

# FIND-IT! ILLINOIS

## EDI Depositor Electronic Documents of Illinois [ediillinois.org](http://ediillinois.org)

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### EDI and browsers

EDI should display well in most browsers, but it's designed to show and function using the Firefox or Mozilla browser. If you find quirky behavior in the Metadata Generator, please try using a Firefox browser. If that doesn't resolve the issue, please contact us and let us know how we can help.

### Key words

Key words are acronyms, abbreviations, misspellings or synonyms of words found in a document. You may want to put some key words in your templates so you won't forget next time you make a deposit.

### Find-It! Illinois updates

The State Library is working on the Find-It! Illinois interface on State of Illinois Documents. Rest assured that a reference to "State Agencies" will continue to link to the Metadata Generator. If you have suggestions, please e-mail [cfrankenfeld@ilsos.net](mailto:cfrankenfeld@ilsos.net).

Find-It! Illinois ([finditillinois.org](http://finditillinois.org)) is a search engine for more than 300 state government Web sites. If your organization introduces a new Web site, please e-mail the URL to [cfrankenfeld@ilsos.net](mailto:cfrankenfeld@ilsos.net).

### We Are Your Library

The Illinois State Library is the library for state government employees and elected officials. For assistance with your information needs:

Ask?Away virtual reference and  
other online services at  
[finditillinois.org](http://finditillinois.org)  
or  
Reference Desk: 217-782-7596

### EDI Depositor Training

**October 15; November 10; December 10**  
**9-11:30 a.m., Illinois State Library**

To register for a training session, please visit [finditillinois.org](http://finditillinois.org) (click Resources for State Agencies, then Register for EDI Deposit Training). If the person making deposits for your agency is changing, the new person should be trained. If these times and dates don't work for you or you need training outside of Springfield, please call 217-782-5432 or e-mail [cfrankenfeld@ilsos.net](mailto:cfrankenfeld@ilsos.net).

### Affirmative Action Plans

State agency Affirmative Action Plans were due **September 1** to the Human Rights Commission. Please be sure to electronically deposit your agency's Affirmative Action Plan with EDI.

### Accessibility standards

The Illinois Information Technology Accessibility Act requires state agencies and universities to ensure that their Web sites, operating systems and other information technologies are accessible to persons with disabilities. The Act requires the state to establish and follow specific, functional accessibility standards and to proactively address accessibility. For more information, please visit [www.dhs.state.il.us](http://www.dhs.state.il.us).

### Lots of agencies, lots of deposits

A list of organizations contributing to EDI is available at Find-It! Illinois (link to Electronic Documents of Illinois) or at:  
[www.ediillinois.org/ppa/index/AgencyAuthorIndex.html](http://www.ediillinois.org/ppa/index/AgencyAuthorIndex.html).

### Why deposit in EDI?

- EDI will be the source of historical state electronic publications.
- The General Assembly assigned the task of preserving electronic state publications to the Illinois State Library.
- The General Assembly instructed agencies to provide copies of all publications, both print and electronic formats, to the Illinois State Library.
- Your agency will not be responsible for the resource-intensive system of digital preservation.



Please send questions and concerns to:  
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