APPENDIX C

INTERVIEW CONSENT FORM

Factors Leading to Successful Resource Sharing Interview

You are invited to participate in a research interview on satisfaction with your participation as a leader in CARLI. This interview is conducted by Frederick Lugya, under the supervision of Terry Weech in the Graduate School of Library and Information Science at the University of Illinois Urbana Champaign. Mr. Lugya is gathering this information for his master’s thesis in the School.

This interview will take approximately twenty minutes of your time. You will respond to questions about your contribution and satisfaction with CARLI. Your decision to participate or decline participation in this interview is completely voluntary and you have the right to terminate your participation at any time without penalty. You may skip any questions you do not wish to answer.

Your participation in this research will be completely confidential and data will be averaged and reported in aggregate. Possible outlets of dissemination may be published in an international journal of librarianship, but the primary purpose is to provide Mr. Lugya with data for his master’s thesis. A summary of results may also be shared with the CARLI membership, but the confidentiality of individual responses will be maintained. Although your participation in this research may not benefit you personally, it will help us understand what contributes to satisfaction of participation in consortia such as CARLI.

Given our commitment to the confidentially of individual responses, we believe there are no risks to individuals participating in this interview. If you have questions about this project, you may contact Terry Weech at 217-333-0646 or by email at weech@illinois.edu. If you have any questions about your rights as a research participant in the study, please contact the University of Illinois Institutional Review Board at 217-333-3670 (collect calls accepted if you identify yourself as a research participant) or via email at irb@illinois.edu.

Please sign a copy of this consent form for your records, if you so desire.
I have read and understand the above consent form, I certify that I am 18 years old or older and, by signing this form, I indicate my willingness voluntarily take part in the study.

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Participant Signature               Date