Invitational Statewide Meeting about the Future of LibraryLinkNJ
FY19 & Beyond: The Future of LibraryLinkNJ Services
Monday, October 15, 2018
Princeton Public Library

Registration and Coffee 9:30 – 10:00 am
Presentations and Discussions 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Purpose:
- Shared understanding of:
  - Future/planning for LibraryLinkNJ and NJ library network library services
  - How and when decisions will be made throughout 2018-19
  - Financial and other considerations
- Fostering collaboration through a full, frank, and civil discussion
  - Explored future options regarding LibraryLinkNJ services
  - Defined next steps and timeline

Agenda:

10:00 - 10:10 Welcome, Meeting Outcomes and Agenda Review
Ranjna Das, President, LibraryLinkNJ Executive Board and Director, Burlington County Library System

10:10 - 10:30 Introductions

10:30 - 10:50 What is the Present: Setting the Context for LibraryLinkNJ
Kathy Schalk-Greene, Executive Director

10:50 - 11:15 Questions for LibraryLinkNJ

11:15 - 11:35 What is the Present: Setting the Context for the New Jersey State Library
Mary Chute, New Jersey State Librarian

11:35 - 12:00 Questions for the New Jersey State Library

12:00 - 12:45 Break for lunch

12:45 - 1:50 How do we get to the Future: Next Steps
If LibraryLinkNJ dissolves:
  - What services would other statewide library organizations need to provide starting on July 1, 2019, and who might take responsibility for and provide those services?
  - How and to whom will you -- colleagues, libraries, and library organizations -- advocate for the continuation of statewide library services?
If other organizations need to provide LibraryLinkNJ services starting in July 2019, what steps need to be taken to transfer the responsibilities and authority to administer those services?

1:50 - 2:00 **Review of the Day and Next Steps**
What’s your most important takeaway from today?