FORWARD TOGETHER RESOLUTIONS WORKING GROUP (FTRWG)

March 2021 Update to Council

Jack Martin, Co-Chair
Christina Rodriques, Co-Chair
The newly appointed Working Group will develop resolutions based on the Forward Together Working Group report that provided an analysis of the SCOE recommendations. The resolutions will include the various parameters of the proposed new structure at a conceptual (i.e.: non-Bylaws) level. Council will debate on the various components via the resolution and will continue to work in the development of the resolutions virtually with the goal to bring forward for vote at subsequent Council meetings.
March 2021
  - Virtual Council Meeting - FTRWG will give an update on their work

June 2021
  - Annual Conference (Virtual) - Council will debate, amend, vote on FT Resolutions

June 2021 - January 2022
  - Drafting new bylaws per approved resolutions

January 2022
  - Midwinter council meeting - Approve new bylaws

March/April 2022
  - Staff implementation
OUR WORK

• Approaching charge agnostically

• Resolutions will be evaluated by others outside the working group & by council

• Goal: final resolutions will be brought to council in June

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OUR WORK

• Resolution sub-groups
  • ALA Core Values
  • ALA Executive Board
  • ALA Committees
  • Roundtables
  • Council
  • Leadership Assemblies

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INFORMATIONAL SESSIONS

- April 29, 2021 & May 4, 2021
  - 4:00 pm – 5:15 pm EST
- Open to all ALA Councilors
- Format:
  - 3 topics per session
  - Short presentation sharing current resolution draft
  - Time for open discussion and feedback

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THANK YOU

• Contact us anytime!
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