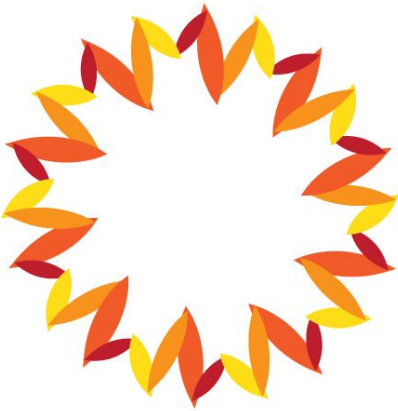

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IFLS Library System

About MORE

- My Online REsource
 - A resource-sharing consortium
 - Service of IFLS Library System
 - Participating libraries fund and share an integrated library system (ILS)
 - Staff-side automated system for circulation, cataloging, and acquisitions
 - Publicly-accessible online catalog
 - Database including title, item, and patron records
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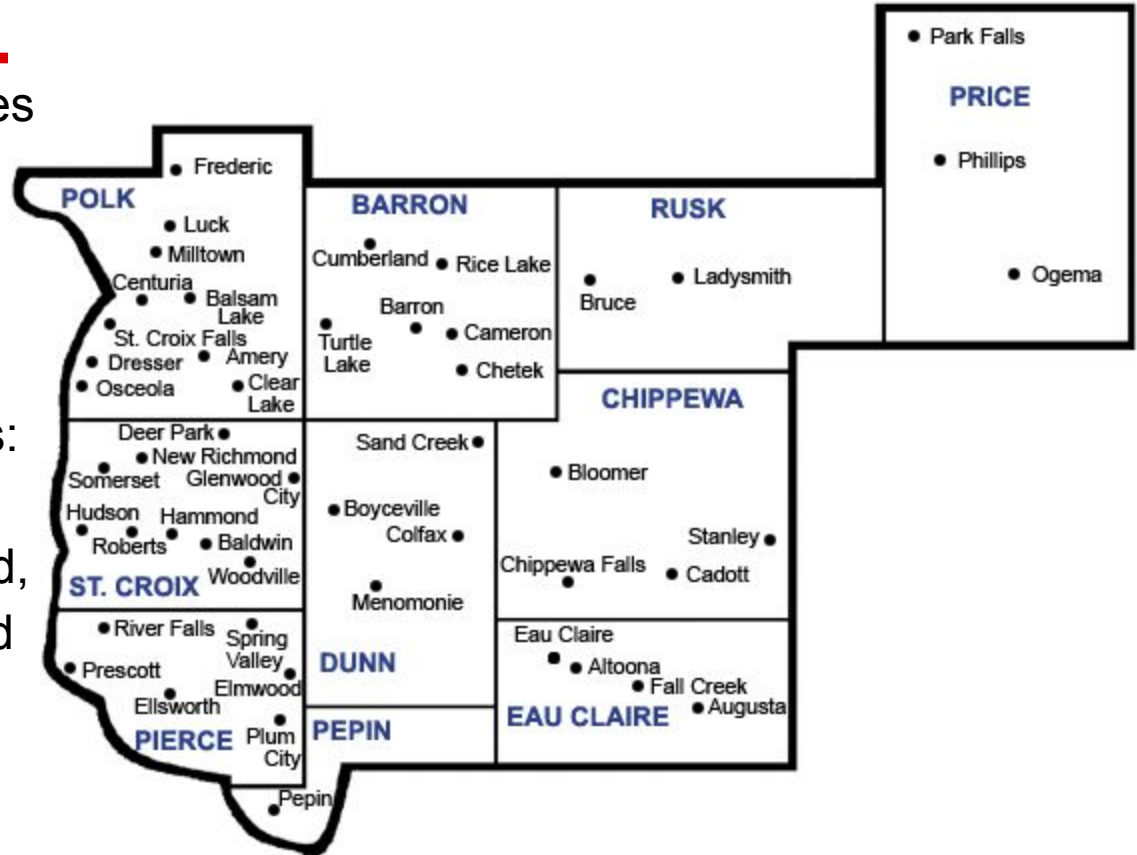
Patrons of participating libraries can:

- Check out materials at any participating library with a single library card
- Return materials to any participating library or library drop box
- Search a single catalog for materials from any participating library
- Request materials from any participating library to be picked up at any other participating library

The screenshot shows the MORE library website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for 'Classic Catalog', 'Advanced Search', 'Suggestions', 'MORE Libraries', 'Catalog Info', and 'Log In / My MORE'. A search bar is located below the navigation bar with a 'Keyword' dropdown and a 'Find it at the library' input field, followed by a red 'Search' button. Below the search bar, a red banner reads 'Library services are adjusted due to coronavirus' with two links: 'Check your local library's website for updates' and 'Get an e-card'. Underneath the banner are four icons representing services: 'always available e-books' (with a red arrow icon), 'e-books e-audiobooks video' (with a blue book icon), 'digital magazines' (with a blue book icon), and 'Transparent Language Online' (with a blue speech bubble icon). The main content area is titled 'Popular from the Library' and features a grid of book covers. The covers include 'Ocean Prey' by John Sandford, 'Rage' by Bob Woodward, 'The Four Winds' by Kristin Hannah, 'The Backlist' by Fredrik Backman, 'Disloyal' by Michael Cohen, 'No Image' by John Grisham, 'A List for Me' by John Grisham, 'When No One is Watching' by Alyssa Cole, and 'All the Devils are Here' by Louise Penny. On the left side of the main content area is a vertical navigation menu with links for 'Books', 'Movies', 'Music', 'Audiobooks', 'Explore', 'New Titles', 'Coming Soon', 'Awards', 'Bestsellers', and 'Staff Picks'. At the bottom of the main content area, there are three boxes: 'WISCAT' with the text 'Can't find it in MORE? Search WISCAT. Contact your local library to place a hold.', 'Dig Deeper' with the text 'Find magazine & newspaper articles, genealogy sources, and more. Research Page', and 'Library Elf' with the text 'Keep track of your library checkouts and holds with Library Elf'. At the very bottom of the page, there is a footer with links for 'My Account', 'Suggestions', 'MORE Libraries', and 'Catalog Info'.

Membership

- 49 member public libraries
- System service population: 472,058
- MORE-member library cardholders: 177,538
- Durand-area cardholders:
 - City of Durand: 121
 - Townships of Durand, Lima, Waterville, and Waubeek: 113



History

- 1999: St. Croix County libraries approach IFLS about a shared ILS
 - August 1999: 10 participating libraries sign contract with ILS vendor
 - 2000-2001: First 20 libraries “go live”
 - 2002-2012: Additional libraries join each year except 2009
 - Ogema is most recent
 - 49 member public libraries plus IFLS and one branch location
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Shared Collections

- Physical titles owned by MORE-member libraries:
500,675
 - Items/copies owned by MORE-member libraries:
1,456,294
 - Licensed electronic titles: 108,457+
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Patron benefits

- Streamlined resource sharing
 - Single-card access to 49 libraries
 - Access to online resources: OverDrive, Freading, Flipster
 - Online catalog
 - Account access and bill pay
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Library benefits

Support

- Workshops
- Online how-tos
- Special project assistance
- Day-to-day troubleshooting
- Unusual situations
- Data integrity
- Collaboration among libraries

Vendor relations

- Point-of-contact
- Leverage
- Authentication

Administration

- Budgeting
- Governance
- Mediation
- Policy enforcement

Reporting

- Monthly
- Annual
- As-needed

Configuration

- User set-up
- Loan rules
- Online catalog

Infrastructure

- Technology maintenance
- Delivery

Cataloging

- New for 2021
 - Full bibliographic cataloging service
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Cost-sharing

- MORE budget is approved by MORE Directors Council
 - Each library pays a portion of the total budget based on items owned and circulation
 - MORE budgets posted here:
<https://www.ifls.lib.wi.us/knowledge-base/more-budgets/>
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Cost-sharing (cont.)

- 2021 MORE budget total: \$887,631
 - LSTA grant funds likely to cover start-up costs
 - Estimated annual cost for Durand: \$10,000-\$12,000
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Process for joining

1. Sign MORE Participation Agreement:
<https://www.ifls.lib.wi.us/knowledge-base/more-policies-and-participation-agreement/>
 2. Add item and patron records
 3. Pay annual MORE costs beginning with the full year following start of membership
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Looking ahead

- Cataloging service (CABS)
 - Library App
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