



FLICC Orientation to Federal Libraries and Information Centers Series: Department of the Interior Library

Date

Wednesday, August 13, 2008

Time

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Place

U.S. Department of the Interior Library
Main Interior Building/Room 1151
1849 C Street, NW
Washington, DC

Directions/Metro

The Interior Library at the Main Interior Building is located between C and E streets, at 18th Street, NW, three blocks southwest of the White House. The Library is located to the left of the C Street entrance lobby. Visitors to the Main Interior Building are required to use the C Street entrance; however visitors with disabilities may use either the C or E Street entrances. Visitors to the building are required to show a valid picture ID. Limited metered parking is available on area streets. To reach the Interior Library by Metro, take the Blue or Orange line to the Farragut West station. Exit at 18th Street and walk five blocks south to the Main Interior Building.

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Information

Call FLICC (202) 707-4813

TTY (202) 707-4995

Request ADA Accommodations five business days in advance at

ADA@loc.gov.

Registration

Free, but advanced registration is required. Limited to 25 attendees per tour. Register online at

<http://www.loc.gov/flicc/feveform.html>

Cancellations

Please notify FLICC at (202) 707-4813 if you cannot attend to allow those on the waiting list an opportunity to register.



As part of a series of orientations to libraries and information centers, FLICC is offering an opportunity for federal librarians to become acquainted with the programs and services of the U.S. Department of the Interior Library.

The Department of the Interior Library strives to be the leading research institution for Interior Department staffers, other federal government officials, and nongovernmental researchers seeking information in subject areas related to the Department of the Interior.

Its collection includes materials on topics such as Native American culture and history, American history, National Parks, geology, nature, wildlife management, water management, and public lands management. The Interior Library also houses a large collection of federal and state legal and legislative materials.

Additionally, the Interior Library's collection of online databases and other electronic information sources, available through the Library's newly redesigned website (<http://library.doi.gov>), enables Interior Department personnel and other Library patrons to access needed information sources from their desktop computers. The Interior Library's resources are also available to the general public and are used by students, educators, authors, law firms, and researchers.

This program will include a look at the electronic resources available through the Library's website, a tour of the facility, and a discussion of the history of the Library and the Interior Department.