Louisiana Public Document Depository Program Advisory Council

Spring Meeting

May 10, 2018, from 10:00 a.m. – 10:58 a.m.

Held Virtually: http://slol.adobeconnect.com/pddp-advisory-council-meeting/

Council Members Present: Eric Cartier, Abigail DeSoto, Ellen Jenkins, Jo Ann Palermo (Chair), Carla Pritchett, Jade Wheeler (Secretary)

Council Members Absent: Paula Bryars, Allen Enger, Lynette Templain, Maren Williams

Others Present: Jeannie Brock, Lisa Davenport, Michelle Dawson, Rachael Green, Michele Pope, Carly Searcy, Melanie Sims, Rusty Tryon

- I. Approval of minutes from the fall meeting (November 17, 2017)
 - a. Motion to approve by Ellen
 - i. Discussion on if a quorum is present
 - ii. Quorum is achieved when Carla arrives
 - b. Minutes approved
- II. Open Issues
 - a. Educational Sessions Committee update
 - i. Michele explains that the committee has been on hold while waiting for the Recorder of Documents position to be filled.
 - ii. Agreed to have a special meeting to discuss the update
- III. New business
 - a. Appointment of Representatives (Academic Libraries, Public Libraries, Special Libraries)
 - i. Advisory Council recommends representatives who then need to be approved by State Librarian, Rebecca Hamilton.
 - ii. Currently recommended representatives have been approved by Rebecca
 - 1. Special Libraries Melanie Sims
 - 2. Academic Libraries Carly Searcy
 - 3. Public Libraries Sonnet Ireland
 - iii. Jo Ann emphasizes the need for representative volunteers
 - b. Nominations for officers (Chair and Secretary)
 - i. Jo Ann and Jade's terms are ending.
 - ii. Advisory Council will vote on replacements.
 - iii. The vote needs to take place before July 1st.
 - iv. Jo Ann asks council members to consider volunteering.
 - c. Approval of amendments to the bylaws
 - i. Eric gives an update on the changes originally proposed by Karen

- 1. Removal of election language in favor of recommendation/appointment of members
 - a. Questions raised: what if recommendations are not approved or more than one person is recommended for a position?
 - b. We should incorporate an acceptance of the appointment
- 2. Removal of "Louisiana" in the name
 - a. Council and attendees express much concern over this change.
- 3. Removal of citation
 - a. Michele, Melanie, and Eric believe the citation should be kept.
- 4. Suggestions for changes to the bylaws and/or to the recommended changes should be sent to Jo Ann or Eric.
- 5. Council will vote separately after suggestions are fielded.
- d. Creating a title index by BISAC code
 - i. Michele suggested creating an index created and emailed as well as available on the website.
 - 1. Jo Ann and Eric approve
 - a. Eric can supply shipping list from 2017
 - 2. Voted on by attendees and approved
 - 3. Melanie asks that the list be added to the State Library website
 - a. Eric explains that there may be some concern over hosting information not created by the state library and will look into making it possible.
 - 4. Michele will also add serial volume and issue number
 - 5. Abigail updates on website
 - a. Tech is getting a new website in the summer, Abigail will update with new members
- e. Fall meeting virtual or face-to-face
 - i. Much interest in a face-to-face meeting
 - 1. Lafayette as potential meeting city
 - ii. Abigail and Hayley are planning a face-to-face Federal meeting in the fall
 - 1. LPDDP Advisory Council could potentially meet the same day
 - iii. Attendance not mandatory if unable to travel
- IV. Report by Recorder of Documents
 - a. Eric introduces himself as new Recorder of Documents
 - b. Explains his six-month plan
 - i. Shares document highlighting this plan
- V. Comments
 - a. Jo Ann and Jade's terms as Chair and Secretary end at the end of June
- VI. Meeting adjourned at 10:58 a.m.