

South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative
FY2009 NextReads Letter of Agreement (for new and continuing subscribers)



Deadline for commitment is September 1, 2008
Deadline for payment is October 1, 2008.

South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative Responsibilities:

- The South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative will pay the annual base fee of \$500 per library. Note: this is an annual fee.
- The *South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative* will manage the project with NextReads on behalf of the participants of the project.
- *The South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative* will develop materials to publicize the project.
- *The South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative* will provide participants the opportunity annually to continue or discontinue participation in the project.

Participant Responsibilities:

- The Library agrees to participate in the *South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative (SJRLC)* NextReads Initiative.
- The Library agrees on the timeframe for the project which is projected to begin service on October 15, 2008 for a 12-month period.
- The Library agrees to pay the annual participation cost at the discounted rate of \$20 per 1000 library card holders.
- The Library agrees to publicize the availability of Next Reads newsletters with a prominent link on the Library's home page, through other communications mechanisms and through PR materials provided by SJRLC.
- The Library agrees to use the capability provided to link titles recommended in NextReads Online Newsletters to the library's web-based catalog. Note: There is flexibility to use a mix of NextReads and locally selected titles.
- The Library agrees to base buying decisions on titles it elects to include in its NextReads Newsletters.
- The Library agrees to adhere to the policies determined jointly by the South Jersey Regional Library Cooperative and group participants.
- The Library agrees to participate in an evaluation of this project.

A signed letter of agreement and payment in full of Year One Cost makes the library eligible to participate fully in the project. The Library agrees to pay SJRLC the full amount of Year One costs by October 1, 2008. (*Please make check payable to SJRLC. Send payment to SJRLC Office, 10 Foster Avenue, Suite F-3, Gibbsboro, NJ 08026*).

Library Name _____

Library Director _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

This Library has _____ (number) of library card holders (adult and juvenile).

Based on the current number of card holders and the fee of \$20 per thousand card holders, the

Library commits to the Year One Cost of _____.