

## AN ASSORTMENT OF WEB SITES ABOUT GOVERNMENT INFORMATION AND LIBRARIES

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### **ALA's Government Documents Round Table (GODORT)**

...Lots of resources for librarians and about documents in libraries

<http://www.ala.org/ala/godort/godort.htm>

### **Minnesota's GODORT**

Some projects, fun and useful:

Read (Docs!): <http://govpubs.lib.umn.edu/forum/read2003.phtml>

Minnesota State Plan for Federal Depository Library Services:

<http://govpubs.lib.umn.edu/regional/planhome.phtml>

### **GPO Access**

...Official source for government publications and links

<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/>

...Look especially for:

FDLP Desktop: [http://www.access.gpo.gov/su\\_docs/fdlp/index.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/fdlp/index.html)

Locator Tools and Services: [http://www.access.gpo.gov/su\\_docs/fdlp/lts.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/fdlp/lts.html)

Depository Library Council: [http://www.access.gpo.gov/su\\_docs/fdlp/council/index.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/fdlp/council/index.html)

### **FirstGov**

...U.S. Government's Official Web Portal

<http://www.firstgov.gov/>

### **FedStats**

...Gateway to statistics from more than 100 US Federal Government agencies

<http://www.fedstats.gov/>

### **Minnesota Legislative Reference Library**

<http://www.leg.mn/lrl/lrl.asp>

### **OMB Watch – Information and Access**

...”Democracy dies behind closed doors”

<http://www.ombwatch.org/info>

### **OpenTheGovernment.org**

...For a lighter if not politically correct look at government secrecy, scroll down to the video called "Are We Safer in the Dark?" And watch for information on Sunshine Week 2007, March 12-16.

<http://www.openthegovernment.org/>

### **University of Minnesota, Government Publications Library**

For information and links about the FDLP, see Regional Home.

<http://govpubs.lib.umn.edu/index.phtml>