



### **ALA Memorial Resolution Honoring Jodie Gambill**

Whereas the American Library Association (ALA) and the broader library community lost a valued member and leader on April 3, 2024, with the death of Jodie Gambill;

Whereas Jodie Gambill was a tireless and outspoken advocate of library services for all;

Whereas she served her library career at Vanderbilt University for over twenty years;

Whereas she had a passion for service and was a dedicated, long-standing volunteer to the Tennessee Library Association and Tenn-Share;

Whereas she was a long-time member of the American Library Association (ALA), Core, Library Information Technology Association (LITA), and ALA Council; and

Whereas she was dedicated to leadership in librarianship, Jodie was named an ALA Emerging Leader, now, therefore, be it

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

(1) honors the memory of Jodie Gambill, celebrates her lifelong commitment to librarianship and the American Library Association and member divisions; and

(2) extends its sincerest condolences to her family, friends, and colleagues.

Adopted by the Council of the American Library Association  
Monday, July 1, 2024, ALA Annual Conference, San Diego, CA

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Leslie Burger". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Leslie Burger, Interim ALA Executive  
Director, and Secretary of the ALA Council