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What Can We Do?



State of Book Bans: School Libraries



State of Book Bans Public Libraries



Get Local and
Vocal



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Organizations that can help with building relationships, understanding legislation, and messaging:

And of course!

Office of Intellectual Freedom at
ALA!

NATIONAL GROUPS

- [EveryLibrary](#)
- [PEN America](#)
- [National Coalition Against Censorship \(NCAC\)](#)
- [Authors Against Book Bans](#)
- [FIRE - Foundation for Individual Rights and Expression](#)

LOCAL COALITIONS

- [Fight for the First](#)
- Library Friends, Foundations, and Alliances
- Statewide groups like [Florida Freedom to Read Project](#), [Annie's Foundation](#), [Texas Freedom to Read Project](#)
- State library associations



Legislation



Policies



Safety



Next Steps



Q&A



Help shape the future
of our digital events!

QUICK POLL



Thank you.

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