

2020 Upper New York Annual Conference
Petition/Resolution Submission Form

1 Committee assign number

2 Suggested Title:

3 *Book of Discipline* (§): 0000

4 *Book of Resolutions* paragraph (§): 000.0

5 Conference Committee/Agency, et al. that would be affected by/responsible for
6 implementation if passed: xxx

7 Financial Implications: N/A

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9 Brief Rationale:

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11 **Whereas** the Federal Depository Library Program (FDLP) was designed to
12 provide public access to government information through a cooperative network
13 of geographically dispersed depository libraries; and

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15 **Whereas** the Government Printing Office (GPO) has taken leadership
16 coordinating efforts to convert print and microform government information to
17 electronic format; and

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19 **Whereas** there is no complete inventory or comprehensive catalogue of
20 government publications necessary to facilitate efforts such as large-scale
21 cooperative services, collection development, and housing of materials.

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23 **Therefore be it resolved** that the GPO explore within current law all options for
24 cooperative collection development and maintenance, including shared housing
25 agreements between regional depositories and selective depositories; and

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27 **Therefore be it further resolved** that the GPO create an inventory of all
28 government publications held in depository libraries.

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