Reciprocal Borrowing Statement

October 1, 2002

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Students interested in borrowing materials from the collection of another institution must present valid identification as required by the lending library and should return materials in a timely manner. Participating libraries will assist each other in retrieving overdue materials, including suspension of borrower's library privileges and placement of holds on college transcripts.

Each library should formulate a statement of lending policy to include information about loan periods, hold and clearance procedures, etc. Each library should inform its users of the purpose of the Reciprocal Borrowing Agreement.

The following colleges enter into this agreement in the interest of meeting students' needs and providing convenient access to information.

The following colleges have endorsed this agreement:

- Bates Technical College
- Bellevue Community College
- Bellingham Technical College
- Big Bend Community College
- Centralia Community College
- Clark College
- Clover Park Technical College
- Columbia Basin College
- Edmonds Community College
- Everett Community College
- Gravs Harbor College
- Green River Community College
- Highline Community College
- Lake Washington Technical College
- Lower Columbia College
- North Seattle Community College
- Olympic College
- Peninsula College
- Pierce College
- Renton Technical College
- Seattle Central
- Shoreline Community College
- Skagit Valley College
- South Puget Sound Community College
- South Seattle Community College
- Spokane Community College
- Spokane Falls Community College
- Tacoma Community College
- Walla Walla Community College
- Wenatchee Valley Community College
- Whatcom Community College
- Yakima Valley Community College

Reciprocal Borrowing Statement, May 7, 1998

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Accepted by Yakima Valley Community College on July 13, 1998 by:

Dr. Linda Kaminski,

YVCC President

Joan Weber

YVCC Director of Library and Media Services