

**MEMORIAL RESOLUTION HONORING VICKI J. TERBOVICH**

Whereas Vicki J. Terbovich, Information Technology Manager for the Sonoma County Library, died suddenly on Friday October 2, 2020;

Whereas she graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from Saint Mary College (Kansas), and a Masters in Library Science in 1993 from the University of Arizona;

Whereas she was a nationally recognized library technology leader, who began her library technology career in Montana, served for nearly nine years as the Chief Technology Librarian Officer for Maricopa County (Arizona) Public Library District, and worked in multiple public libraries in Southern California, including a year in UCLA Libraries, as well as high-level contract positions in Santa Monica and Maryland;

Whereas she served as the Sonoma County Library Information Technology Manager since January, 2016 and worked tirelessly to build a strong team and robust and innovative technology service programs, including the SonomaFi hotspot lending program, a ChromeKit lending program, free WiFi in branches, robust technology infrastructure, and strong connections with national, regional and local programs and associations;

Whereas she was a member of the American Library Association, the Library Information Technology Association, the Public Library Association, and previously belonged to the Montana Library Association and the Arizona Library Association; the Corporation for Education Networks Initiatives in California; Sonoma Access Broadband;

Whereas she contributed significantly to any association she joined, serving in leadership positions and taking part in numerous public speaking engagements;

Whereas she received the Montana Library Association's Librarian of the Year Award in 1997;  
and

Whereas she was renowned for her vision, her dedication to closing the digital divide and her devotion to making technology available to underserved communities; now, therefore be it

*Resolved*, that the American Library Association, on behalf of its members:

- (1) recognizes the remarkable achievements of Vicki J. Terbovich and her contributions to the library profession as a leader, innovator, and a valued and engaged colleague; and
- (2) expresses its sincere sympathy to the Terbovich family and to the staff at the Sonoma County Library.

Moved by: Karen G. Schneider, ALA Executive Board  
Seconded by: Patty Wong, ALA President-elect

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