



Montana Library Association

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MLA BOARD REPORTS

Office held/Chair of: Director at Large - West

Reported By: Gavin J. Woltjer

Date: June 21, 2017

Progress or Successes Since Our Last Meeting:

Gavin Woltjer was elected at the 2017 Montana Library Association as the Director-at-Large (East). Connor Cote, Director-at-Large (West), stepped down from this position as his family is moving to Seattle, WA. Lisa Mecklenberg-Jackson, MLA President, has asked Ann Kish to fill this vacancy for the period of one year. Kish accepted the offer.

New Issues:

None at this time.

Board Action Requested:

None at this time.

Other Comments:

At the MLA Executive Board Meeting at Boulder Hot Springs in June 2017, three goals were established for the Director-at-Large positions:

1. Partner with other committees (PR/Marketing, Professional Development, and Conference Planning) to help bolster membership to MLA.
2. Convert 20% of lapsed/inactive members to active participation within MLA.
3. Present at conferences about the benefits of MLA membership.

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