

**YALSA Board of Directors Meeting**  
**Via Conference Call**  
**August 26, 2011**

**Topic: Environmental Scan: E-Books**

**Background:**

- [www.libraryjournal.com/lj/home/889452-264/harpercollins\\_puts\\_26\\_loan\\_cap.html.csp](http://www.libraryjournal.com/lj/home/889452-264/harpercollins_puts_26_loan_cap.html.csp)
- Brian Murray, CEO of HarperCollins, discusses the 26-lend policy for ebooks in libraries, Digital Book World.  
[www.digitalbookworld.com/2011/dbw-insights-brian-murray-ceo-of-harpercollins/](http://www.digitalbookworld.com/2011/dbw-insights-brian-murray-ceo-of-harpercollins/)
- Hachette Taking a Close Look at Risks and Benefits of Library Ebook Lending  
Library Journal [www.libraryjournal.com/lj/home/891756-264/hachette\\_taking\\_a\\_close\\_look.html.csp](http://www.libraryjournal.com/lj/home/891756-264/hachette_taking_a_close_look.html.csp)