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Ms. Susan J. Hill Macomb County Library 16480 Hall Road Clinton Township, MI 48038-1140

Dear Ms. Hill,

This is a special invitation to you and others from your institution to come to a briefing on the exciting new partnership between DALNET and Ameritech. (DALNET is currently a consortium of twenty-three public, academic, and special libraries in the metropolitan Detroit area.) Whether or not your library is currently considering pursuing a new integrated information system, we think you will be interestED in our plans to create a regional information hub to serve the seven county Detroit metropolitan regions.

The briefing will be held at 9:00am-12:00 noon on Friday, October 10, 1997, in the Undergraduate Library, Wayne State University Community Room, 3rd floor. The briefing will be preceded by a coffee and bagel time starting at 8:30am.

There will be an initial presentation on the recently developed DALNET vision statement and the system being developed to support a regional information hub. The foundation for the information hub will be an enhanced version of Ameritech's Horizon System. During the overview session, there will be many opportunities for questions and answers, as well as, in smaller group settings that will focus on particular issues such as, library system capabilities, telecommunications support, and budget considerations.

Reservations are required and can be made by contacting Amy Wilson at 313/577-5578; or e-mail: awilson@cms.cc.wayne.edu; or fax: 313/577-5525.

Hoping that you will be able to join us, we remain

Sincerely,

Margaret E. Auer, Chairperson DALNET Board of Directors

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