## Hi Bonnie,

Back in 2020, you expressed an interest in hosting a Texas Writes program at your library when in-person events resumed (post pandemic). I'm writing now to see if you're still interested and to share a link to a simple application so that we can work to set something up.

As a refresher, the Texas Writes program - free writing workshops for adult writers - is supported by a generous grant from the Tocker Foundation (I'm guessing you may already be familiar with the wonderful work they do in support of Texas libraries).

We bring accomplished authors to libraries that service a community of 12,000 or less for a half day of presentations and panel discussions featuring craft topics of interest to local writers. We supply refreshments and we take out advertising locally ahead of the event. It's meant to be a program that requires very little work from the library staff and is a big benefit to the community.

If you're interested in bringing the Texas Writes program to your library, you can fill out this simple application form and we can get started scheduling something. I hope you'll be interested - and please do let me know if you have any questions for me.

## Application:

https://writersleague.org/programs/texas-writes/texas-writes-library-application/

I look forward to hearing back - and I hope you're staying warm in the meantime, Becka

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Join us at an upcoming event:

- 2/4 "Writer's Reset: Mapping Your Writing Goals for 2023" with Julie Poole
- 2/7 New Member Orientation, February 2023
- 2/7 WLT Presents One Page Salon
- 2/8 "Magical Realism: Finding the Extraordinary in the Ordinary" with Alex Temblador
- 2/16 February Third Thursday: "The Creative Spark: Where Writers Find Inspiration"
- 2/18 "Introduction to Screenwriting: From Idea to Script" with Beverly Chukwu
- Check out the 2023 Agents Symposium, a curated year-long experience that will bring writers into a virtual space to connect with and learn from ten literary agents who are at the top of their game.