



**In a strong act of commitment to a more equitable society, 133 public libraries across North America have signed ULC's statement on race and social equity:**

**As leaders of North America's public libraries, we are committed to achieving racial and social equity by contributing to a more just society in which all community members can realize their full potential. Our libraries can help achieve true and sustained equity through an intentional, systemic and transformative library-community partnership. Our library systems are working to achieve equity in the communities we serve by:**

- **Eliminating racial and social equity barriers in library programs, services, policies and practices**
- **Creating and maintaining an environment of diversity, inclusion and respect both in our library systems and in all aspects of our community role**
- **Ensuring that we are reaching and engaging disenfranchised people in the community and helping them express their voice**
- **Serving as a convener and facilitator of conversations and partnerships to address community challenges**
- **Being forthright on tough issues that are important to our communities**

**Libraries are trusted, venerable and enduring institutions, central to their communities and an essential participant in the movement for racial and social equity.**



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Public Library • El Paso Public Library • Enoch Pratt Free Library  
Library • Fort Vancouver Regional Library District • Fort Worth  
• Frisco Public Library • Grand Rapids Public Library • Greensboro  
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Indianapolis Public Library • Jacksonville Public Library • Jefferson  
Public Library • Kalamazoo Public Library • Kansas City Public  
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Public Library • Louisville Free Public Library • Madison Public  
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County Library • Nashville Public Library • New Haven Free Public  
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Ottawa Public Library • Pacific Library Partnership • Palm Beach  
Library • Pierce County Library System • Pima County Public Library  
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