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Date: July 11, 2016  
To: RCPL Board of Trustees  
From: James McShane, Library Director  
Re: Strategic Plan

**Motion:** Move to approve the extension and updating of the current [Strategic Plan](#) until 2017.

**Background:**

We are currently working with The Chapman Group on a new strategic plan for the library. However, we need a current one in order to be eligible for a level of exemplary accreditation from the State Library, the paperwork for which is due at the end of August. Since we had anticipated completing our strategic planning by this time, we do not wish to rush the process. We anticipate having a new strategic plan by the end of this year, but would like to build in some extra time in this updated plan for contingencies.