	258,782	\$3,732,040	\$1,346,410	\$1,065,592	\$3,148,526	\$9,292,568	\$35.91	
Anderson	524	\$5,488	\$500	\$2,067	\$5,445	\$13,500	\$25.76	
Barrow	9,389	\$361,646	\$85,770	\$74,010	\$81,867	\$603,293	\$64.26	
Bethel	5,227	\$86,790	\$26,260	\$11,884	\$5,089	\$130,023	\$24.88	
Big Lake	4,390	\$62,648	\$15,620	\$15,650	\$15,802	\$109,720	\$24.99	
Cantwell	166	\$5,768		\$4,502	\$1,339	\$11,609	\$69.93	
Chiniak	75			\$4,025	\$5,151	\$9,176	\$122.35	
Clearwater	1,500			\$1,655	\$3,351	\$5,006	\$3.34	
Cold Bay	103			\$4,528	\$3,273	\$7,801	\$75.74	
Cooper Landing	473			\$5,800	\$3,811	\$9,611	\$20.32	
Cordova	2,571	\$52,109	\$19,678	\$9,700	\$9,010	\$90,497	\$35.20	
Craig	2,145	\$29,802	\$4,254	\$2,118	\$9,179	\$45,353	\$21.14	
Deering	156	\$6,501	\$994	\$3,672	\$3,982	\$15,149	\$97.11	
Delta Junction	884	\$5,609	\$429	\$1,608	\$10,024	\$17,670	\$19.99	
Dillingham	2,332	\$17,915	\$3,047	\$11,101	\$17,877	\$49,940	\$21.42	\$1,499
Eagle City	168			\$3,329	\$3,071	\$6,400	\$38.10	
Egegik	132	\$6,240	\$159	\$5,060	\$2,810	\$14,269	\$108.10	
Elim	306	\$6,913	\$1,028	\$2,966	\$3,832	\$14,739	\$48.17	
Fairbanks	83,928	\$1,604,669	\$507,777	\$287,396	\$258,377	\$2,658,219	\$31.67	\$4,193,983
False Pass	58	\$3,624	\$389	\$5,971	\$2,040	\$12,024	\$207.31	
Galena	544	\$5,804		\$4,328	\$10,951	\$21,083	\$38.76	
Glennallen	488	\$14,951	\$1,871	\$6,120	\$11,054	\$33,996	\$69.66	
Gustavus	368	\$6,728		\$1,852	\$5,128	\$13,708	\$37.25	\$470,000
Haines	2,476	\$101,061	\$39,197	\$23,428	\$27,548	\$191,234	\$77.24	
Healy	641	\$10,525	\$150	\$4,817	\$5,063	\$20,555	\$32.07	
Hollis	196			\$6,481	\$3,699	\$10,180	\$51.94	
Holy Cross	277	\$1,106	\$113	\$4,680	\$4,500	\$10,399	\$37.54	
Homer	11,536	\$156,728	\$33,170	\$17,594	\$47,823	\$255,315	\$22.13	
Hoonah	896	\$37,157	\$9,682	\$12,962	\$5,879	\$65,680	\$73.30	
Hope	210	\$2,744	\$351	\$1,126	\$4,411	\$8,632	\$41.10	
Juneau	30,684	\$643,311	\$303,707	\$120,825	\$433,325	\$1,501,168	\$48.92	
Kasilof	1,387	\$3,400		\$1,407	\$193	\$5,000	\$3.60	
Kenai	14,384	\$188,286	\$41,667	\$54,637	\$106,999	\$391,589	\$27.22	
Kenny Lake	490	\$1,441	\$528	\$3,112	\$4,195	\$9,276	\$18.93	
Ketchikan	14,231	\$422,536	\$187,348	\$103,032	\$200,916	\$913,832	\$64.21	
Kodiak	12,982	\$278,966	\$56,559	\$72,618	\$90,550	\$498,693	\$38.41	
Kotzebue	3,710	\$76,396	\$9,775	\$20,017	\$18,450	\$124,638	\$33.60	
Koyuk	296	\$4,368		\$714	\$7,288	\$12,370	\$41.79	

**Table 4: Expenditures FY98**

Libraries	Population	Salary	Benefits	Collection	All Other Operating Expend	Total Operating Expend	Operating Expend per Capita	Capital
Mcgrath	441	\$8,391		\$4,774	\$2,837	\$16,002	\$36.29	
Metlakatla	1,595	\$5,202	\$398	\$1,150	\$15,826	\$22,576	\$14.15	
Moose Pass	199			\$2,916	\$2,118	\$5,034	\$25.30	
Naknek	1,297	\$63,545	\$13,348	\$9,047	\$18,925	\$104,865	\$80.85	
Nenana	435	\$15,814	\$1,545	\$3,592	\$15,107	\$36,058	\$82.89	
Nikolai	103	\$985	\$197	\$4,279	\$3,490	\$8,951	\$86.90	
Ninilchik	2,318	\$5,040	\$466	\$3,338	\$5,160	\$14,004	\$6.04	
Nome	3,706	\$103,907	\$28,661	\$27,279	\$35,163	\$195,010	\$52.62	
Northway	124	\$4,623	\$828	\$3,074	\$3,167	\$11,692	\$94.29	
Old Harbor	297	\$7,000	\$752	\$1,348	\$1,959	\$11,059	\$37.24	
Ouzinkie	252	\$5,160		\$2,781	\$4,059	\$12,000	\$47.62	
Palmer	17,703	\$132,737	\$51,470	\$42,224	\$112,779	\$339,210	\$19.16	
Pelican	149			\$7,935	\$6,946	\$14,881	\$99.87	
Petersburg	3,398	\$96,966	\$18,241	\$31,267	\$14,936	\$161,410	\$47.50	
Pilot Station	558	\$2,602	\$233			\$2,835	\$5.08	
Port Lions	242	\$6,169	\$1,031	\$1,785	\$1,716	\$10,701	\$44.22	\$200,000
Ruby	204	\$5,504	\$984	\$2,279	\$3,421	\$12,188	\$59.75	
Russian Mission	295	\$5,775		\$2,524	\$3,200	\$11,499	\$38.98	
Sand Point	830	\$5,110		\$2,229	\$720	\$8,059	\$9.71	
Seldovia	883			\$4,652	\$528	\$5,180	\$5.87	
Seward	6,389	\$111,525	\$46,289	\$37,010	\$64,585	\$259,409	\$40.60	\$15,474
Shishmaref	538	\$7,630	\$1,574	\$601	\$2,348	\$12,153	\$22.59	
Sitka	8,779	\$202,417	\$92,822	\$54,923	\$110,517	\$460,679	\$52.48	
Skagway	814	\$59,488	\$12,540	\$13,320	\$12,933	\$98,281	\$120.74	\$10,000
Soldotna	9,407	\$112,130	\$40,625	\$33,070	\$37,389	\$223,214	\$23.73	
St. George Island	173	\$3,796	\$336	\$2,908		\$7,040	\$40.69	
St. Paul	761	\$4,512	\$1,616	\$4,146		\$10,274	\$13.50	
Sutton	1,603	\$44,444	\$11,013	\$13,500	\$15,227	\$84,184	\$52.52	
Takotna	58	\$5,250	\$608	\$1,761	\$4,079	\$11,698	\$201.69	
Talkeetna	1,969	\$48,593	\$12,356	\$3,659	\$15,032	\$79,640	\$40.45	
Tanana	317	\$4,973		\$575	\$8,464	\$14,012	\$44.20	
Tenakee Springs	101	\$6,215	\$650	\$1,815	\$2,197	\$10,877	\$107.69	
Tok	1,214			\$4,959	\$3,901	\$8,860	\$7.30	
Trapper Creek	914	\$10,544	\$2,227	\$7,121	\$11,250	\$31,142	\$34.07	
Tuluksak	421	\$18,207	\$5,738	\$4,241	\$2,027	\$30,213	\$71.76	
Unalakleet	784	\$5,420	\$3,670	\$1,409	\$6,279	\$16,778	\$21.40	
Unalaska	4,285	\$101,923	\$25,478	\$36,376	\$38,395	\$202,172	\$47.18	\$259,877
Valdez	4,155	\$200,192	\$45,163	\$29,553	\$68,604	\$343,512	\$82.67	
Wasilla	26,476	\$296,640	\$90,073	\$58,432	\$125,373	\$570,518	\$21.55	
Willow	2,692	\$64,851	\$13,742	\$15,671	\$24,087	\$118,351	\$43.96	
Wrangell	2,589	\$76,947	\$41,834	\$25,261	\$17,011	\$161,053	\$62.21	
Regional Services	39,905	\$117,261	\$45,284	\$20,463	\$45,573	\$228,581	\$5.73	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>	<b>\$9,975,095</b>	<b>\$3,319,195</b>	<b>\$2,520,283</b>	<b>\$5,459,533</b>	<b>\$21,274,106</b>	<b>\$34.24</b>	<b>\$5,154,833</b>

**Table 5: Collection Expenditures FY98**

Libraries	Population	Books	Subscriptions	Audio Visuals	Other Material	Total Collection Expend	Collection Expend per Capita
Akiachak	569	\$3,365	\$618		\$306	\$4,289	\$7.54
Akiak	316	\$200	\$283			\$483	\$1.53
Akutan	408	\$1,150	\$350		\$380	\$1,880	\$4.61
Anchor Point	1,629	\$1,401	\$95	\$104	\$400	\$2,000	\$1.23
Anchorage	258,782	\$414,000	\$434,780	\$47,270	\$169,542	\$1,065,592	\$4.12
Anderson	524	\$1,758	\$93		\$216	\$2,067	\$3.94
Barrow	9,389	\$44,412	\$10,600	\$18,998		\$74,010	\$7.88
Bethel	5,227	\$4,681	\$4,365	\$44	\$2,794	\$11,884	\$2.27
Big Lake	4,390	\$12,500	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$650	\$15,650	\$3.56
Cantwell	166	\$3,671	\$596	\$235		\$4,502	\$27.12
Chiniak	75	\$3,210	\$408	\$337	\$70	\$4,025	\$53.67
Clearwater	1,500	\$716	\$310	\$545	\$84	\$1,655	\$1.10
Cold Bay	103	\$2,702	\$64	\$1,762		\$4,528	\$43.96
Cooper Landing	473	\$4,407	\$220	\$1,173		\$5,800	\$12.26
Cordova	2,571	\$6,000	\$2,700	\$500	\$500	\$9,700	\$3.77
Craig	2,145	\$2,118				\$2,118	\$0.99
Deering	156	\$1,245	\$1,097	\$730	\$600	\$3,672	\$23.54
Delta Junction	884	\$1,608				\$1,608	\$1.82
Dillingham	2,332	\$6,422	\$3,381	\$614	\$684	\$11,101	\$4.76
Eagle City	168	\$1,643	\$1,069	\$617		\$3,329	\$19.82
Egegik	132	\$269	\$628	\$4,163		\$5,060	\$38.33
Elim	306	\$1,948	\$513	\$402	\$103	\$2,966	\$9.69
Fairbanks	83,928	\$124,863	\$131,772	\$30,761		\$287,396	\$3.42
False Pass	58	\$3,876	\$1,040	\$1,000	\$55	\$5,971	\$102.95
Galena	544	\$2,811	\$1,160	\$269	\$88	\$4,328	\$7.96
Glennallen	488	\$4,688	\$492	\$940		\$6,120	\$12.54
Gustavus	368	\$1,110	\$506	\$236		\$1,852	\$5.03
Haines	2,476	\$15,346	\$2,159	\$4,153	\$1,770	\$23,428	\$9.46
Healy	641	\$4,288	\$413	\$116		\$4,817	\$7.51
Hollis	196	\$6,149	\$98	\$210	\$24	\$6,481	\$33.07
Holy Cross	277	\$3,599		\$80	\$1,001	\$4,680	\$16.90
Homer	11,536	\$11,645	\$5,771	\$178		\$17,594	\$1.53
Hoonah	896	\$6,509	\$1,265	\$1,195	\$3,993	\$12,962	\$14.47
Hope	210	\$812	\$187	\$127		\$1,126	\$5.36
Juneau	30,684	\$43,475	\$72,750	\$3,500	\$1,100	\$120,825	\$3.94
Kasilof	1,387	\$1,313		\$94		\$1,407	\$1.01
Kenai	14,384	\$38,130	\$5,213	\$205	\$11,089	\$54,637	\$3.80
Kenny Lake	490	\$1,755	\$160	\$1,197		\$3,112	\$6.35
Ketchikan	14,231	\$69,389	\$12,453	\$21,190		\$103,032	\$7.24
Kodiak	12,982	\$59,631	\$7,313	\$3,374	\$2,300	\$72,618	\$5.59
Kotzebue	3,710	\$11,743	\$3,912	\$4,362		\$20,017	\$5.40
Koyuk	296	\$592	\$122			\$714	\$2.41

**Table 5: Collection Expenditures FY98**

<b>Libraries</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>Books</b>	<b>Subscriptions</b>	<b>Audio Visuals</b>	<b>Other Material</b>	<b>Total Collection Expend</b>	<b>Collection Expend per Capita</b>
Mcgrath	441	\$1,937	\$939	\$1,898		\$4,774	\$10.83
Metlakatla	1,595	\$1,000	\$150			\$1,150	\$0.72
Moose Pass	199	\$1,765	\$267	\$884		\$2,916	\$14.65
Naknek	1,297	\$5,889	\$400	\$1,608	\$1,150	\$9,047	\$6.98
Nenana	435	\$3,592				\$3,592	\$8.26
Nikolai	103	\$1,391	\$2,888			\$4,279	\$41.54
Ninilchik	2,318	\$2,500		\$838		\$3,338	\$1.44
Nome	3,706	\$10,831	\$6,923	\$6,095	\$3,430	\$27,279	\$7.36
Northway	124	\$1,179	\$828	\$1,067		\$3,074	\$24.79
Old Harbor	297	\$140	\$327	\$251	\$630	\$1,348	\$4.54
Ouzinkie	252	\$1,923	\$236	\$622		\$2,781	\$11.04
Palmer	17,703	\$42,224				\$42,224	\$2.39
Pelican	149	\$5,519	\$1,501	\$390	\$525	\$7,935	\$53.26
Petersburg	3,398	\$24,812	\$4,986	\$1,469		\$31,267	\$9.20
Pilot Station	558					\$0	\$0.00
Port Lions	242	\$1,222	\$563			\$1,785	\$7.38
Ruby	204	\$1,322	\$697		\$260	\$2,279	\$11.17
Russian Mission	295	\$1,304		\$1,042	\$178	\$2,524	\$8.56
Sand Point	830	\$773	\$1,456			\$2,229	\$2.69
Seldovia	883	\$3,515	\$403	\$734		\$4,652	\$5.27
Seward	6,389	\$29,954	\$2,930	\$3,551	\$575	\$37,010	\$5.79
Shishmaref	538		\$601			\$601	\$1.12
Sitka	8,779	\$37,923	\$9,000	\$8,000		\$54,923	\$6.26
Skagway	814	\$8,663	\$2,458	\$1,327	\$872	\$13,320	\$16.36
Soldotna	9,407	\$21,106	\$4,449	\$4,958	\$2,557	\$33,070	\$3.52
St. George Island	173	\$774	\$1,556		\$578	\$2,908	\$16.81
St. Paul	761	\$1,370	\$2,541		\$235	\$4,146	\$5.45
Sutton	1,603	\$11,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$500	\$13,500	\$8.42
Takotna	58	\$1,044	\$356		\$361	\$1,761	\$30.36
Talkeetna	1,969	\$2,517	\$1,142			\$3,659	\$1.86
Tanana	317	\$310	\$215	\$50		\$575	\$1.81
Tenakee Springs	101	\$893	\$490	\$432		\$1,815	\$17.97
Tok	1,214	\$3,381	\$209	\$1,054	\$315	\$4,959	\$4.08
Trapper Creek	914	\$4,181	\$1,614	\$1,097	\$229	\$7,121	\$7.79
Tuluksak	421	\$2,655			\$1,586	\$4,241	\$10.07
Unalakleet	784	\$1,057	\$193		\$159	\$1,409	\$1.80
Unalaska	4,285	\$27,460	\$1,916	\$7,000		\$36,376	\$8.49
Valdez	4,155	\$13,184	\$12,791	\$2,329	\$1,249	\$29,553	\$7.11
Wasilla	26,476	\$37,020	\$3,717	\$4,690	\$13,005	\$58,432	\$2.21
Willow	2,692	\$15,671				\$15,671	\$5.82
Wrangell	2,589	\$16,511	\$3,250	\$5,500		\$25,261	\$9.76
Regional Services	39,905	\$17,982		\$2,481		\$20,463	\$0.51
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>	<b>\$1,298,644</b>	<b>\$782,948</b>	<b>\$212,548</b>	<b>\$226,143</b>	<b>\$2,520,283</b>	<b>\$4.06</b>

**Table 6: Staff and Volunteers FY98**

Libraries	Population	MLS Librarians	All Librarians	Tech & Clerical Staff	Total Staff	Patrons Per Staff	Volunteers	Volunteer Hours
Akiachak	569		0.40		0.40	1,423	3	12
Akiak	316		0.40		0.40	790		
Akutan	408		0.50	0.10	0.60	680		
Anchor Point	1,629		0.25		0.25	6,516	30	200
Anchorage	258,782	39.90	39.90	69.73	109.63	2,361	198	7,530
Anderson	524		0.25		0.25	2,096	85	963
Barrow	9,389	2.00	2.00	3.00	5.00	1,878		
Bethel	5,227	1.00	2.00	0.25	2.25	2,323	8	40
Big Lake	4,390		1.00	0.50	1.50	2,927	16	422
Cantwell	166		0.33		0.33	503		
Chiniak	75						12	975
Clearwater	1,500						2	1,300
Cold Bay	103						12	800
Cooper Landing	473						15	600
Cordova	2,571		1.00	1.75	2.75	935	6	156
Craig	2,145		0.94	0.10	1.04	2,063	17	450
Deering	156		0.40		0.40	390		
Delta Junction	884		0.18	0.13	0.30	2,947	10	350
Dillingham	2,332		0.50		0.50	4,664	25	1,040
Eagle City	168						15	2,000
Egegik	132		0.25		0.25	528		
Elim	306		0.38		0.38	816		
Fairbanks	83,928	8.50	10.25	35.63	45.88	1,829	67	1,369
False Pass	58		1.00		1.00	58		
Galena	544		0.25		0.25	2,176	6	30
Glennallen	488		0.67	0.09	0.76	642	24	650
Gustavus	368		0.25		0.25	1,472	35	2,800
Haines	2,476		1.50	1.10	2.60	952	89	2,110
Healy	641		0.50	0.10	0.60	1,068	18	456
Hollis	196						18	2,000
Holy Cross	277			0.25	0.25	1,108	5	110
Homer	11,536	1.00	1.00	3.63	4.63	2,494	2	196
Hoonah	896		1.00	0.70	1.70	527	3	
Hope	210		0.25		0.25	840	1	50
Juneau	30,684	4.69	4.69	15.78	20.47	1,499	95	4,603
Kasilof	1,387		0.25		0.25	5,548	2	291
Kenai	14,384		1.00	4.25	5.25	2,740	287	2,547
Kenny Lake	490		0.45		0.45	1,089	15	1,165
Ketchikan	14,231	4.00	4.65	7.83	12.48	1,140	2	169
Kodiak	12,982	1.00	1.00	6.11	7.11	1,825	52	1,042
Kotzebue	3,710		2.00	1.00	3.00	1,237		
Koyuk	296		0.25		0.25	1,184		

**Table 6: Staff and Volunteers FY98**

Libraries	Population	MLS Librarians	All Librarians	Tech & Clerical Staff	Total Staff	Patrons Per Staff	Volunteers	Volunteer Hours
Mcgrath	441		0.32	0.30	0.62	711	30	572
Metlakatla	1,595		0.38		0.38	4,197		
Moose Pass	199						5	480
Naknek	1,297		1.00	1.00	2.00	649	5	36
Nenana	435		0.70	0.10	0.80	544	2	48
Nikolai	103		0.35		0.35	294	3	100
Ninilchik	2,318		0.38		0.38	6,181	9	1,200
Nome	3,706		1.00	1.50	2.50	1,482	2	100
Northway	124		0.25		0.25	496	5	30
Old Harbor	297		0.40		0.40	743	4	90
Ouzinkie	252		0.50		0.50	504		
Palmer	17,703	1.00	1.00	3.00	4.00	4,426	10	2,500
Pelican	149						1	500
Petersburg	3,398	1.00	1.00	1.50	2.50	1,359	21	350
Pilot Station	558		0.25		0.25	2,232		
Port Lions	242		0.38		0.38	645	5	199
Ruby	204		0.30		0.30	680		
Russian Mission	295		0.25		0.25	1,180		
Sand Point	830		0.13	0.13	0.25	3,320		
Seldovia	883						9	600
Seward	6,389	1.00	1.00	2.80	3.80	1,681	63	690
Shishmaref	538		0.38	0.00	0.38	1,435		
Sitka	8,779	1.00	2.00	5.00	7.00	1,254	19	3,178
Skagway	814		1.00	0.80	1.80	452	20	120
Soldotna	9,407		3.00	0.50	3.50	2,688	19	604
St. George Island	173		0.25		0.25	692		
St. Paul	761		0.15	0.10	0.25	3,044		
Sutton	1,603		0.85	0.15	1.00	1,603	4	60
Takotna	58		0.30		0.30	193	2	100
Talkeetna	1,969		1.00	0.50	1.50	1,313	5	36
Tanana	317		0.25		0.25	1,268	10	100
Tenakee Springs	101		0.25		0.25	404	2	52
Tok	1,214						12	2,500
Trapper Creek	914		0.50		0.50	1,828	15	300
Tuluksak	421		0.50		0.50	842	3	12
Unalakleet	784		0.38		0.38	2,091	1	750
Unalaska	4,285	1.00	1.00	1.70	2.70	1,587	4	400
Valdez	4,155	1.00	2.00	2.36	4.36	953	15	175
Wasilla	26,476	1.00	3.00	4.75	7.75	3,416	75	729
Willow	2,692		1.00	0.70	1.70	1,584	26	450
Wrangell	2,589		1.00	1.15	2.15	1,204	4	454
Regional Services	39,905							
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>	<b>69.09</b>	<b>110.01</b>	<b>180.06</b>	<b>290.06</b>	<b>2,142</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>53,940</b>

**Table 7: Hours, Attendance, Reference, and Programs FY98**

Libraries	Population	Type of Library	Type of Board	Hours Open per Week	Annual Hours	Annual Attend	Reference Transactions	Annual Programs
Akiachak	569	Sch/Public	None	20	960	12,000	50	345
Akiak	316	Sch/Public	None	15	720	4,900	25	
Akutan	408	Public	Pol	26	1,300	1,560		167
Anchor Point	1,629	Public	Pol	10	520	2,600	250	5
Anchorage	258,782	Public	Adv	210	10,316	876,106	214,708	918
Anderson	524	Sch/Public	Pol	10	520	3,562	1,014	15
Barrow	9,389	Acad/Public	Pol	46	5,752	13,486	1,465	57
Bethel	5,227	Acad/Public	Adv	55	3,146			42
Big Lake	4,390	Public	Adv	39	1,996	14,064	1,004	56
Cantwell	166	Sch/Public	Pol	15	720	1,680	125	24
Chiniak	75	Public	Pol	16	936	550	100	33
Clearwater	1,500	Public	Adv	14	650	3,000	75	
Cold Bay	103	Public	Pol	14	682	2,778	50	23
Cooper Landing	473	Public	Pol	20	1,040	2,284		6
Cordova	2,571	Public	Adv	35	1,820	26,000		
Craig	2,145	Public	Pol	35	1,820	1,695	594	43
Deering	156	Public	Pol	16	784	1,421	3	52
Delta Junction	884	Public	Pol	12	576	4,850	250	25
Dillingham	2,332	Public	Pol	26	1,352	6,410	260	121
Eagle City	168	Public	Pol	17	884	3,000	300	14
Egegik	132	Public	Pol	12	620	100		10
Elim	306	Public	Pol	10	480	1,021	75	82
Fairbanks	83,928	Public	Adv	100	5,200	264,973	61,138	389
False Pass	58	Public	Adv	38	1,900	1,250	47	35
Galena	544	Sch/Public	Adv	10	540		25	
Glennallen	488	Public	Pol	29	1,660	7,300	300	54
Gustavus	368	Public	Pol	16	900	3,850	62	98
Haines	2,476	Public	Pol	52	2,563	54,000	10,000	151
Healy	641	Sch/Public	Pol	14	672	2,141	90	60
Hollis	196	Public	Pol	21	1,200	5,700	2,800	204
Holy Cross	277	Sch/Public	Adv	12	432			
Homer	11,536	Public	Adv	52	2,704	100,562		131
Hoonah	896	Sch/Public	Pol	60	2,380	22,890	2,930	365
Hope	210	Public	Pol	10	520	576	26	8
Juneau	30,684	Public	None	155	7,856	427,723	22,505	508
Kasilof	1,387	Sch/Public	Pol	28	1,120			14
Kenai	14,384	Public	Adv	63	3,276	94,690	1,760	270
Kenny Lake	490	Public	Pol	18	936	1,851	20	66
Ketchikan	14,231	Public	Adv	58	2,940	224,112	9,091	477
Kodiak	12,982	Public	Adv	66	3,412	108,179	4,000	122
Kotzebue	3,710	Acad/Public	None	46	2,800	18,750		322
Koyuk	296	Public	Pol	20	740	1,200	10	62



**Table 7: Hours, Attendance, Reference, and Programs FY98**

Libraries	Population	Type of Library	Type of Board	Hours Open per Week	Annual Hours	Annual Attend	Reference Transactions	Annual Programs
Mcgrath	441	Sch/Public	Pol	23	1,196	3,168	52	371
Metlakatla	1,595	Sch/Public	Adv	15	2,600	1,785	1,250	3
Moose Pass	199	Public	Adv	10	480	393	40	7
Naknek	1,297	Public	None	40	3,520	7,544	59	37
Nenana	435	Public	Adv	28	1,456	2,200	97	16
Nikolai	103	Public	None	14	700	300	10	
Ninilchik	2,318	Public	Pol	15	1,456	6,000	300	5
Nome	3,706	Public	None	44	2,244	12,240	3,060	79
Northway	124	Sch/Public	Pol	10	480	1,500	10	63
Old Harbor	297	Public	None	16	832	950	8	21
Ouzinkie	252	Public	Adv	20	1,040	260	2	3
Palmer	17,703	Public	Adv	42	2,184	41,600	8,736	140
Pelican	149	Public	Adv	10	520	1,721	52	30
Petersburg	3,398	Public	Pol	44	2,200	25,000	900	28
Pilot Station	558	Public	None	10	480			
Port Lions	242	Public	Adv	15	780	1,509	101	49
Ruby	204	Public	None	12	624	747	3	48
Russian Mission	295	Sch/Public	Pol	10	480	1,200	25	192
Sand Point	830	Sch/Public	None	10	480	6,206	1,800	303
Seldovia	883	Public	Pol	13	650	5,033	75	
Seward	6,389	Public	Adv	46	2,392	159,818	5,027	450
Shishmaref	538	Public	Adv	15	480			0
Sitka	8,779	Public	Pol	57	2,964	87,620	11,232	180
Skagway	814	Public	Adv	44	2,288	20,291	936	93
Soldotna	9,407	Public	Adv	59	3,068	67,169	15,616	80
St. George Island	173	Sch/Public	None	10	435	6,100	75	381
St. Paul	761	Sch/Public	None	10	460	5,581	100	168
Sutton	1,603	Public	Adv	35	1,820	7,083	200	63
Takotna	58	Public	Pol	12	624			82
Talkeetna	1,969	Public	None	36	1,872	6,910		60
Tanana	317	Sch/Public	Adv	10	480	950	150	26
Tenakee Springs	101	Public	Adv	11	520	1,305	25	8
Tok	1,214	Public	Pol	25	1,225	7,830	420	23
Trapper Creek	914	Public	Pol	20	992	1,947	75	20
Tuluksak	421	Sch/Public	None	25	480			1,151
Unalakleet	784	Public	Adv	16	832	1,000	500	91
Unalaska	4,285	Public	Adv	48	2,496	26,839	2,215	63
Valdez	4,155	Acad/Public	Adv	55	2,592	39,925	1,500	58
Wasilla	26,476	Public	Adv	40	2,080			99
Willow	2,692	Public	Adv	38	1,976	10,320	834	63
Wrangell	2,589	Public	Adv	37	1,924	28,000	3,600	30
Regional Services	39,905							
<b>Totals</b>	<b>621,400</b>				<b>137,747</b>	<b>2,920,858</b>	<b>394,237</b>	<b>9,958</b>

# **Glossary of Alaska Public Library Statistics Terms**

## **Adult Book Circulation**

Number of books circulated to adults annually. Includes paperback books, renewals and books borrowed from other libraries which are checked out to local patrons.

## **All Employees with the Title Librarian**

All staff members doing work that requires professional training and skill in Librarianship regardless of degree held. In a small library, the head librarian is reported as a librarian, even if lacking the formal training and title.

## **All Other Circulation**

Circulation count for all other items loaned during the year. Includes audio, videos, films maps, periodicals, computer disks, government documents, vertical file materials etc.

## **All Other Employees**

This includes clerical and technical library workers, as well as maintenance and plant operations staff paid by the library.

## **All other income**

This includes revenue from an incorporated non-profit association if it runs the library. Also, reported are donations of money, bake sale earnings, library fines and interest. Only cash is reported, not the value of gifts and donations of books and other library materials or of equipment.

## **Annual Attendance**

The total number of persons entering the library annually, including persons attending library activities and meetings and those persons using library materials; for example, reading magazines, newspapers, encyclopedias.

## **Annual Hours**

Total number of hours each library was open during the reporting period of July 1, 1995 through June 30, 1996. Libraries with branches add the number of hours all of the library outlets are open to the public and report this total.

## **Annual Reference Transactions**

The number of reference questions asked for the year. Reference involves the knowledge, use, recommendations, interpretation, or instruction in the use of one or more information sources by a member of the library staff.

## **Audio Materials**

This includes music and spoken word, whether on cassette, phonorecord, discs, reels, etc.

**Benefits**

Included are amounts spent for paid benefits including social security, retirement, medical insurance, life insurance, guaranteed disability income protection, unemployment compensation, and workmen's compensation.

**Book and Serial Volumes**

An annual count of all books and serials held by the library. This includes monographs, bound periodicals, multi- volumed sets, and duplicate copies of titles.

**Capital Outlay**

A one-time expenditure for purchasing a building site, erecting a new building or building addition; new equipment (including major computer installations), furnishings for new or expanded buildings and new vehicles. Does not include replacement and repair of existing furnishings and equipment or regular purchase of library materials reported as Operating Expenditures.

**Circs Per capita**

Number of items circulated by the library annually divided by the population. The FY94 national Circs Per Capita was 6.4.

**Collection Expenditures**

Total amount of funds expended to purchase library materials. This includes the purchase of books, magazines, audiovisual materials. Included are resources in electronic format such as CD ROMs, and computer tapes or disks which are primarily used by patrons.

**Electronic Format**

All materials which are designed to be used with a computer. This includes floppy disks, CD-ROMs, computer tapes, etc. used by library patrons. Examples are U. S. Census data tapes, locally mounted databases, serials, and reference tools. Not included is library system software used by staff to manage the collection.

**Expenditures for Audiovisual**

This includes expenditures for audio, video, film materials, and maps, pictures, three-dimensional items, etc.

**Expenditures for Books**

Included in this category are expenditures for printed materials (such as books, including McNaughton plans, and government documents) that do not require magnification and

**Expenditures for Other Materials**

Include all expenditures for library materials not reported elsewhere. These would include microforms, computer software for patron use, puzzles, toys, etc.

## **Expenditures for Subscriptions**

This includes expenditures for periodicals, magazines, newspapers, and annuals.

## **Income from Federal Sources**

Federal funds distributed to the public library including LSCA/LSTA Title IV funds, distributed by the Tribal Council and LSCA/LSTA Title I and III, distributed by the State Library.

## **Income from Local Government Sources**

Money budgeted by the city, borough, School District or Tribal Council to fund the public library. Undesignated revenue sharing funds are local government sources.

## **Income from State Sources**

State funds distributed to the public library. This includes Public Library Assistance grants, Interlibrary Cooperation grants, etc. given by the State Library. Exclude federal moneys distributed by the State Library.

## **Interlibrary Loans received from another library**

Library material, or a copy of the material, received from another library. It includes both lending and borrowing. In Interlibrary Loan the libraries are not under the same library administration.

## **Interlibrary Loans sent to other libraries**

Library material, or a copy of the material, loaned or sent to another library upon request. In Interlibrary Loan the libraries are not under the same library administration.

## **Juvenile Book Circulation**

Number of book circulated to persons 14 years of age and under annually.

## **Librarians with MLS Accredited Degrees**

Librarians who have a masters degree in library science from an ALA accredited school.

## **Library Programs**

Includes programs presented by library staff, or someone invited by the staff. Programs may be on use of the library and its services, library tours, or may be cultural, recreational or educational programs. If programs are offered as a series, each program in the series is counted. (e.g., A Saturday Night Film Series was scheduled for 8 weeks. This series counts as 8 programs.) Programs do not have to take place in the library but must be sponsored by it. Not included are meetings or classes sponsored by other groups using the library.

## **Other Expenditures**

Includes operational expenditures for all categories other than staff and collections. Includes expenditures for building operations, heat, light telephone, library equipment and furniture, travel, training, and supplies. Costs for postage, printing, on-line database searching, all

contracted services such as computer software for the operation of the library.

### **Population of Legal Service Area**

The source of this information is the Department of Community and Regional Affairs' Certification of Population for 1996. In the case of libraries located in unincorporated areas not certified by DCRA, the figures reported on the Annual Report were used. The population of legal service area for libraries in the Mat-Su and Kenai Boroughs were calculated as in previous years. Using DCRA figures, each library was credited with the population base of the city and a percentage of the borough wide population based on the percentage of materials circulated by each library. A. Holmes Johnson Memorial Library in Kodiak was given the population of the Kodiak Borough minus the populations of Chiniak, Old Harbor, Ouzinkie and Port Lions for the years those libraries reported data. The figure reported for Bush Services is calculated by adding the populations of all the communities served by libraries and subtracting this figure from the total state population.

### **Salaries and Wages**

Salaries and wages for all library staff including plant operation and maintenance staff paid for by the library. These are salaries and wages before deductions, but exclude benefits.

### **Subscriptions**

Number of titles subscribed to, NOT the number of individual issues received during the year. Libraries with branches report the total number of subscriptions including duplicates held by branches.

### **Total Circulation**

Circulation count for all items loaned during the year.

### **Total Income**

All income used for operating expenditures.

### **Total Volunteer Hours**

Number of hours annually contributed to the library by volunteers.

### **Volumes Per Capita**

Total number of books and serials held by the library divided by the local population. In FY94 the national Volumes Per Capita was 2.7.

### **Volunteers**

Any person who works for free in the library, regardless of what he/she does.

### **Video Materials**

Material which can be played back using a television receiver or monitor.