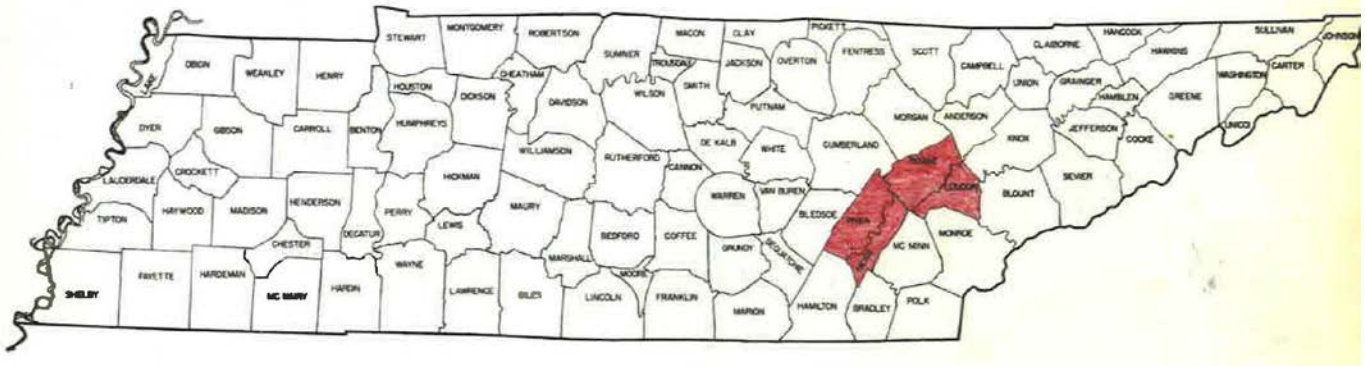


HISTORY OF THE TENNESSEE REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEM MAPS

1939 – 2019



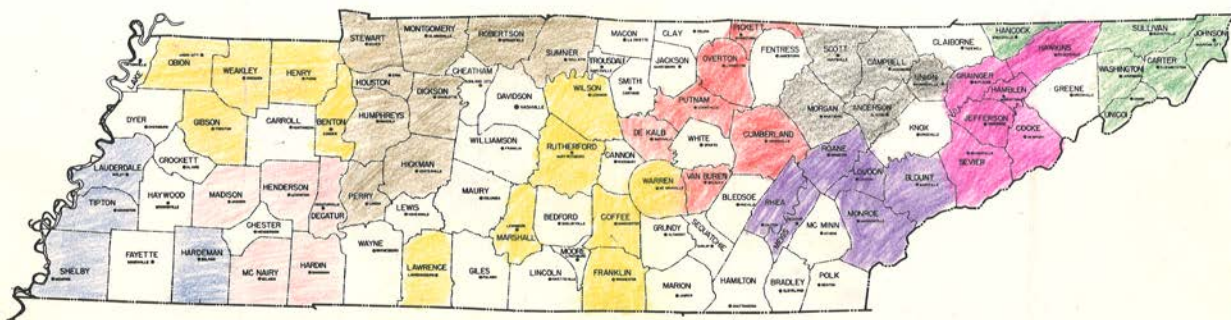
1939-1940

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	o HEADQUARTERS	POPULATION	NO. OF COUNTIES	ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY
Region I	Morristown	127,485	6	Hamblen County Public Library
Region II	Lenoir City	135,770	6	Loudon County Public Library
Region III	Martin	211,168	11	Univ. of Tennessee Junior College
Region IV	Johnson City	147,842	4	East Tennessee State College
Region V	Clinton	91,322	4	Anderson County Library
Region VI	Murfreesboro	86,412	4	Middle Tennessee State College
Region VII	Cookeville	72,969	4	Tennessee Polytechnic Institute
TOTAL		874,968	39	

1948-1949

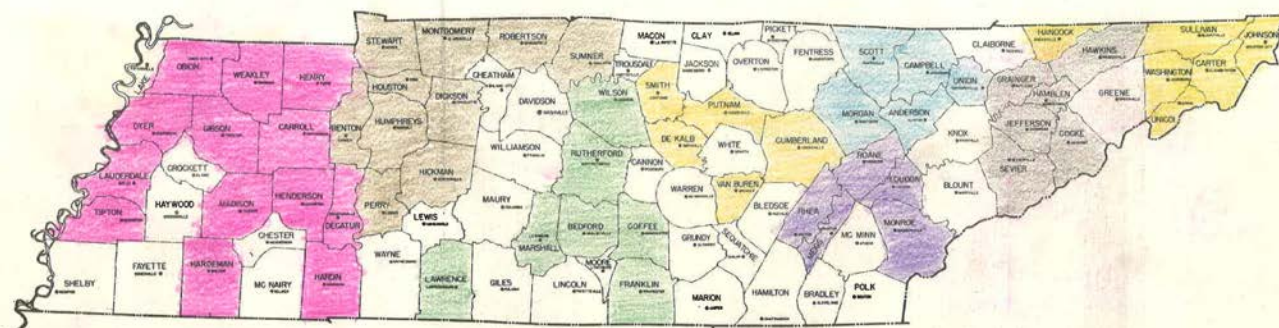
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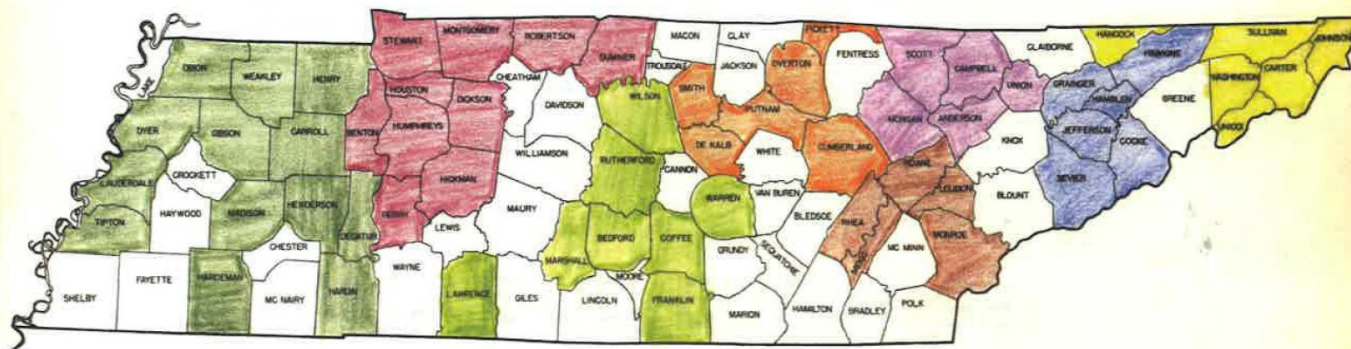
10 Headquarters	Administrative Agency	Qualified 59 Counties	Including 9 New Counties	4 Failed to Qualify
Clinton	Anderson County Library Board	5	Dickson	Crockett
Clarksville	Austin Peay State College	9	Hardeman	Jackson
Memphis	Cossitt Library	4	Henderson	Smith
Johnson City	East Tenn. State College	6	Hickman	White
Morristown	Hamblen County Library Board	6	McNairy	
Lenoir City	Loudon County Library Board	6	Madison	
Murfreesboro	Middle Tenn. State College	7	Montgomery	
Cookeville	Tennessee Polytechnic Institute	6	Van Buren	
Martin	University of Tennessee Junior College	5	Weakley	
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The above are included in total of 59 counties

REGIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE
1950-51



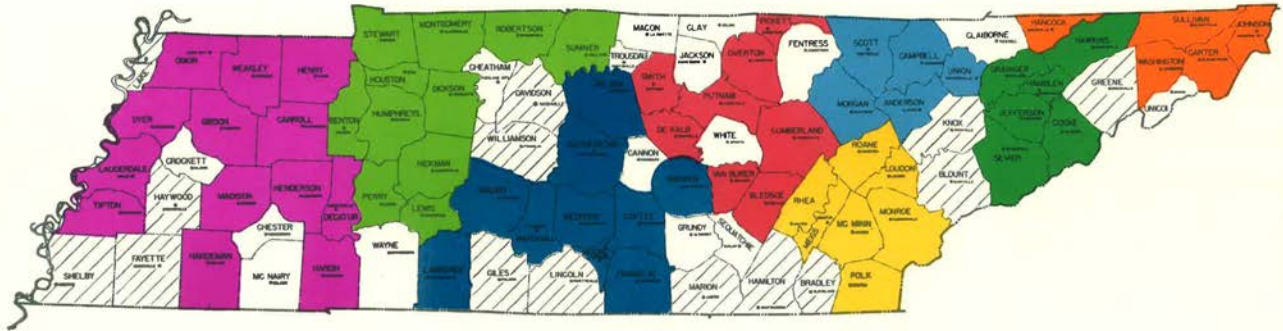
Agency	No. Counties	Counties
Anderson County Library Board, Clinton	5	Anderson, Campbell, Morgan, Scott, Union
Austin Peay State College, Clarksville	10	Benton, Dickson, Hickman, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Perry, Robertson, Stewart, Sumner
East Tennessee State College, Johnson City	6	Carter, Hancock, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington
Hamblen County Library Board, Morristown	6	Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Hawkins, Jefferson, Sevier
Loudon County Library Board, Lenoir City	5	Loudon, Meigs, Monroe, Rhea, Roane
Middle Tennessee State College, Murfreesboro	8	Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Lawrence, Marshall, Rutherford, Warren, Wilson
Tennessee Polytechnic Institute, Cookeville	7	Cumberland, DeKalb, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren
University of Tennessee Junior College, Martin	13	Carroll, Decatur, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Hardeman, Hardin, Henderson, Lauderdale, Madison, Union, Tipton, Weakley



1951-1952

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COUNTIES INCLUDED IN REGIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE
1953-54

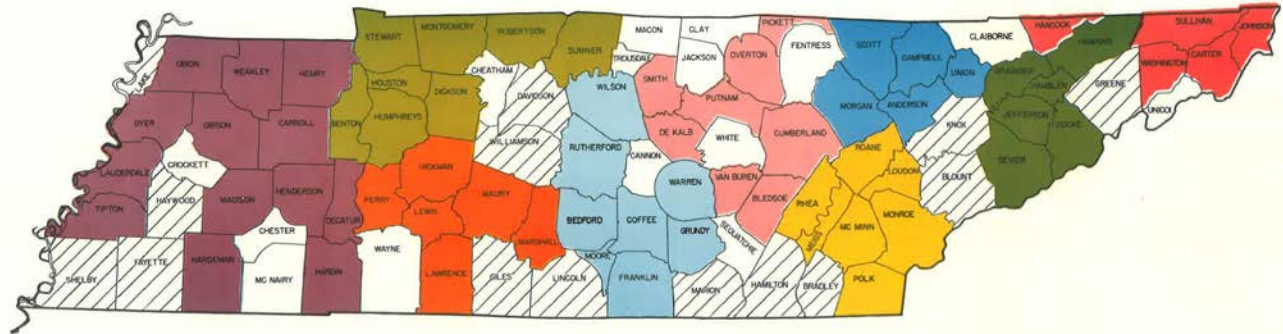


REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS AND AGENCIES

- Clinton, Anderson County Library Board
- Clarksville, Austin Peay State College
- Johnson City, East Tennessee State College
- Morristown, Hamblen County Library Board
- Lenoir City, Loudon County Library Board
- Murfreesboro, Middle Tennessee State College
- Cookeville, Tennessee Polytechnic Institute
- Martin, University of Tennessee, Martin Branch
- ▨ Counties with independent county or city libraries
- Counties with no public library service

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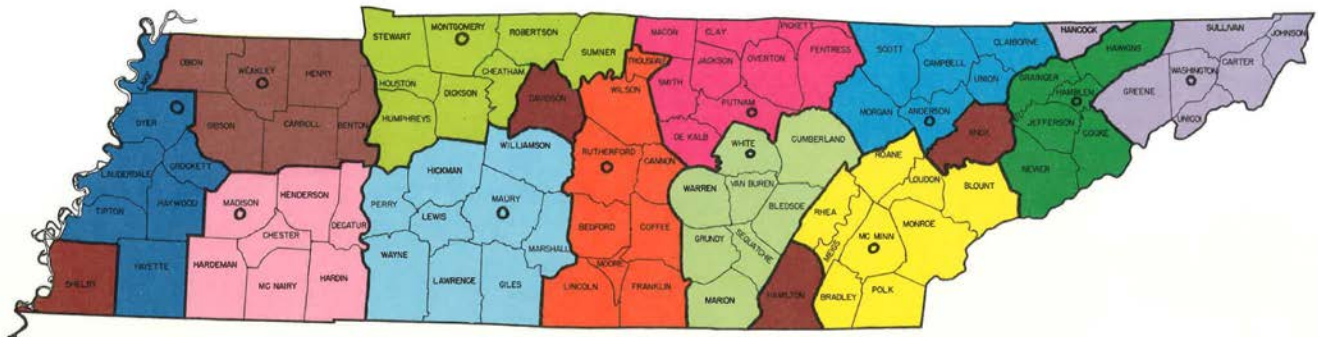
COUNTIES INCLUDED IN REGIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE
1954-1955



REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS AND POPULATION

■ Austin Peay State College Region, P. O. Box 535, Clarksville	160,566
■ Blue Grass Region, 308 West Seventh Street, Columbia	112,847
■ Clinch-Powell Region, Anderson County Library, Clinton	135,535
■ East Tennessee State College Region, E. T. S. C., Johnson City	218,860
■ Fort Loudoun Region, Box 429, Lenoir City	147,579
■ Middle Tennessee State College Region, M. T. S. C., Murfreesboro	177,898
■ Nolichucky Region, Box 418, Morristown	133,589
■ Upper Cumberland Region, Box 517, T. P. I., Cookeville	109,729
■ West Tennessee Region, Box 543, U. T. Martin Branch, Martin	370,795
Total population of regions	1,567,398
▨ Counties with independent county or city libraries	1,526,304
□ Counties with no public library service	198,016
Total population	3,291,718

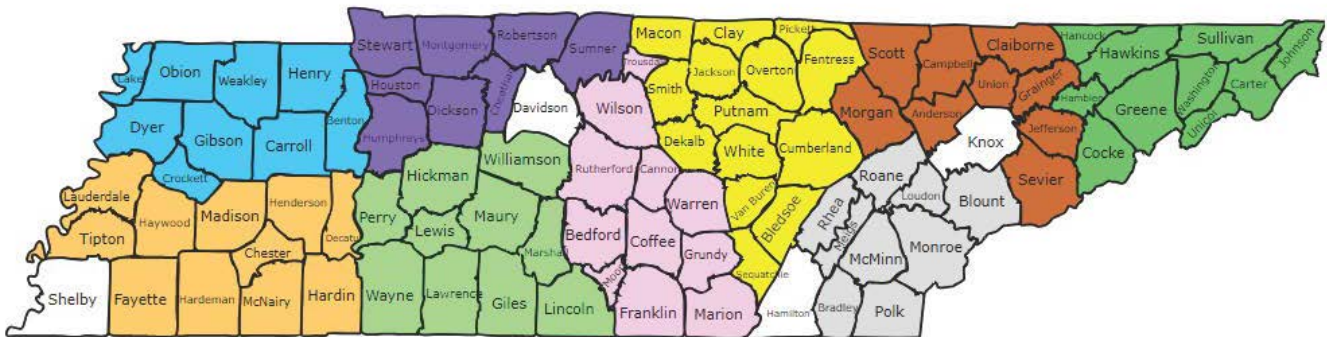
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 Nashville, Tennessee 37219
 COUNTIES INCLUDED IN REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEM
 1968 - 1969



REGIONAL LIBRARY CENTERS AND POPULATION SERVED

Blue Grass Region, Columbia	169,596
Caney Fork Region, Sparta	107,759
Clinch-Powell Region, Clinton	145,250
Forkeed Deer Region, Trimble	152,081
Fort Loudoun Region, Athens	248,900
Highland Rim Region, Murfreesboro	198,051
Nolichucky Region, Morristown	145,200
Reelfoot Region, Martin	152,296
Shiloh Region, Jackson	151,662
Upper Cumberland Region, Cookeville	113,168
Wartato Region, Clarksville	171,620
Watauga Region, Johnson City	296,316
Total population served by regional centers	2,051,899
Metropolitan regions	1,515,190

Map after regions went from 12 to 9 in 2012



Key

Obion River Region	Red River Region	Falling Water Region	Clinch River Region	Holston River Region	Independent
Hatchie River Region	Buffalo River Region	Stones River Region	Ocoee River Region	Metropolitan	