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Library Facilities Report
FY2007
(July 1, 2006 - June 30, 2007)

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Introduction

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Library Population Group 1 (0 - 1,999)												
Acton - W. Acton	1,235	478	1840	1988	1	12	0	0	0			0
Alford	398		1850		0	0	0	0	0			0
Aquinnah	354	600	1844	1975	2	20	0	0	0	No		0
Ashfield	1,822	5,550	1910	1993	5	20	1	50	315	No		0
Becket	1,799	13,500	1849	1998	6	24	0	0	0			0
Blandford	1,276	1,250	1892	1956	0	6	0	0	0			0
Charlemont	1,377	876	1896	1998	10	15	1	45	49	No		1
Chatham - South	678	361	1934	1998	0	12	0	0	0	No		0
Chester	1,313	1,200	1927	1998	0	10	0	0	0			0
Chesterfield	1,275	1,461	1955		5	25	0	0	0	No		0
Chilmark	953	7,658	1790	2003	19	56	1	60	232	Yes	Yes	0
Clarksburg	1,652	3,250	1998	2004	6	30	1	25	43	Yes		0
Colrain	1,852	3,758	1908	1996	5	17	0	0	0	No		0
Conway	1,899	2,500	1901	2001	0	50	1	40	5	Yes		0
Cummington	982	1,050	1872	1950	10	15	0	0	0	No		0
Egremont	1,362	1,265	1830	1950	10	15	1	8	8	No		1
Erving	1,561	1,865	1961		2	20	1	60	12	Yes		0
Florida	676	914	1967	1996	0	12	0	0	0	No		0
Gill	1,382	1,200	1921	1995	2	18	0	0	0			0
Goshen	959	368	1911	1998	0	12	1	25	15	No	Yes	0
Gosnold	85	840	1892	1968	0	10	0	0	0	No		0
Granville	1,668	1,090	1900		10	15	1	40	80	No		0
Hancock	1,034		1929	0	0	8	0	0	0			0
Hardwick - Gilbertville	1,334	2,010	1912	2000	3	32	1	15	33	Yes	Yes	0
Hardwick - Paige Memorial	1,867		1895	1998	3	23	2	22	37	No		0
Harwich - Chase	627	1,000	1907	1998	0	18	1	12	12	Yes		0
Harwich - Port	1,254		1900	2000	8	12	1	15	0	No		0

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Heath	803	1,025	1897	1978	0	7	0	0	0			0
Hinsdale	1,792	2,850	1866	2001	6	25	1	15	21	Yes	Yes	0
Leverett	1,778	4,680	2003		20	50	1	50	221	Yes		0
Leyden	811	432	1913	2002	0	7	0	0	0			0
Middlefield	549	1,125	1957		0	10	0	0	0			0
Monroe	102				0	0	0	0	0			0
Monterey	963	1,200	1931	1998	0	12	0	0	0			0
Montgomery	753	2,611	1923	1997	8	12	1	100	25	Yes	Yes	0
Mount Washington	138	625	1876	1988	0	25	0	0	0	No		0
New Braintree	1,102	3,000	1987		8	20	0	0	0	No		0
New Marlborough	1,533	3,542	1998		6	35	0	0	0			0
New Salem	980	3,200	1817	2006	1	51	0	0	0			0
Northfield - Field	164	1,024	1900	1989	12	6	1	30	16	No		0
Oakham	1,908	1,540	1907	2001	4	35	0	0	0			0
Otis	1,392	5,856	1948		6	24	2	20	16	Yes	Yes	1
Pelham	1,403	7,447	2000		25	67	1	70	270	No	Yes	1
Peru	846	1,320	1850	1987	4	15	0	0	0	No		0
Petersham	1,286	3,400	1891	1994	0	46	0	0	0			0
Phillipston	1,780	3,298	1790	1975	0	30	0	0	0	No		0
Plainfield	601	2,708	1925	2001	24	22	1	12	20	No	Yes	1
Richmond	1,604	1,800	1900	1995	5	20	0	0	0	No		0
Rowe	353	1,634	1936	1963	6	18	0	0	0			0
Royalston	1,380	1,639	1910		2	21	0	0	0			0
Russell	1,738	1,530	1923	1998	4	21	0	0	0			0
Sandisfield	840		1976	2006	1	7	1	20	26	No		0
Savoy	729	30			0	0	0	0	0	No		0
Shelburne - Arms	1,023	4,500	1914	2001	2	50	1	50	0	No	Yes	0
Shelburne - Free	1,023	900	1898	1970	0	4	0	0	0			0
Shutesbury	1,849	900	1902		2	5	0	0	0			0

			Main Library				Meeting Rooms					Quiet Study Rooms

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South Hadley - Gaylord	1,703	4,000	1904	2002	20	28	0	0	0			0
Tolland	449	800	1845	2006	5	9	0	0	0	No		0
Tyringham	348	2,145	1902		0	12	0	0	0	No		0
Wales	1,839	2,204	1841	1999	1	25	1	20	40	No	Yes	1
Warren - West	968	1,100	2001	2007	15	28	0	0	0			0
Warwick	764	2,430	1845	1998	7	40	0	0	0			0
Wendell	1,041	1,440	1921	1995	8	10	0	0	0			0
West Stockbridge	1,459	564	1900	2001	0	17	0	0	0	No		0
Westhampton	1,585	2,500	1932	1986	2	20	0	0	0			0
Whately	1,574		1950	2000	25	27	1	50	86	No		1
Windsor	856	580	1920	2001	15	6	0	0	0	No		0
Worthington	1,283	1,700	1915	1980	8	20	1	20	74	No	Yes	0

Library Population Group 2 (2,000 - 4,999)

Library	2006 Pop	Gross Square Feet	Built in:	Last Reno-vated in:	Dedica-ted Parking Spaces	Seating Capacity	Number of:	Largest Seating Capacity	Times Used in 2007	High Speed Internet	Wifi in Largest	Number of:
Ashby	2,943	11,200	2006		12	138	4	50	24	Yes	Yes	1
Avon	4,328	7,450	1949	2003	50	67	0	0	0	No	Yes	0
Barnstable - Cotuit	3,283	5,938	1820	1999	16	53	0	0	0			0
Barnstable - Osterville	3,184	6,500	1958	1987	15	58	1	46	173	No	Yes	1
Barnstable - Sturgis	3,103	10,750	1644	1997	37	42	3	65	364	Yes	Yes	0
Barnstable - Whelden	3,113	1,907	1899	1989	14	37	0	0	0	No		1
Berlin	2,719	3,028	1929		5	15	1	40	5	No	Yes	0
Bernardston	2,234	2,500	1863	1983	0	38	0	0	0			0
Bolton	4,472	3,100	1904		10	16	1	10	104	No		0
Boylston	4,256	4,000	1904	1976	15	8	0	0	0	No		0
Brimfield	3,695	2,266	1904	1966	8	20	1	40	25	Yes	Yes	1
Brookfield	3,070	2,500	1884	2003	0	30	0	0	0			0
Buckland	2,001	900	1890		2	0	0	0	0			0
Carlisle	4,852	11,500	1895	2000	33	72	1	50	283	Yes	Yes	0
Cheshire	3,343	924	1900	2002	0	14	0	0	0	No		0

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Deerfield	4,757	4,300	1916	1996	10	25	0	0	0			1
Dennis - Memorial	3,138	5,600	1924	2005	0	50	1	100	174	Yes	Yes	3
Dennis - Sears	3,138	2,100	1896	2006	8	15	2	109	63	Yes	Yes	1
Dennis - South	3,138	1,298	1857	2002	20	22	0	0	0			0
Dennis - Town	3,138	10,000	2005	2005	30	60	1	65	368	Yes	Yes	0
Dennis - West	3,138	6,634	1982	2003	39	28	1	50	109	Yes	Yes	0
Dunstable	3,222	9,030	1998		42	45	3	100	260	No		1
East Brookfield	2,094	1,422	1890	1976	3	10	1	16	15	No		1
Edgartown	3,918	6,780	1904	1975	15	39	0	0	0			0
Essex	3,320	1,800	1892	1986	0	35	0	0	0	No		1
Falmouth - West	3,695	2,634	1896	1972	30	19	3	80	285	No	Yes	2
Falmouth - Woods Hole	3,695	5,330	1913	1990	8	35	2	75	130	No	Yes	0
Hadley	4,812	6,168	1902		10	36	0	0	0	No		0
Hatfield	3,261	2,076	1894	1957	9	33	0	0	0	No		0
Holland	2,539	670	1912	1990	5	8	0	0	0			0
Hubbardston	4,422	2,160	1874	2000	0	40	0	0	0	No		0
Huntington	2,200	2,128	1975		4	30	0	0	0	No		0
Lanesborough	2,921	1,300	1916	1989	6	50	0	0	0			0
Millville	2,953	2,200	1986	1997	17	26	0	0	0	No		0
Nahant	3,554	5,400	1895	1996	0	24	0	0	0	No		1
North Brookfield	4,829	7,000	1894	1991	0	44	0	0	0			0
Northfield - Dickinson	3,278	7,322	1897		20	53	2	30	103	No	Yes	1
Oak Bluffs	3,761	18,000	2005		36	108	2	60	213	Yes	Yes	2
Paxton	4,566	7,169	1926	1978	20	40	0	0	0	No		0
Plympton	2,764	4,000	1891	1991	15	28	1	30	27	Yes	Yes	0
Princeton	3,522	7,105	1884	2000	12	43	2	24	220	Yes	Yes	1
Provincetown	3,415	10,990	1873	2005	6	195	1	35	77	Yes	Yes	1
Sheffield	3,367	10,000	1908	2007	40	60	2	85	215	No		2
Sherborn	4,212	18,000	1971	2000	20	53	3	200	183	Yes	Yes	0

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Stockbridge	2,259	3,000	1865	1938	0	60	0	0	0			0
Sunderland	3,774	9,400	2004		25	106	1	70	172	Yes	Yes	0
Tisbury	3,801	9,000	1963	2000	2	64	2	60	420	Yes	Yes	0
Truro	2,152	14,000	1999	2002	33	65	3	64	647	No	Yes	0
Warren - Public	4,129	2,835	1890	1999	0	29	0	0	0	No		0
Wellfleet	2,789	10,000	1930	1989	40	99	2	100	1,175	No	Yes	1
West Brookfield	3,867	4,500	1880	1997	0	18	1	50	82	No		1
West Newbury	4,286	7,785	1939	1987	13	88	0	0	0			0
West Tisbury	2,643	5,620	1992	1995	20	58	0	0	0	No	Yes	0
Williamsburg	2,439	6,500	1896	2003	9	50	1	50	763	Yes	Yes	0

Library Population Group 3 (5,000 - 9,999)												
Adams	8,371	5,996	1897	1999	0	67	3	300	223	No		0
Ashburnham	5,996	9,000	1906	1986	11	47	2	150	174	No		2
Ayer	7,315	13,000	1894	1997	45	70	1	55	120	No		1
Barnstable - Centerville	9,992	5,000	1956	2002	21	68	2	0	451	No	Yes	2
Barnstable - Marstons Mills	8,386	3,600	1894	1980	7	23	1	60	71	No		0
Barre	5,427	12,900	1887	2007	10	37	4	100	0	No	Yes	2
Berkley	6,391	2,465	1918		26	28	0	0	0			0
Blackstone	9,032	17,321	2004		43	130	1	100	163	Yes	Yes	3
Boxborough	5,073	12,000	2005	2005	58	116	2	100	251	Yes	Yes	1
Boxford	8,127	5,700	1841	1983	14	36	0	0	0	No		0
Chatham - Eldredge	6,444	18,000	1896	1992	14	103	3	200	795	Yes	Yes	1
Cohasset	7,223	15,500	1926	2003	78	133	4	60	1,497	Yes	Yes	2
Dalton	6,657	5,335	1896	1976	0	61	0	0	0	No		1
Dighton	6,715	3,000	1910	1997	0	40	0	0	0			0
Douglas	7,957	4,200	1903	2003	0	40	1	50	136	No	Yes	0
Dover	5,641	12,000	1968	1996	42	72	1	65	366	Yes	Yes	0

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Eastham	5,509	8,632	1897	1988	45	56	2	20	378	No	Yes	0
Freetown	8,963	1,710	1947		0	20	0	0	0			0
Georgetown	8,110	4,390	1904	1998	14	40	0	0	0	No		0
Granby	6,347	2,500	1917		10	19	0	0	0	No		0
Great Barrington	7,437	6,778	1913	2007	11	72	2	64	11	Yes	Yes	2
Groveland	6,769	4,933	1978	2005	24	78	1	75	258	Yes	Yes	0
Halifax	7,787	6,400	1975	1993	20	65	1	50	656	Yes	Yes	0
Hampden	5,328	4,146	1932	1987	0	48	1	25	36	No		1
Hanson	9,989	8,195	1991		40	54	2	90	334	No	Yes	0
Harvard	6,051	20,000	1878	2007	40	96	2	89	402	Yes	Yes	2
Hopedale	6,226	10,656	1898	1999	1	56	1	50	228	Yes		0
Lancaster	6,970	19,147	1862	1999	45	40	2	60	203	No		0
Lee	5,858	8,500	1906	1977	17	54	1	60	133	No		0
Lenox	5,159	20,000	1815	2004	0	92	2	100	287	No	Yes	2
Lincoln	7,948	18,641	1884	1989	22	95	2	50	421	No	Yes	0
Littleton	8,648	16,000	1952	1989	22	77	4	70	609	Yes	Yes	3
Manchester-by-the-Sea	5,290	6,846	1886	2006	7	46	0	0	0			0
Marion	5,285	6,000	1872	1980	0	41	2	7	300	No	Yes	2
Mattapoisett	6,471	5,000	1904	1984	1	62	0	0	0			0
Mendon	5,767	2,640	1890	1996	2	21	0	0	0	No		0
Merrimac	6,392	16,000	2004		46	130	2	125	290	No	Yes	2
Middleton	9,319	5,484	1891	1980	22	44	0	0	0			0
Millis	7,972	5,400	1967	1993	15	26	1	40	122	Yes	Yes	0
Monson	8,792	10,545	1882	1989	16	60	1	75	142	No	Yes	0
Montague	8,368	5,500	1904	1995	3	26	1	90	177	No		0
Natick - Bacon	9,566	3,500	1881	2007	0	30	0	0	0			0
Newbury	6,954	14,200	2000		49	73	2	138	215	Yes	Yes	1
Northampton - Lilly	8,578	3,750	1890	2006	16	63	1	80	108	Yes	Yes	1
Orange	7,736	6,324	1914		27	34	1	50	426	No	Yes	0

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Orleans	6,398	16,568	1954	2001	37	130	2	120	1,095	Yes	Yes	1
Plainville	8,110	7,000	1988		31	57	1	8	18	No	Yes	0
Rochester	5,406	2,340	1976	2007	22	0	0	0	0	No		0
Rockport	7,687	15,392	1847	1997	15	72	2	110	366	Yes	Yes	0
Rowley	5,875	13,644	2004	2004	36	126	3	65	292	Yes	Yes	1
Rutland	7,608	16,625	2000		31	75	2	90	420	Yes		3
Salisbury	8,438	3,047	1956	1972	15	35	0	0	0	No		0
Shirley	7,661	11,300	1997		45	69	1	80	227	Yes		0
Southampton	5,933	6,500	1996		17	53	1	40	250	No		0
Southborough	9,551	14,000	1911	1989	45	80	1	50	98	No	Yes	0
Southwick	9,603	12,000	1999		33	87	1	45	127	No		0
Sterling	7,847	9,000	1885	2004	5	63	1	22	132	Yes	Yes	1
Stow	6,218	6,087	1892	1975	8	50	1	66	342	No		0
Sturbridge	8,969	9,510	1896	1989	0	40	2	50	309	Yes	Yes	0
Sutton	9,038	3,000	1982	1993	5	16	1	14	14	Yes	Yes	1
Templeton	7,696	2,500	1885	1999	2	28	0	0	0	No		0
Topsfield	6,130	15,896	1934	1999	0	82	3	80	737	Yes		2
Townsend	9,327	4,288	1929		5	31	0	0	0	No		0
Upton	6,484	2,290	1876	1972	0	24	0	0	0	No		0
Ware	9,982	8,618	1881	1999	8	50	1	26	72	No		1
West Boylston	7,779	19,000	1912	1999	2	105	2	80	241	Yes		1
West Bridgewater	6,769	12,366	1990	2000	23	72	3	35	117	No		1
Westminster	7,422	16,000	1901	1997	14	100	3	60	216	No		1
Williamstown	8,189	17,304	1971	1997	40	138	3	60	884	Yes	Yes	3

Library Population Group 4 (10,000 - 14,999)												
Acushnet	10,518	3,663	1930		4	6	1	42	57	No		0
Athol	11,661	8,000	1918	1960	25	65	1	50	724	Yes	Yes	0
Bedford	12,884	34,168	1967	1999	37	104	2	80	595	No	Yes	3

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Belchertown	14,103	9,930	1887	1999	14	15	1	25	390	No	Yes	0
Brewster	10,143	22,000	1868	1997	51	106	3	150	1,240	Yes	Yes	0
Carver	11,578	21,984	1997		100	116	2	75	804	Yes	Yes	3
Charlton	12,567	27,000	1905	2007	65	152	3	220	0	Yes	Yes	2
Clinton	14,163	11,506	1903	2003	8	71	2	35	30	Yes		0
Dudley	10,830	2,950	1901	1972	11	40	0	0	0			0
Duxbury	14,599	39,000	1997		92	212	4	120	1,076	Yes	Yes	3
East Bridgewater	13,937	16,000	1896	2001	52	60	1	82	300	No	Yes	0
East Longmeadow	14,937	19,891	1967	2004	74	112	2	75	320	Yes	Yes	2
Groton	10,585	17,417	1893	1999	41	86	4	75	592	Yes	Yes	3
Hamilton - Wenham	12,883	29,000	2001		0	102	4	150	868	Yes	Yes	3
Hanover	14,115	19,300	1907	2002	49	156	2	100	236	Yes	Yes	1
Harwich - Brooks	12,537	20,312	1855	1998	46	166	1	75	3,440	Yes	Yes	0
Holbrook	10,730	10,000	1966	1997	37	70	1	65	254	No	Yes	0
Holliston	13,896	9,217	1904	1987	0	57	1	80	358	No	Yes	1
Hopkinton	14,172	5,015	1895	1967	0	58	0	0	0	No		0
Hull	11,231	5,790	1889	2003	5	46	0	0	0	No		0
Ipswich	13,293	17,000	1869	1998	0	118	2	60	214	Yes	Yes	1
Kingston	12,475	10,295	1974	1994	55	73	2	40	628	Yes	Yes	0
Lakeville	10,641	16,500	2005		45	112	3	132	293	Yes	Yes	2
Leicester	11,003	10,536	1895	1996	15	42	1	55	14	No		0
Lunenburg	10,010	15,500	2005		48	87	3	88	753	Yes	Yes	2
Lynnfield	11,443	11,000	1856	1991	20	115	0	0	0			0
Mashpee	14,343	5,200	1986		25	47	1	35	258	No	Yes	0
Maynard	10,180	24,300	1917	2006	45	117	4	100	169	No	Yes	2
Medfield	12,297	18,756	1917	1998	29	89	2	45	313	Yes	Yes	3
Medway	12,817	20,000	1940	1998	38	92	4	100	129	Yes	Yes	4
Millbury	13,609	16,500	1915	2000	40	99	2	80	242	No		0
Nantucket	10,240	15,000	1847	1996	0	130	3	100	800	Yes	Yes	0

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Norfolk	10,598	23,000	1845	2005	58	136	2	120	351	Yes	Yes	3
North Adams	13,842	27,270	1865	2005	29	127	3	75	374	No	Yes	2
North Reading	13,950	25,416	1875	1991	34	90	1	75	294	No	Yes	1
Northborough	14,681	15,000	1894	1975	32	72	1	50	292	No		0
Northbridge	14,425	14,500	1913	2001	8	42	1	6	0	Yes		0
Norwell	10,369	8,500	1975		25	55	1	100	300	Yes	Yes	0
Oxford	13,712	22,000	1903	1999	12	84	2	90	99	Yes		2
Palmer	12,926	30,000	2005	2005	49	80	5	100	1,306	Yes	Yes	0
Pepperell	11,412	9,476	1901	1985	51	72	3	50	516	Yes	Yes	0
Raynham	13,665	6,288	1949	1992	20	61	1	50	102	No		0
Rehoboth	11,374	7,500	1915	1999	50	35	1	210	222	Yes	Yes	0
Seekonk	13,648	14,800	1978		70	108	1	80	339	No	Yes	0
Spencer	12,095	13,500	1889	1996	30	115	1	40	4,890	Yes		1
Swampscott	14,134	17,650	1916	1999	0	107	2	40	252	Yes	Yes	0
Tyngsborough	11,542	11,000	1998		88	70	4	75	165	Yes	Yes	1
Uxbridge	12,613	9,970	1893	1996	22	47	1	25	0	No	Yes	0
Wayland	12,970	12,500	1900	1988	58	69	1	60	252	Yes	Yes	0
Weston	11,646	20,000	1995		5	230	2	80	399	No		2
Westwood	13,832	18,000	1955	1995	61	96	2	70	647	No	Yes	1
Whitman	14,460	11,000	1989	2004	30	80	2	50	264	No	Yes	2
Wilbraham	14,044	13,000	1968		45	51	1	60	513	No	Yes	0
Winchendon	10,146	12,500	1913		0	34	2	125	152	No	Yes	0
Wrentham	11,135	13,850	1997		41	84	2	90	481	Yes	Yes	2

Library Population Group 5 (15,000 - 24,999)												
Abington	16,378	16,000	1997		50	80	2	90	313	No		2
Acton - Memorial	20,586	32,109	1889	1998	0	134	2	70	590	Yes	Yes	2
Amesbury	16,542	11,000	1902	1992	32	53	1	20	10	No		0
Ashland	15,678	22,000	1904	2005	8	105	2	100	188	Yes	Yes	2

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Auburn	16,375	14,500	1967	1967	51	53	1	60	418	No		0
Barnstable - Hyannis	16,318	16,000	1750	2004	6	77	0	0	0			0
Bellingham	15,896	17,000	1989	0	45	75	3	100	446	Yes	Yes	3
Belmont	23,308	29,650	1965		44	93	2	100	688	Yes		0
Bourne	19,224	16,000	1924	1987	38	48	2	75	492	Yes	Yes	2
Burlington	24,895	29,000	1995		66	190	4	125	912	No	Yes	6
Canton	21,772	35,500	1902	2003	72	196	4	140	252	Yes		1
Concord	16,789	27,872	1873	1985	100	147	2	50	360	Yes	Yes	0
Dedham	23,615	12,140	1886	1956	15	66	1	75	83	Yes	Yes	1
Easthampton	16,082	6,500	1881	1966	1	42	0	0	0			0
Easton	23,031	12,344	1877	1931	22	75	0	0	0			0
Fairhaven	16,266	8,430	1893	2003	0	47	1	100	423	No		0
Foxborough	16,274	20,000	1967	1999	32	92	2	60	485	Yes	Yes	0
Gardner	20,805	32,000	2004		55	175	6	125	838	No		3
Grafton	17,405	7,000	1927	2004	25	42	0	0	0			0
Greenfield	17,699	11,000	1797	1998	4	80	1	50	348	Yes	Yes	0
Hingham	21,784	50,393	1965	2001	91	88	2	88	362	Yes	Yes	3
Holden	16,667	21,000	1888	1988	32	92	1	50	264	Yes	Yes	0
Hudson	19,447	14,930	1905	2002	18	131	1	12	243	No	Yes	0
Longmeadow	15,481	20,300	1932	1991	59	119	1	74	314	No		0
Ludlow	21,951	12,300	1880	1989	10	83	2	150	600	No		1
Mansfield	23,096	15,781	1989		90	124	1	100	297	Yes	Yes	1
Marblehead	20,231	25,000	1953	1989	12	122	2	100	276	Yes	Yes	0
Marshfield	24,836	18,000	1968	1984	27	90	3	75	823	No	Yes	0
Middleborough	21,305	25,000	1903	1992	4	102	3	130	326	Yes	Yes	1
Newburyport	17,303	38,304	1771	2001	0	158	3	100	816	Yes	Yes	2
Norton	19,242	12,058	1991		43	79	2	160	499	No	Yes	2
Pembroke	18,739	18,000	1998		55	112	2	100	388	Yes	Yes	0
Reading	23,086	30,100	1896	1984	48	133	2	100	592	Yes	Yes	0

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Rockland	17,896	12,480	1903	1992	18	115	1	110	125	No		0
Sandwich	20,508	18,000	1911	1984	42	64	3	76	800	Yes	Yes	0
Scituate	18,083	24,000	1978	1999	70	116	1	100	201	Yes	Yes	0
Sharon	17,142	11,000	1914	1979	0	60	1	75	0	Yes	Yes	0
Somerset	18,430	18,400	1974	2001	11	123	4	120	962	No		1
South Hadley - Public	15,331	8,800	1906	1974	8	48	1	50	198	No	Yes	0
Southbridge	17,117	22,985	1914	2000	38	120	2	75	818	Yes	Yes	2
Stoneham	21,471	25,000	1904	1984	37	127	3	100	562	No	Yes	1
Sudbury	17,027	31,400	1862	1998	82	140	2	100	325	Yes	Yes	2
Swansea	16,222	5,850	1900	1964	3	30	1	20	9	Yes	Yes	0
Wakefield	24,588	28,000	1922	1998	0	122	3	75	537	Yes	Yes	1
Walpole	23,165	17,170	1903	1967	18	74	1	80	350	No	Yes	0
Wareham	21,324	20,450	1991		49	147	3	100	794	Yes	Yes	0
Webster	16,826	6,000	1920	1998	20	35	1	20	163	Yes		0
Westborough	18,634	20,076	1908	1980	7	106	1	40	186	No		0
Westford	21,507	17,500	1895	1988	61	100	2	100	1,306	Yes	Yes	2
Westport	15,137	7,056	1971		16	54	1	60	201	No		0
Wilmington	21,525	14,900	1969		27	74	1	55	662	Yes	Yes	0
Winchester	21,092	28,000	1932	1996	15	70	1	50	212	Yes	Yes	2
Winthrop	17,222	25,000	1899	1972	0	78	2	60	129	Yes		1
Yarmouth	24,354	8,990	1840	1990	20	91	1	100	337	Yes	Yes	0

Library Population Group 6 (25,000 - 49,999)												
Agawam	28,510	36,395	1978	2002	101	207	2	180	505	Yes	Yes	2
Amherst	34,049	50,000	1928	1993	0	160	4	125	558	Yes	Yes	0
Andover	33,475	55,000	1873	2001	69	175	4	150	691	Yes	Yes	1
Arlington	41,075	51,000	1892	1994	32	188	2	100	631	Yes	Yes	2
Attleboro	43,283	33,000	1907	1993	22	152	3	100	637	Yes	Yes	3
Beverly	39,538	54,000	1913	1993	25	184	4	100	956	Yes		2

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Billerica	41,391	40,000	1895	2000	90	220	2	75	834	Yes	Yes	3
Braintree	34,185	30,440	1999		44	205	3	150	716	No		1
Bridgewater	25,695	25,610	1972	1995	49	104	3	140	479	No		0
Chelmsford	33,707	30,000	1895	1998	73	160	2	70	1,634	Yes		1
Chelsea	32,792	15,836	1910	1991	0	168	2	120	440	Yes	Yes	0
Danvers	25,833	27,000	1892	2000	54	88	1	100	226	Yes	Yes	0
Dartmouth	31,366	22,000	1969	1991	51	74	3	100	202	Yes	Yes	0
Dracut	29,385	29,000	1922	2006	74	137	1	100	179	Yes	Yes	2
Everett	37,008	18,900	1894	1992	0	103	1	60	369	No	Yes	0
Falmouth - Public	33,590	30,000	1901	1978	17	134	2	149	106	Yes	Yes	0
Fitchburg	40,050	45,000	1950	1993	0	124	3	204	574	No	Yes	0
Franklin	31,267	20,000	1904	1987	62	108	1	65	411	No	Yes	0
Gloucester	30,564	23,528	1764	1976	1	99	4	88	501	Yes	Yes	0
Holyoke	39,765	22,000	1902	1990	22	48	1	75	121	Yes	Yes	0
Leominster	41,549	21,774	1910	1966	24	134	1	40	452	No		0
Lexington	30,231	62,000	1906	2004	65	244	4	125	919	Yes	Yes	5
Marlborough	38,062	22,300	1904	1969	24	135	2	70	619	No		0
Melrose	26,666	25,000	1903	1994	25	160	4	70	287	Yes	Yes	2
Methuen	44,259	40,000	1883	2002	78	190	4	250	1,103	No		1
Milford	27,523	24,695	1986	2006	29	105	2	125	249	Yes	Yes	0
Milton	25,902	26,390	1904	1997	40	67	1	20	188	Yes		1
Natick - Morse	30,292	66,000	1873	1997	184	324	4	170	1,617	Yes		6
Needham	28,368	47,500	1915	2006	50	309	1	160	480	Yes	Yes	3
North Andover	27,196	20,052	1907	1994	38	125	3	75	437	Yes	Yes	2
North Attleborough	27,946	11,000	1894	1990	0	60	1	75	262	No		0
Northampton - Forbes	25,733	42,000	1894	2001	80	150	2	43	402	No	Yes	1
Norwood	28,365	28,820	1898	2001	52	110	5	80	2,035	Yes	Yes	0
Pittsfield	43,497	53,000	1974	1996	40	235	2	250	416	No	Yes	0
Randolph	30,326	18,919	1966	1998	0	143	1	150	90	No		0

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Revere	46,833	7,000	1902		0	92	0	0	0			0
Salem	41,343	25,500	1855	1990	0	122	0	0	0			3
Saugus	27,107	16,500	1998		16	154	4	88	0	Yes		2
Shrewsbury	33,262	22,000	1903	1980	48	124	2	91	322	No	Yes	0
Stoughton	26,901	22,000	1969		23	200	2	150	631	Yes	Yes	0
Tewksbury	29,418	35,750	1999		86	220	2	100	586	Yes	Yes	4
Watertown	32,165	44,000	1884	2006	0	270	4	200	454	Yes	Yes	4
Wellesley	26,987	56,056	2002	2002	140	300	3	175	2,021	Yes	Yes	4
West Springfield	27,849	19,300	1916	1978	41	60	0	0	0	No		0
Westfield	40,460	40,000	1838	1967	29	111	3	150	421	No	Yes	1
Woburn	37,010	18,386	1879		7	71	0	0	0			0

Library Population Group 7 (50,000 - 99,999)												
Brockton	94,191	47,000	1913	2003	35	174	4	150	787	Yes		4
Brookline	55,241	67,300	1909	2003	41	355	2	96	393	Yes	Yes	3
Chicopee	54,428	31,600	1913	2004	90	215	2	200	740	Yes		2
Fall River	91,474	39,030	1899	2003	0	152	2	75	282	Yes	Yes	10
Framingham	64,762	53,000	1979		130	248	5	80	873	No		7
Haverhill	60,176	44,000	1969	1997	88	206	3	150	785	No	Yes	0
Lawrence	70,662	50,238	1973	2005	18	260	3	200	317	Yes		0
Lynn	87,991	34,000	1900	2002	15	218	2	100	423	No	Yes	0
Malden	55,595	44,000	1885	1996	0	169	2	100	271	No		1
Medford	55,681	22,000	1962	1996	28	138	1	150	346	No	Yes	0
New Bedford	92,538	40,000	1910	2000	0	80	1	100	264	Yes		2
Newton	82,819	91,000	1991	2002	135	504	4	160	0	Yes	Yes	19
Peabody	51,734	33,256	1853	2004	31	65	2	125	222	No	Yes	1
Plymouth	55,516	52,000	1991		82	290	2	125	393	Yes	Yes	0
Quincy	91,058	78,000	1882	2000	63	286	1	125	265	Yes	Yes	4
Somerville	74,554	29,000	1913	1976	15	105	1	72	232	No	Yes	2

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Taunton	56,074	22,750	1904	1979	30	72	2	75	726	Yes		0
Waltham	59,352	44,700	1914	1994	32	230	4	100	459	Yes	Yes	4
Weymouth	53,606	33,000	1965	1999	40	208	3	75	894	Yes	Yes	2

Library Population Group 8 (100,000 +)											
Boston	590,763	970,000	1895	2004	0	2,150	9	342	466	Yes	Yes	0
Cambridge	101,365	35,000	1888	1967	34	113	1	100	428			0
Lowell	103,229	46,000	1893	2002	18	205	2	97	289	No	Yes	4
Springfield	151,176	69,622	1912	2003	210	174	2	70	201	Yes	Yes	0
Worcester	175,454	150,000	1964	2001	13	360	4	135	1,167	Yes	Yes	2

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				Meeting Rooms	
Branch Library/Library	2006 Pop	Date Opened	Gross Square Feet	Number of:	Number of times used in 2007
AMHERST	34,255				
Munson Memorial Library		10/10/1930	2,000	0	0
North Amherst Library		12/25/1893	1,000	0	0
Branch Library Totals			3,000	0	0
ARLINGTON	41,546				
Edith M. Fox Library		06/01/1969	11,000	2	757
BELMONT	23,604				
Benton Branch Library			1,600	0	0
BEVERLY	40,166				
Beverly Farms Branch Library		12/25/1886	9,800	2	103
BOSTON	569,165				
Adams Street Branch Library		01/01/1951	7,200	2	29
Brighton Branch Library		01/01/1969	17,700	2	27
Charlestown Branch Library		01/01/1970	9,016	1	103
Codman Square Branch Library		01/01/1978	20,039	2	186
Connolly Branch Library		01/01/1932	8,033	2	29
Dudley Branch Library		01/01/1978	21,000	3	151
Dudley Literacy Center		10/28/2002	5,000	0	70
East Boston Branch Library		01/01/1914	4,752	1	80
Egleston Square Branch Library		01/01/1953	6,363	1	45
Faneuil Branch Library		01/01/1932	6,291	1	83
Fields Corner Branch Library		01/01/1969	8,530	2	69
Grove Hall Branch Library		01/01/1970	9,000	2	19
Honan-Allston Branch		06/16/2001	20,000	2	98
Hyde Park Branch Library		01/01/1912	11,204	2	2,756
Jamaica Plain Branch Library		01/01/1911	9,630	1	44
Kirstein Business Branch		05/07/1930	7,260	0	0
Lower Mills Branch Library		01/01/1981	8,000	1	23

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BOSTON	569,165				
Mattapan Branch Library		01/01/1931	7,204	1	59
North End Branch Library		01/01/1965	7,200	1	27
Orient Heights Branch Library		01/01/1929	3,144	0	2
Parker Hill Branch Library		01/01/1931	7,688	1	136
Roslindale Branch Library		01/01/1961	13,600	1	4
South Boston Branch Library		01/01/1957	10,332	1	85
South End Branch Library		01/01/1971	9,002	2	235
Uphams Corner Branch Library		01/01/1907	4,428	1	28
Washington Village Branch Library		01/01/1983	3,198	0	31
West End Branch Library		01/01/1968	10,600	2	27
West Roxbury Branch Library		01/01/1922	24,000	3	71
Branch Library Totals			279,414	38	4,517
BOXFORD	8,221				
West Boxford Library		01/01/1900	4,800	1	0
BROCKTON	95,009				
East Branch Library		06/01/1970	7,700	1	34
West Branch Library		06/01/1970	7,700	1	67
Branch Library Totals			15,400	2	101
BROOKLINE	56,188				
Coolidge Corner Branch Library		01/01/1904	15,710	1	228
Putterham Branch Library		12/01/1948	9,425	1	88
Branch Library Totals			25,135	2	316
CAMBRIDGE	100,771				
Alma Boudreau Branch		01/01/1927	2,000	0	0
Central Square Branch Library		01/01/1976	15,000	0	0
Daniel P. Collins Branch Library		01/01/1916	2,421	0	0
Mildred A. O'Neill Branch		01/01/1906	4,400	0	0

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CAMBRIDGE	100,771				
Salvatore Valente Branch Library		01/01/1915	5,020	0	0
William Cardinal O'Connell Branch		12/25/1897	5,125	0	0
Branch Library Totals			33,966	0	0
CHELMSFORD	33,769				
Mackay Branch Library		01/01/1948	3,900	1	126
CHICOPEE	54,838				
Aldenville Branch Library		01/01/1922	1,753	0	0
Chicopee Falls Branch Library		12/25/1884	2,626	0	92
Fairview Branch Library		01/01/1910	768	0	2
Branch Library Totals			5,147	0	94
CONCORD	16,919				
Loring N. Fowler Library		01/01/1930	5,184	0	0
DARTMOUTH	31,317				
North Dartmouth Library		02/01/1961	3,600	0	0
Russells Mills Library		01/01/1895	1,000	0	0
Branch Library Totals			4,600	0	0
DEDHAM	23,225				
Endicott Branch Library		02/12/1973	2,900	0	84
EASTON	23,061				
Five Corners Library		07/30/1990	2,700	0	0
EVERETT	37,195				
Shute Memorial Library		12/25/1897	6,000	0	0

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FALL RIVER	92,526				
East End Branch Library		10/05/1976	1,300	0	0
South Branch Library		06/06/1972	1,800	0	0
Branch Library Totals			3,100	0	0
FALMOUTH-PUBLIC	33,806				
East Falmouth Branch Library		01/01/1940	10,000	0	0
North Falmouth Branch Library		01/01/1955	1,575	0	0
Branch Library Totals			11,575	0	0
FRAMINGHAM	65,598				
McAuliffe Branch Library		04/01/1963	5,800	0	0
FREETOWN-WHITE	8,971				
Guilford H. Hathaway Library		01/01/1995	620	0	0
GRAFTON	16,297				
North Grafton Branch		01/01/1924	2,446	1	74
South Grafton Branch Library		01/01/1922	1,170	0	0
Branch Library Totals			3,616	1	74
GREAT BARRINGTON	7,434				
Ramsdell Public Library		01/01/1908	2,885	0	0
LAWRENCE	71,858				
South Lawrence Branch Library		12/25/1892	10,000	1	19
LEXINGTON	30,419				
East Lexington Branch Library		01/01/1892	16,532	0	0
LOWELL	103,655				
Pollard Memorial Library Senior Center Branch		06/03/2003	2,250	0	79

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MALDEN	55,340				
Linden Branch Library		02/14/1987	1,314	0	0
MILTON	25,855				
East Milton Branch Library			4,161	0	65
MONTAGUE	8,443				
Millers Falls Library			1,804	0	17
Montague Center Library			3,150	0	22
Branch Library Totals			4,954	0	39
NEW BEDFORD	93,979				
Casa Da Saudade		04/25/1971	3,300	0	5
Francis J. Lawler Branch Library		03/27/1960	8,000	1	78
Howland Green Library		05/08/1964	8,000	1	25
Wilks Library		03/18/1958	8,006	1	67
Branch Library Totals			27,306	3	175
NEWBURYPORT	17,552				
Andrews Branch Library		01/01/1931	400	0	0
NEWTON	83,802				
Auburndale Branch Library		01/01/1927	4,952	0	0
Newton Corner Branch Library		01/01/1994	4,126	0	0
Nonantum Branch Library		01/01/1937	3,600	0	0
Waban Branch Library		01/01/1930	4,561	0	0
Branch Library Totals			17,239	0	0
ORANGE	7,563				
Moore-Leland Library		05/12/1951	1,270	0	0

Branch Library/Library	2006 Pop	Date Opened	Gross Square Feet	Meeting Rooms	
				Number of:	Number of times used in 2007
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Branch Library/Library	2006 Pop	Date Opened	Gross Square Feet	Number of:	Number of times used in 2007
PEABODY	50,370				
South Branch Library		11/27/1967	7,254	1	26
West Branch Library		03/11/1990	16,208	1	42
Branch Library Totals			23,462	2	68
PLYMOUTH	54,604				
Manomet Branch Library		01/01/1913	4,000	1	105
QUINCY	89,909				
Adams Shore Branch Library		04/10/1970	13,030	1	201
North Quincy Branch Library		09/09/1963	10,322	1	131
Wollaston Branch Library		01/30/1923	3,949	0	0
Branch Library Totals			27,301	2	332
SOMERVILLE	75,621				
East Branch Library		01/01/1918	3,080	0	0
West Branch Library		05/27/1909	10,423	0	0
Branch Library Totals			13,503	0	0
SPRINGFIELD	152,091				
Brightwood Branch Library		08/10/1998	6,000	1	79
East Forest Park		04/19/2000	8,200	0	0
East Springfield Branch Library		01/01/1932	3,315	0	0
Forest Park Branch Library		01/01/1909	13,372	1	50
Indian Orchard Branch Library		01/01/1909	9,406	0	6
Liberty Branch Library		01/01/1931	5,066	0	0
Mason Square Branch LIbrary		01/01/1955	17,141	1	0
Pine Point Branch LIbrary		01/01/1972	9,720	0	0
Sixteen Acres Branch Library		01/01/1966	11,131	1	61
Branch Library Totals			83,351	4	196

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Branch Library/Library	2006 Pop	Date Opened	Gross Square Feet	Number of:	Number of times used in 2007
WESTWOOD	14,020				
Islington Branch Library		01/01/1959	1,200	0	0
WEYMOUTH	54,202				
Fogg Library		09/01/1898	10,000	0	0
Franklin N. Pratt Library		01/01/1978	10,000	2	0
North Branch Library		01/01/1956	8,000	0	0
Branch Library Totals			28,000	2	0
WILLIAMSBURG-MEEKINS	2,443				
Haydenville Public Library		01/01/1885	400	0	0
WORCESTER	175,966				
Frances Perkins Branch LIbrary at Greendale		02/25/1914	3,366	1	150
Great Brook Valley Branch Library		03/01/1981	900	0	8,774
Branch Library Totals			4,266	1	8,924
YARMOUTH	24,972				
West Yarmouth Library		01/01/1965	4,830	0	0
Yarmouth Port Library		01/01/1870	3,260	0	0
Branch Library Totals			8,090	0	0

Appendix - Definitions for Data
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Column Heading	Definition
2006 Population	For libraries in municipalities with one independent public library this is the population of the municipality from the 2006 population estimate for the municipality in which the library is located. For multiple independent public libraries in the following municipalities, this is a percentage of the municipality's 2006 population estimate (these percentages may add up to more than 100% of the municipality's total population, due to overlapping populations served): Acton, Barnstable, Chatham, Dennis, Falmouth, Hardwick, Harwich, Natick, Northampton, Northfield, Shelburne, South Hadley, Warren. For the Hamilton-Wenham Public Library, a joint library, this is the total of the 2004 population estimate for Hamilton and Wenham.
Built in	Year in which the original portion of the current main library building was constructed.
Date Opened	Date that the branch opened for public use.
Dedicated Parking Spaces	The number of parking spaces, on the street designated with signs indicating for "library patrons only" and/or spaces in a parking lot designed solely for the library, and/or a proportion of spaces in a parking lot shared with another enterprise; excludes staff parking spaces and street parking not expressly signed as for the library.
Gross Square Feet	Estimate of the square feet of the floor area under the main or branch library's roof including support spaces such as elevator shafts, entryways, mechanical rooms, rest rooms, stairwells etc.
Library	Name of the municipality. The shortened library name follows when there is more than one independent library in the community.
Last Renovated in	Year in which the current main library building was most recently renovated.
Meeting Rooms: High Speed Internet	In the main library, the availability of high speed Internet access (e.g., DSL, T1, cable modem) in the largest meeting room.
Meeting Rooms: Largest Seating Capacity	In the main library, the number of auditorium style seats that can be accommodated in the largest meeting room, or the capacity as determined by the Fire or Building Inspector.
Meeting Rooms: Number of	Total number of room(s) in the main or branch library where two or more members of the public may meet after reserving the space with library staff. This includes conference rooms, auditoriums, general program rooms and rooms where ESL and literacy training takes place. Excluded are rooms dedicated to such activities as computer training labs and quiet and/or group study rooms. Also excluded are areas that are normally public service areas, such as reference, children's and local history rooms.
Meeting Rooms: Wifi in Largest	In the main library, the availability of wireless Internet access in the largest meeting room.

Column Heading	Definition
Meeting Rooms: Times Used in FY2007	Total number of meetings, during FY2007, of two or more people in all the main or branch library's meeting room(s). Includes all meetings except library staff meetings. Please note, some libraries without meeting rooms frequently provide space in their public areas for community groups to meet, for example, in the reference area, periodicals room or reading room; those uses are not counted here.
Quiet Study Rooms: Number of	Total number of rooms in the main or branch library. A quiet study room is a small room made available to an individual or very small group for quiet study. A Quiet Study Room is usually available by reservation or 1st come/1st serve, typically has a window in the door for security and is most frequently found in newer library buildings. A quiet study room is self-contained and therefore different from a designated, open quiet Browsing Area or Reading Room. Quiet study rooms include tiny rooms that seat 1 or 2 people and a computer; however, if such a space does not have a door it is not a quiet study room.
Seating Capacity	In the main library, the number of seats provided for public use including general reading area seats, lounge seats, group study seats, audio-visual area seats or other seating when available on an open basis. Seats at computer or CD/ROM workstations, microform readers and other 'nonstudy' seats should not be counted in the total, nor should seats in rooms such as auditoriums and general meeting rooms not normally open at all times to library patrons.

Massachusetts Public Library Data Reports

> ➤ ***Children's Services, xxxx Data*** (available in February)
>> Selected statistics related to children's services including staffing, programming, holdings and circulation.
> ➤ ***Circulation and Holdings Report, FYxxxx*** (available in January)
>> Various public library circulation and holdings raw data. Also includes circulation per FTE, per hour open and per capita and holdings per capita data.
> ➤ ***Education & Staffing Report, 7-1-xxxx*** (available in January)
>> Public library staffing levels and distribution of the staff's highest educational level. Staffing level data includes: total full-time equivalencies (FTE), number full time and part time, and FTE for MLS, librarian, children's librarian and non-custodian positions as well as total hours open per non-custodian FTE. Director's education level and length of work week are displayed.
> ➤ ***Electronic Services, FYxxxx Data*** (available in May)
>> Selected statistics related to electronic services including: website hits, number of users of public Internet computers, electronic subscriptions and materials in electronic format.
> ➤ ***Featured Reports, FYxxxx Data*** (available in the spring)
>> Reports on changing topics present public library data not displayed in other reports.
> ➤ ***Financial Statistics Report, FYxxxx Data*** (available in February)
>> Raw and per capita figures for each reporting public library's (including branches) total municipal appropriation, operating income, and salary, materials, other and total operating expenditures. Also included are percent of total operating expenditures spent for salaries, materials and other expenditures.
> ➤ ***The FYxxxx Municipal Pie...What's Your Share?*** (available in January)
>> Relates the amount expended from the general fund by each city and town on public library service, to the amount expended to operate the entire municipality.
> ➤ ***Public Library Outlets, FYxxxx Data*** (available in May)
>> Selected statistics relating to public library outlets including: staffing, holdings and circulation.
> ➤ ***Rankings Report, xxxx Data*** (available in March)
>> Each municipality's rank within its population group and within the entire state based on its library's <u>per capita values</u> for certain income and expenditure data. For services, the indicators are: FTE per 10,000 population, MLS FTE per 10,000, hours open per week, direct and total circulation per capita and holdings per capita.
> ➤ ***Salaries Report, 7-1-xxxx*** (available in January)
>> Hourly minimum and maximum salaries for up to 17 public library position classifications from Library Director to Custodian. Annual salary for the Library Director is also displayed.
> ➤ ***Services Report, FYxxxx*** (available in January)
>> Services data includes number of terminals with Internet, average weekly visits, reference questions and hours open. Counts are provided for weekend days open, branches, adult and children's programs and attendance. Average hours open on weekends is also shown.
> ➤ ***Summary Tables and Graphs, xxxx Data*** (available in March)
>> Statewide, population group and regional totals of various incomes, expenditures, holdings, circulation, services and staffing data. Subject index provided.

Massachusetts Academic Library Data, Fall xxxx, Selected Statistics (available biennially)

Massachusetts School Library Media Center Report, Fall xxxx (available in May)

Massachusetts Special Library Statistics Report, FYxxxx Data (available in November)

The reports are available in PDF format and the related spreadsheet and database files are available for downloading from the Board's web site (http://mblc.state.ma.us/advisory/statistics/index.php)