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## NDRA Goals 2016-2017

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- Ø To actively promote literacy locally and globally
- Ø To provide a variety of professional development opportunities
- Ø To increase partnerships with other organizations
- Ø To assist local councils and their services to members
- Ø To provide opportunities to become literacy leaders
- Ø To use technology to promote literacy

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## NDRA Members' Benefits

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### COUNCIL SUPPORT

- Ø Young Writer's Project
- Ø Program Development
- Ø International and Community Projects
- Ø Teachers-As-Readers Groups
- Ø Continued Collaboration for Advocacy
- Ø NDRA Grants

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Ø 49<sup>th</sup> Annual NDRA Conference
- Ø NDRA Summer Leadership Workshop

### PUBLICATIONS

- Ø Prairie Reader Newsletter
- Ø NDRA Council Image Brochures

### RECOGNITION

- Ø ILA Award of Excellence
- Ø ILA Honor Council
- Ø ILA Advocacy Award
- Ø ILA Exemplary Reading Award
- Ø NDRA Merit Award
- Ø NDRA Leadership Travel Grant Award
- Ø NDRA Young Writer's Award
- Ø Local Celebrate Literacy Award

### CONFERENCES

September 29-October 1, 2016  
NDRA State Literacy Conference  
Fargo, North Dakota

July 15-17, 2017  
ILA 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference  
Orlando, Florida

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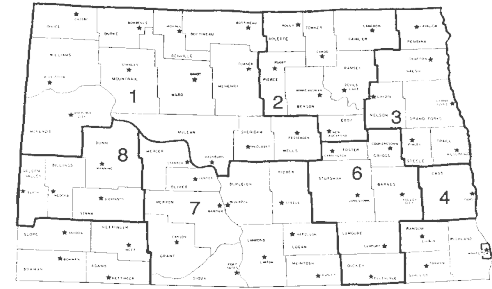
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## NDRA Membership

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Seven NDRA Local Reading Councils --  
The \$30.00 unified dues includes membership to BOTH the local council and NDRA for the fiscal year. Student membership is free.



8. **Badlands Reading Council** (Dickinson)  
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## NORTH DAKOTA READING ASSOCIATION 2016-2017

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**Mission --**  
*Leaders in Literacy*

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Universal Literacy for  
49 Years**