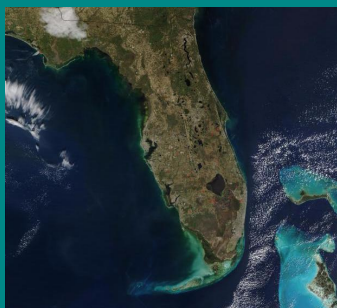


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E-Government News

New E-Government Consultant

Greetings from Tallahassee! I wanted to take a quick moment to introduce myself. My name is Kaycee Shiley, and I started as the E-Government Consultant on April 12. Prior to that, I was the Youth Services & Community Relations Librarian for the Southwest Georgia Regional Library System, headquartered in Bainbridge, GA.

I look forward to working with library staff across the state in meeting the E-Government needs of our communities. Please email or call me if there is anything I can do to better support you!

E-Government Resources



Hundreds of state and federal resources, organized by category

Statewide Spotlight

Public libraries have taken creative approaches to providing E-Government services to patrons across the state. We want to spotlight a library (or several!) and their efforts each month. Email me at kaycee.shiley@dos.myflorida.com to share what you are doing to meet the needs of Florida's communities.



Statewide portal for county and local resources, organized by county



Career and job resources from the Florida Electronic Library

E-Government Workgroup

Are you looking for new ways to implement E-Government resources in your library? Do you have ideas on what resources are needed?

If so, please consider joining the E-Government Workgroup. We will meet to discuss ways to improve E-Government resources and services in public libraries across the state. Email me if you would like to be added to the list.

The Great Digital Divide

The [Pew Research Center](#) has begun to release a new series about how the digital divide impacts various demographic groups. Public library staff are on the front lines of bridging the digital divide. These research studies help uncover common challenges for specific groups that can be helpful in assessing services.

Take a look at these results on Americans with lower incomes and disabilities:

[Digital Divide Persists Even as Lower-Income Americans Make Gains in Tech Adoption](#)

[Disabled Americans Are Less Likely to Use Technology](#)

Is your library doing something unique to assist these patrons, especially in accessing E-Government resources? If you are, I want to hear from you so I can share how your library works to close the digital gap.

PewResearchCenter

CareerOneStop

[CareerOneStop](#) rolled out a new Veteran and Military Transition Center website. This excellent tool provides a one-stop shop for assisting in employment, training, education, benefits and assistance.

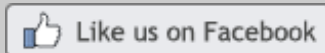


App Alert!

[BusinessUSA](#) offers an [app](#) for Android and iOS devices that connects future and current small business owners with resources and information. Beginning entrepreneurs and seasoned owners can find information about starting a business, growing their current venture, government assistance and much more.

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E-Government is a constantly changing field with emerging challenges and opportunities. Keep up with the latest development's through the Bureau of Library Development's training opportunities. Follow BLD on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) for updates or subscribe to our [YouTube channel](#) for uploaded content.



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