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*Partners in Preservation:
Government Information for Future Generations*

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Opening Remarks

It's all about...

- Partnerships
- Collaboration
- Openness and transparency
- Training
- FDLP Forecast Study
- NAPA Report Recommendations

FDLP Forecast Study

- FDLP Library Forecasts (802)
- FDLP State Forecasts (46)
- State Focused Action Plans (34)
- Terrific response!

FDLP Forecast Study

Depository libraries want:

- To partner
- To collaborate
- To train and be trained
- More cataloging
- More digitized historical content
- Preservation of tangible historical collections
- Preservation of born digital Government information dissemination products

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