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## Jackson-George Regional Library System Suspends Hoopla Service Due to Funding Disruption

[JACKSON-GEORGE COUNTY, MS] — The Jackson-George Regional Library System (JGRLS) regrets to announce the temporary suspension of Hoopla digital services due to the disruption of grant funding from the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS). This suspension comes because of IMLS funding being halted, which directly affects the Mississippi Library Commission (MLC) and, in turn, local library services.

"We understand this may be disappointing for our patrons, and we sincerely apologize for the inconvenience," said Angela Stewart, Library Director. "We remain committed to providing the best possible services and are actively seeking solutions to mitigate the impact of this funding challenge."

Currently, there is no estimated timeline for the return of Hoopla services. JGRLS encourages patrons and community members to advocate for library funding by contacting their congressional representatives. For updates and additional resources, please visit www.jgrls.org.

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