American Library Association
Committee Information Update

Please note: ALA and Council committees are required to submit an update of their activities within one-month after each Midwinter Meeting and Annual Conference. This form will be sent to the ALA Council and the ALA Committee on Organization.

Report for Midwinter ________

Report for Annual Conference _____X__June 2013_

Name of Committee: COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATION

Committee Chair: VIVIAN R. WYNN

Committee Members Present:
  Vivian Wynn Chair
  Diedre Conking
  Charles Forrest
  Diane Gurman
  Lesliediana Jones
  Nancy Kranich
  Robert Newlen
  Joan Reeves
  Judith Russell
  Duncan Stewart
  Shawn (Strecker) Shaffer
  Elizabeth Johns Intern
  Sarah McHone-Chase Intern

Committee Members Absent:
  Marla Peppers
  Marcellus Turner (resigned from the committee previously)

Others Present:
  Maggie Farrell
  James Jacobs
  Bernadine Abbott
  Bill Sudduth
  Stephanie Vance
  WO Staff

Accomplishments [at this meeting], a concise account:
Reviewed resolutions that were brought to COL
Crafted language for CD #20.4
Discussed and approved language for CD #20.5
Moved and passed new charge for the COL Copyright Subcommittee
Prepared COL report to Council
Planned activities for upcoming year, a concise account:
Adjust conference schedule to not conflict with Council mtgs and to assure that our location on Monday will be in the Conference Center close to the ALA offices and close to the IFC location.

Continue focusing on items that were discussed at the Strategy Session conducted with COL by Maureen Sullivan

Finalize appointments to COL Subcommittees

Continue working on legislative and policy issues that impact libraries.

Continue working with other ALA units on legislative and policy issues.

Other comments/information you believe will help the Association in its work:
Part of the major scheduling problem for COL and our subcommittees is the decreased staff in the WO. It is very difficult to have correct Staff help and involvement at all of our meetings with one less staff person.

Submitted by: _Vivian R. Wynn__________________________

Date Submitted: September 5, 2013______________________________________

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