



## ***SOLS Board Summary*** ***September 2019***

### **Linkage Development – Municipal Trade Shows**

Over the last twelve years, SOLS has participated in OSUM (Ontario Small Urban Municipalities), OEMC (Ontario East Municipal Conference) and most recently in AMO (Association of Municipalities of Ontario) and ROMA (Rural Ontario Municipal Association). These trade shows have provided unique opportunities to speak with municipal decision-makers and the MPPs from across Ontario about public libraries and the provincial organization that support them. At this time, due to the reduction in the SOLS operating grant, we cannot participate in these events.

### **Linkage Development – Trustee Councils**

For the Fall 2019 and Spring 2020 we will continue to schedule face to face Trustee Councils. Given the investment SOLS has made in the Governance Hub and the need to cultivate knowledgeable and effective public library boards, it is important for SOLS to maintain relationships with the Boards it serves across southern Ontario.

### **Operations Plan 2019/20**

The SOLS Operations Plan for 2019/20 as well as an update on SOLS services are available at [www.sols.org](http://www.sols.org).

### **Next Board Meeting**

The next meeting of the SOLS Board is scheduled for Friday, January 31, 2020, location to be determined.