

286—8.7(256) Planning.

8.7(1) *Annual joint plan of service.* The joint plan is developed with the state library. The plan includes a description of the system's programs and services. The annual joint plan is submitted to each regional library board of trustees for approval. Upon approval, the plan of service is submitted to the director of the department.

8.7(2) *Long-range plan for the regional library system.* The long-range plan includes how the system intends to provide programs and services to Iowa's public libraries for the next three to five years. The long-range plan is submitted to each regional library board of trustees for approval. Upon approval, the document is submitted to the director of the department.