Dear Senator \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

I want to express my concerns about the changes to Proviso 27.1 regarding State Aid to Public Libraries. While I understand the focus on content in children's sections, I assure you Beaufort County Library already complies with state requirements and has established local policies for residents to request reconsideration of items in the collection.

The changes to this proviso represent an overreach by the state, overstepping the authority of the local library board, which is responsible for these decisions. It could lead to an undue burden on the State Library by requiring them to investigate complaints that are more appropriately handled at the local level.

Ultimately, this change undermines the Library Board’s ability to provide library services to the community. If you would like to discuss this further or have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Thank you for your support of Beaufort County and our library.

Sincerely,