

Fairfax Public Law Library News!

ONLINE CATALOG

The Fairfax Public Law Library is pleased to announce that our online catalog has been fully created and is now available outside of the Law Library for users with internet access. Please go to <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/courts/lawlib> and then click on the Law Library Online Catalog link.

NEW HOURS

Effective as of January 9, 2009, the new Law Library hours are:

Mondays - 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM
Tuesdays - 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Wednesdays - 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM
Thursdays - 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM
Fridays - 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM

The hours have been reduced by order of the Fairfax County Sheriff, which is in charge of Courthouse security. You are undoubtedly aware of the fiscal challenges Fairfax County faces in these difficult economic times. Because of these challenges, after hours security for the Courthouse has been curtailed, resulting in the Law Library being ordered to shorten our hours to coordinate with available Courthouse security personnel.

Unfortunately, because of a lack of Courthouse security personnel on site, the Law Library temporarily is not able to allow FBA members to use the Law Library after hours. We encourage you to avail yourself of the George Mason University Law Library in Arlington after hours, which maintains extended hours for the Law School.

Mr. Frey, the FBA Board, Law Library Committee, and Law Library staff are hopeful that we will be able to extend the courtesy to FBA members to again allow after hours Law Library access very soon.