

# ELD Update: May 2017

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# Overview

- Recent ELD Improvements
- “Need to Know” Links & Info
- Correct Labeling Practices
- Q&A

# Recent ELD Improvements

- New Bags!

- Vinyl-coated Nylon and polyester fabric bonded together with a moisture proof inner liner.

Wear-resistant. An exceptionally strong material with a smooth finish.

# Recent ELD Improvements

- Downloadable Missing Resources List
  - Download the missing resources list, print relevant columns, and search your shelves for missing books.
  - Help us keep the list up to date! Report found books via the Google Form or email [admin@esln.org](mailto:admin@esln.org)

# Recent ELD Improvements

- Google Forms to Track Issues
  - Track recurring issues such as missing items, missed stops, and delayed deliveries.
  - Make sure you report issues as they occur so that we can improve delivery for you!
    - Be as detailed as possible.

# Recent ELD Improvements

- Tracking Pilot

- In order to identify what is causing delivery delays, we'll be starting a tracking pilot in the near future.
  - Zip-ties with barcodes
    - Do NOT cut the zip-tie off of the bag!

# Reminder: ELD Public Library Systems

- Buffalo and Erie County Public Library → now a permanent member of ELD
- Mid-Hudson Library System
- Monroe County Library System
- Nioga Library System
- Onondaga County Public Library
- Pioneer Library System
- Ramapo Catskill Library System

# Keep Your Links Up-to-Date

Report an Issue:

- <https://goo.gl/forms/pFFiwJDdwyVRH0fi2>

Missing Resources Form

- <https://goo.gl/forms/oh2N1gUQAY69xT2B3>

Bag Requests Form

- <https://goo.gl/forms/kB6idFWbaKbaVgt93>

ELD Roster

- <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1UBKKwK-Xparg91KwbQQ1G7jre-lVayhEcutSYbw1ziE/edit#gid=0>



# Keep Your News Up-to-Date

Subscribe to ELD Newsletter:

- <https://goo.gl/forms/lslKsoB082C1PkdQ2>

Missing Resources Summary

- [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1CN6YE8P5t8FKJ3gTZOpMk6X\\_vFjfSV7iXDrfGKG8Cps/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1CN6YE8P5t8FKJ3gTZOpMk6X_vFjfSV7iXDrfGKG8Cps/edit?usp=sharing)

Empire Library Delivery at ESLN.org

- <https://www.esln.org/services/empire-library-delivery/>

# Labeling Overview

- Use current ELD list
  - If your list is over 6 months old print a new one
- Review correct ELD label practices
- Review examples of incorrect labels
- How to put labels in bags

# Correct Label Practices

REQUIRED on all ELD labels:

- Institution Name
- Full Address
- OCLC code
- Hub

Format is the same as if you are addressing an envelope:

Place the destination in the middle of the label with a larger font and your library in smaller print in the upper left hand corner.

# Example of Correct Label

Capital District Library Council (VYD)

28 Essex St

Albany, NY 12206

HUB: ALB

**Brockport, SUNY Drake Memorial Library**

**350 New Campus Drive**

**Brockport, NY 14420**

**XBM**

**Hub: ROC**

Please note, it is important to have a **full return address** on the package. If a bag is mislabeled or somehow gets misdirected, the materials may be returned to sender.

# Incorrect Labels

# Incorrect Label Example

Out of NY State

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Not on Empire  
Library Delivery

Mailed under Section 135.14 Postal  
Manual/LIBRARIES MATERIALS

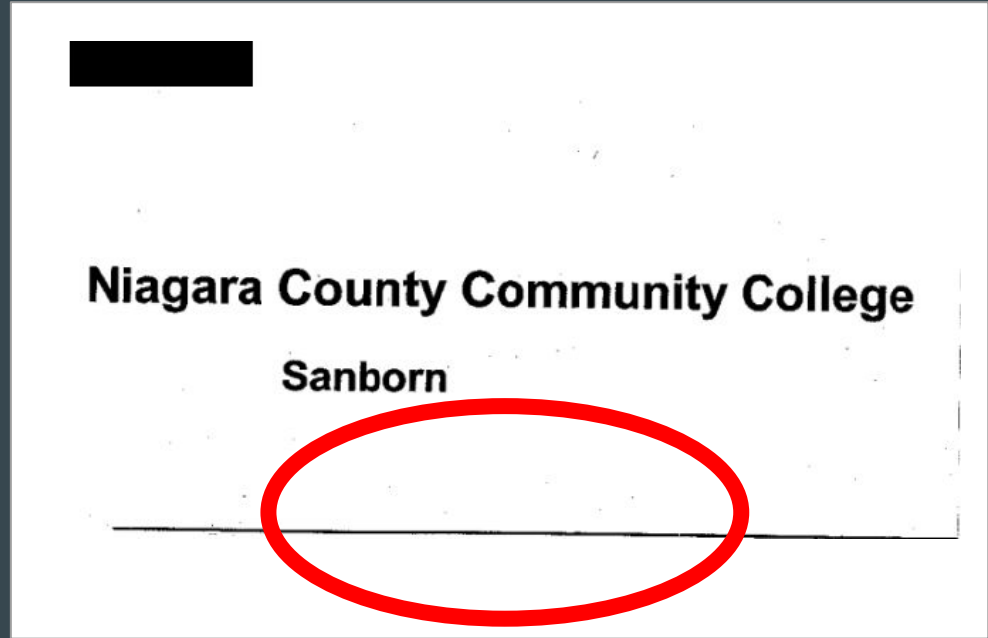
FROM: [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

RETURN POSTAGE GUARANTEED

Mount Holyoke College Library - ILL  
50 College St.  
South Hadley, Massachusetts 01075  
United States

# Incorrect Label Example

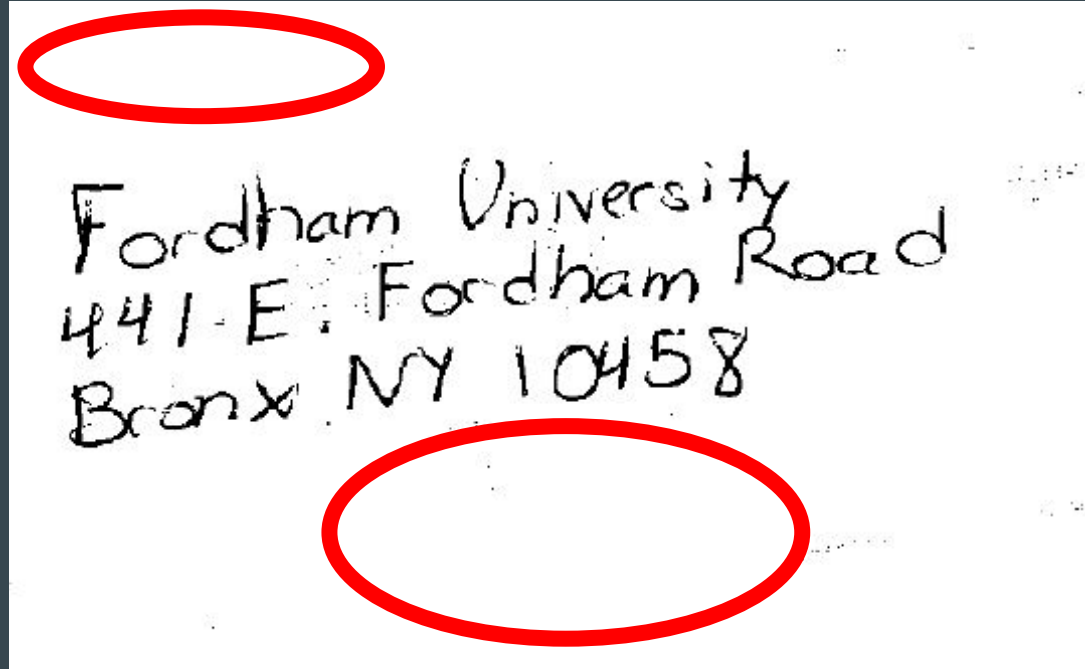
- No Symbol
- No Hub
- No Address





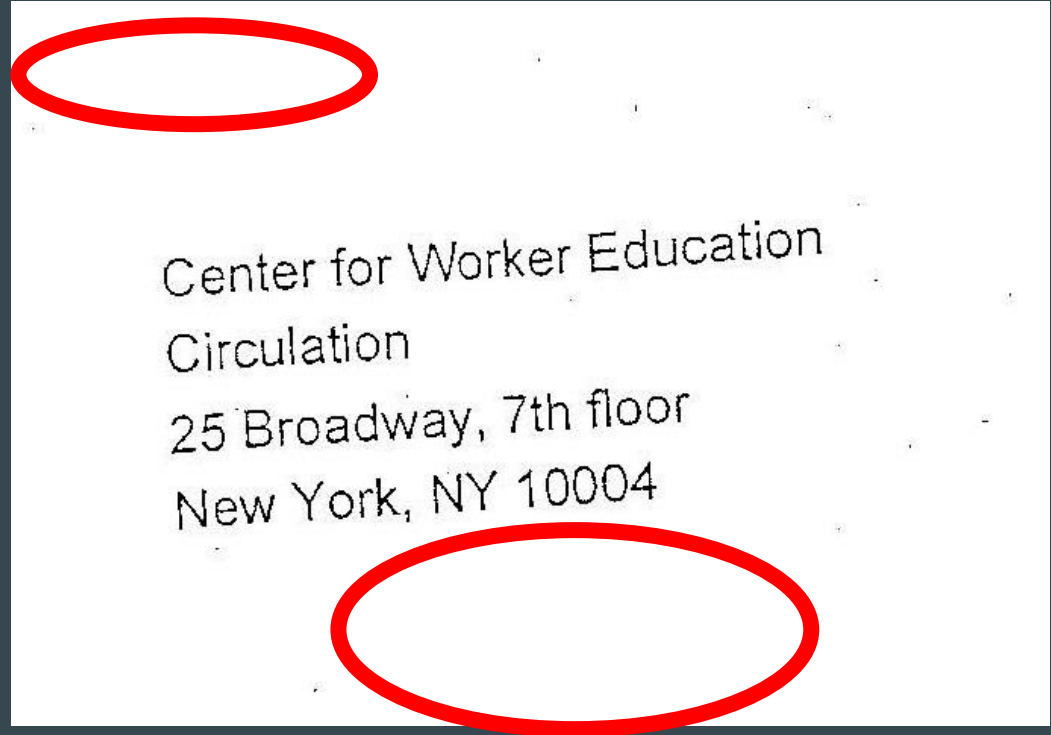
# Incorrect Label Example

- Not on ELD
  - No Symbol
  - No Hub
  - No Return Address



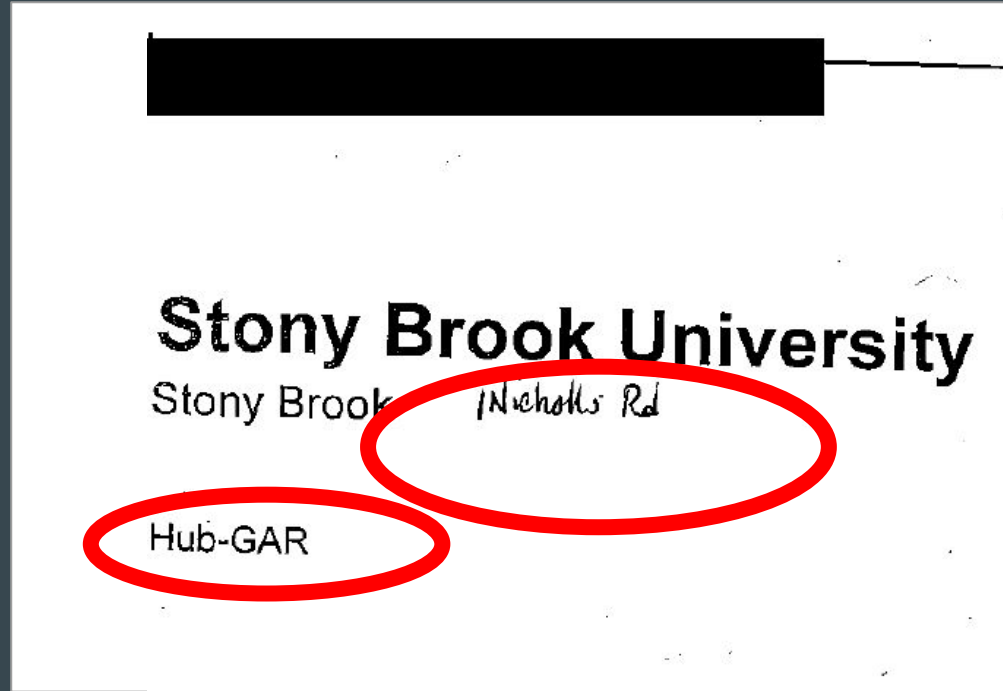
# Incorrect Label Example

- Not on ELD
  - No Symbol
  - No Hub
  - No Return Address



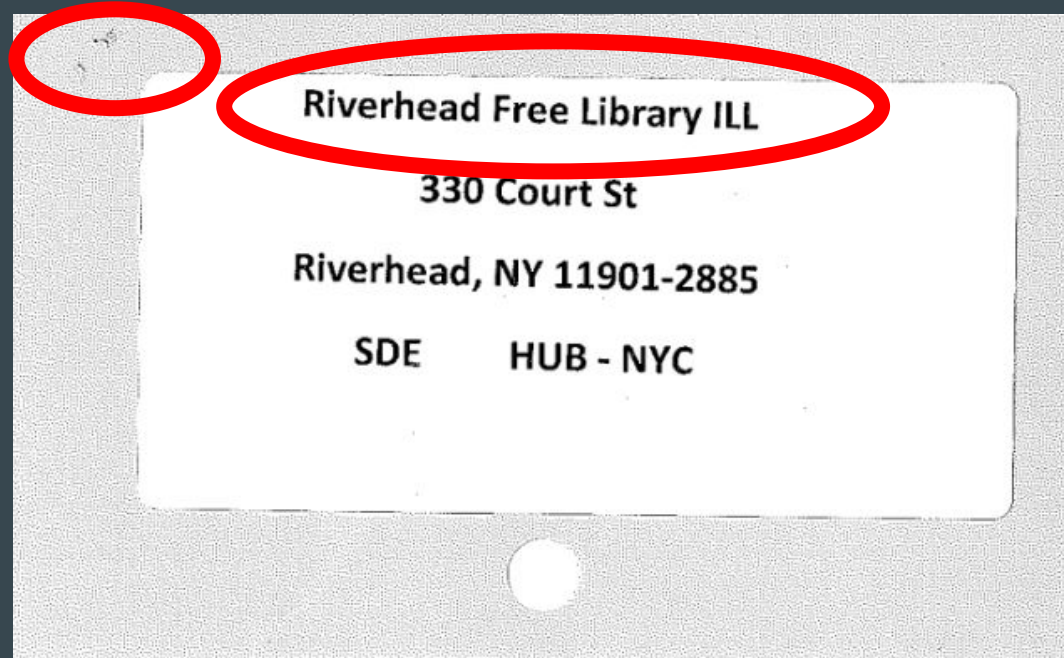
# Incorrect Label Example

- No GAR Hub
  - Outdated information
- No Symbol
- No Address



# Incorrect Label Example

- What Should the Library Name Be?
  - Suffolk Cooperative Library System
- No Return Address

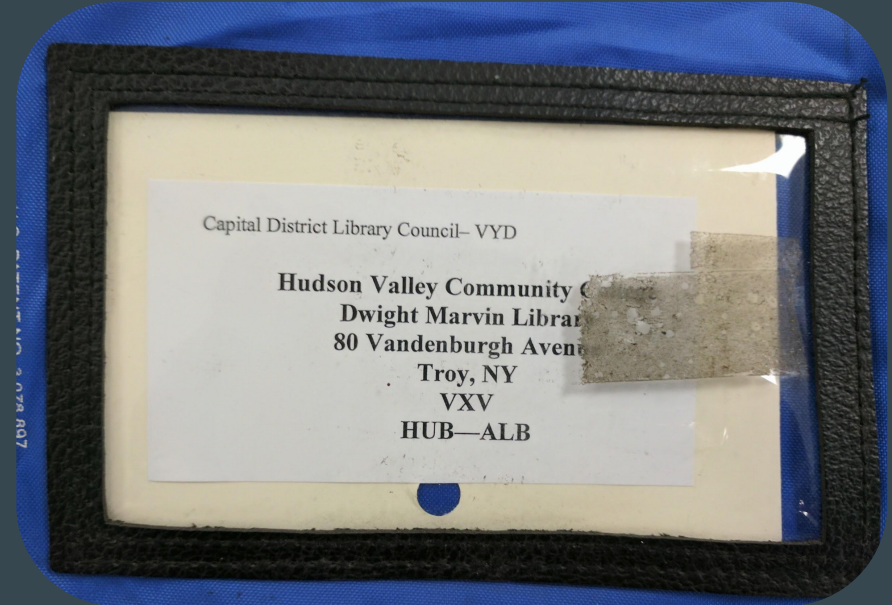


# What Not to do With Bags



Please Do Not Write Directly On the Bags

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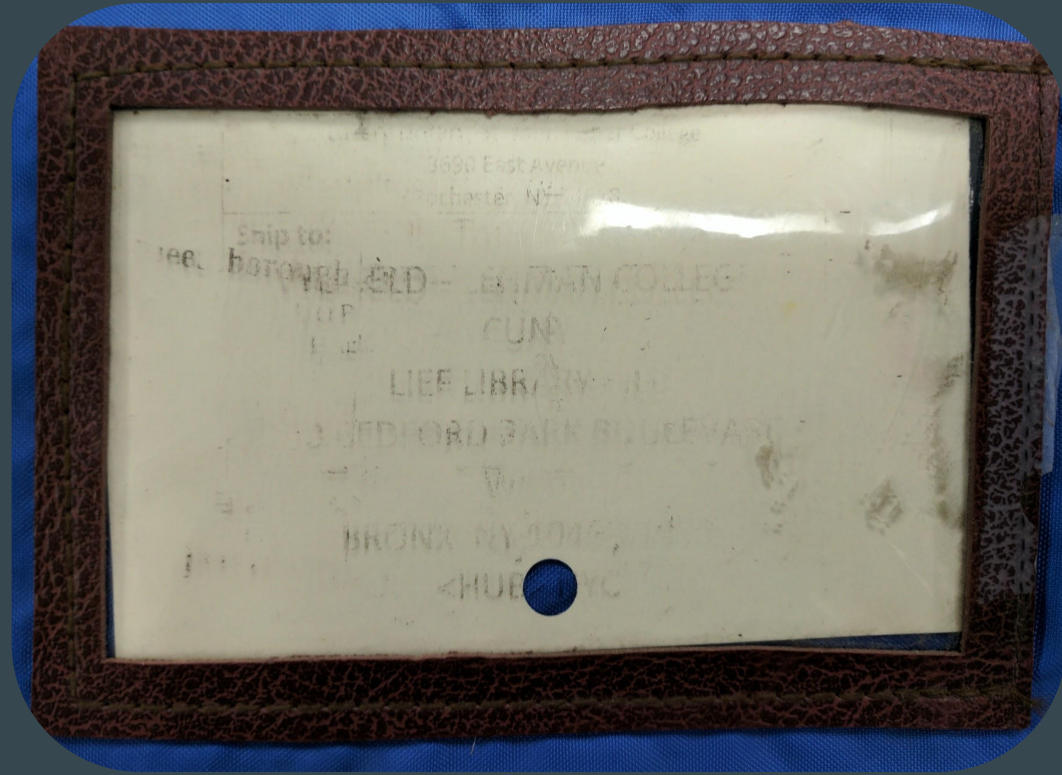
Please Do Not Use Tape

Over time it is destroying the bags

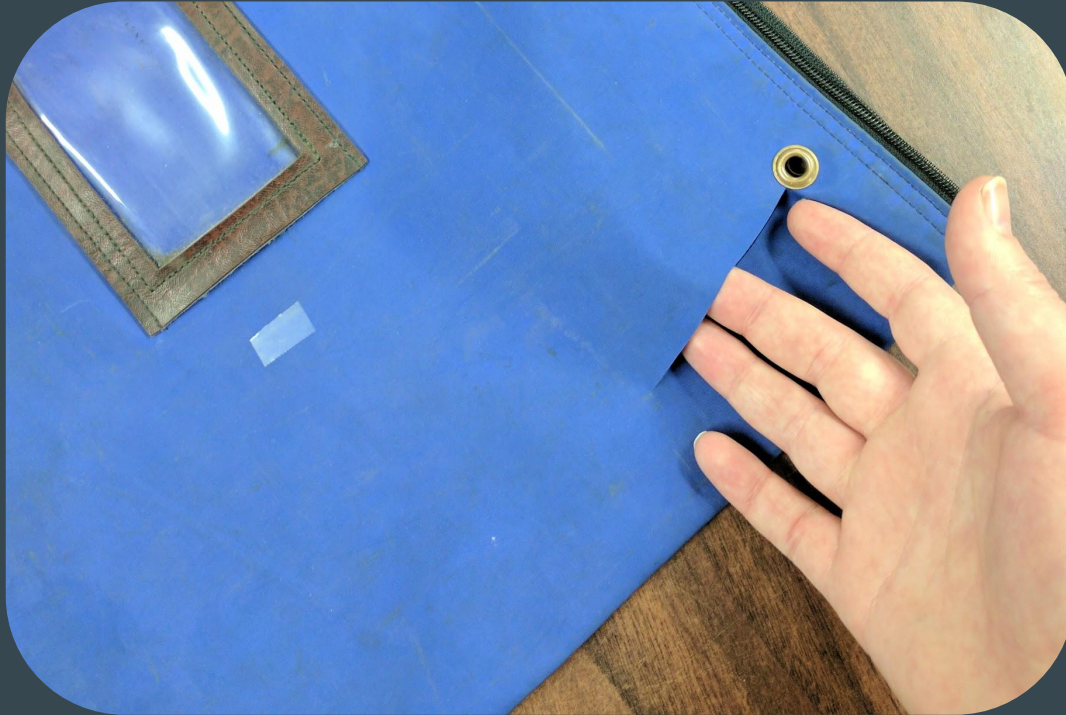


# Cleaning Old Bags

- Ink Stuck to Inside of Windows
- Tape Residue Stuck to Outside of Bag
  - Clean with rubbing alcohol or screen cleaner



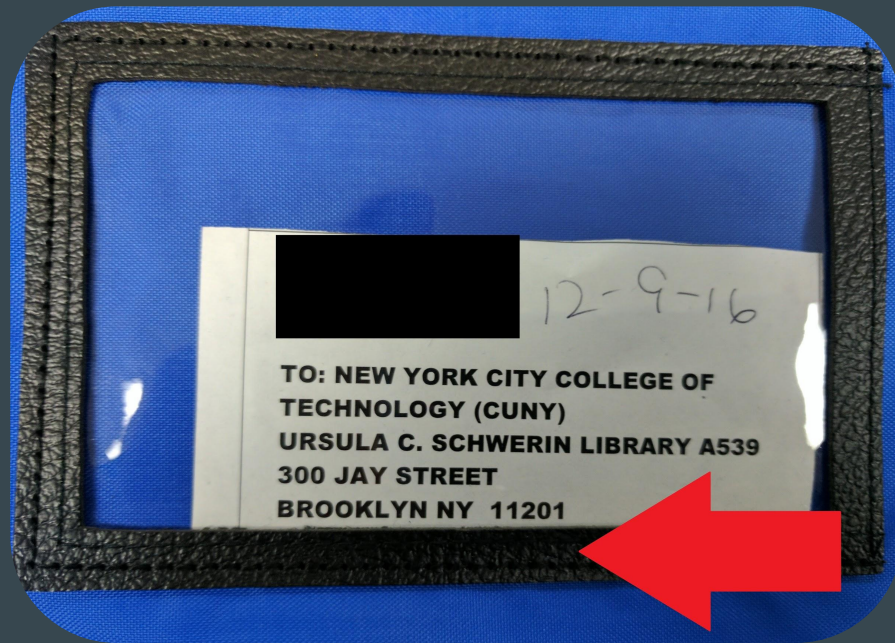
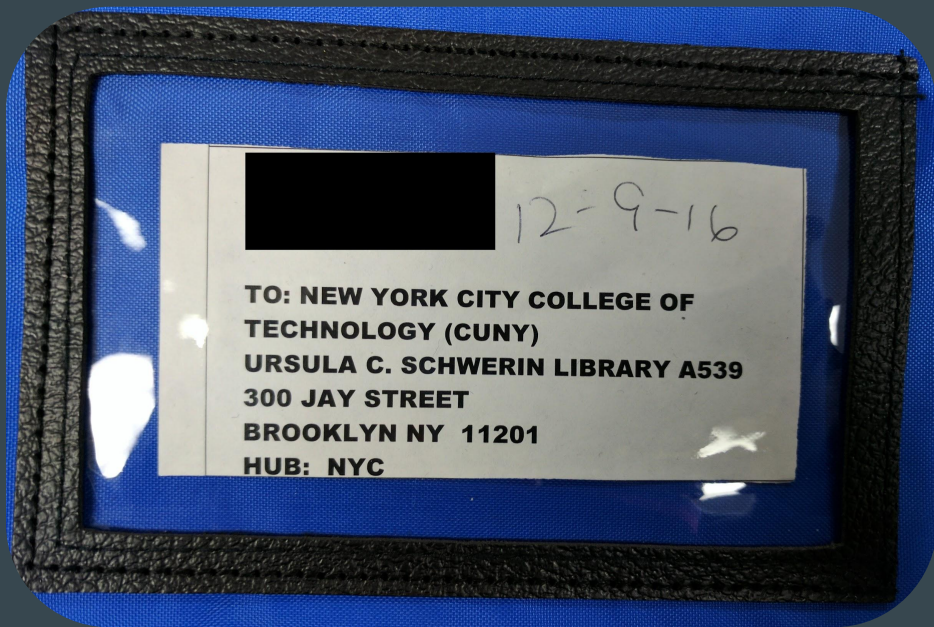
# Ripped Bags



Judgment Call

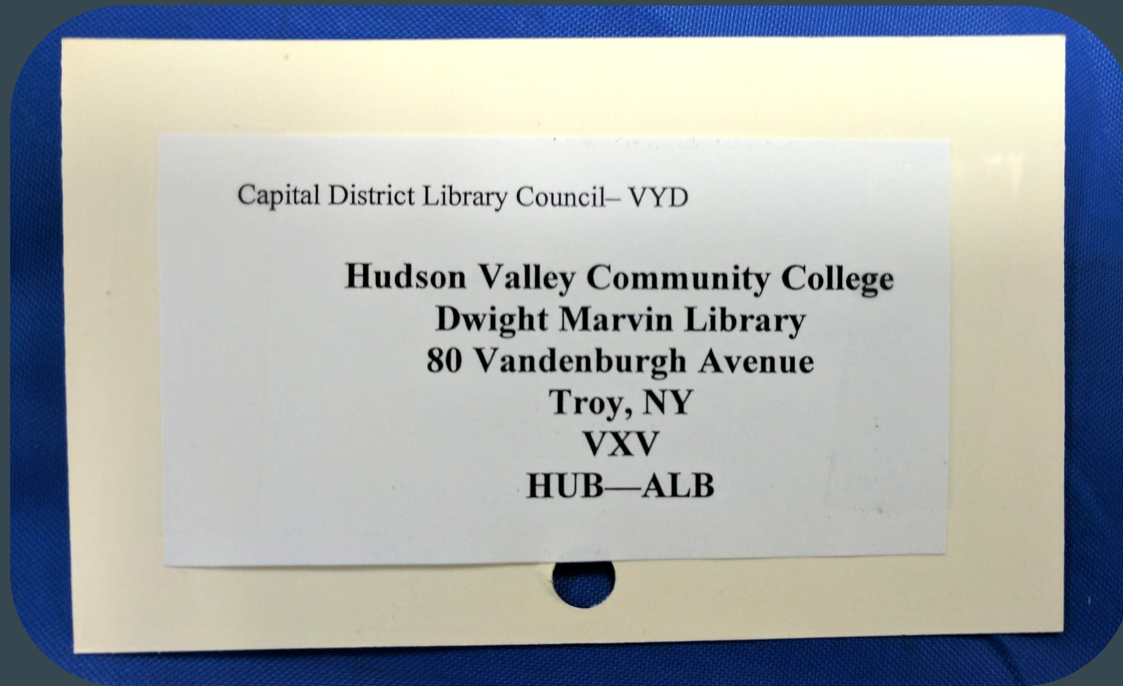


# Best Practice With Labels



Make Sure the Window Edge Doesn't Cover Up the Symbol

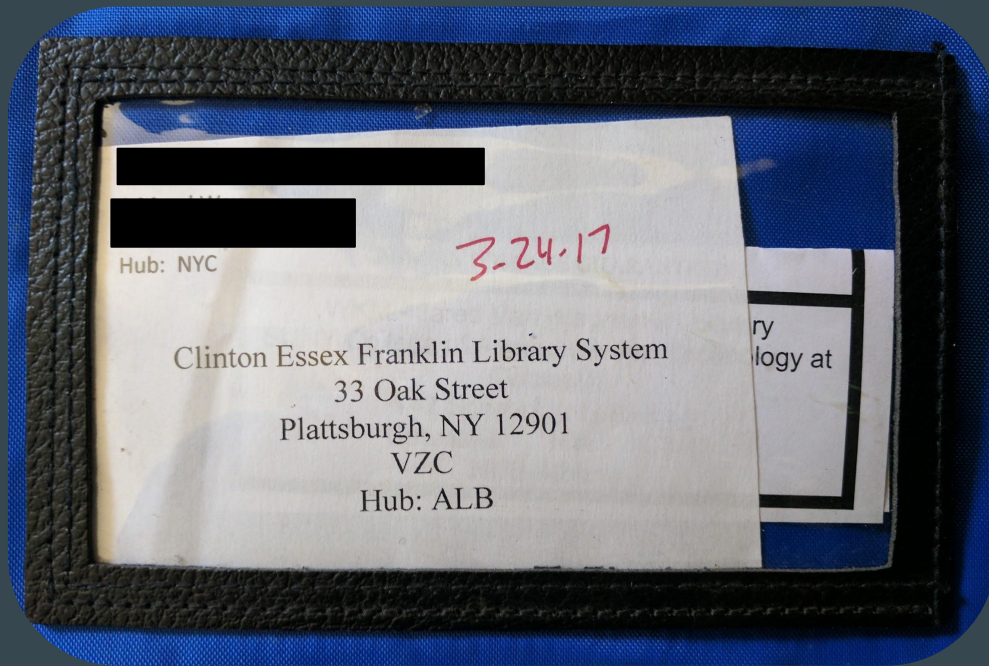
# Best Practice With Labels



Tape It to Something, But Not the Bag

Use a 3 x 5 index card or an old card catalog card

# Best Practice With Labels



Take Out Old Labels Before You Put In a New Ones

Having 2 labels in a window could lead to delivery problems

Questions?  
Comments?

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