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 X

Report for Annual Conference ________

Name of Committee: Public and Cultural Programs Advisory Committee

Committee Chair: Terrilyn Chun

Committee Members Present:
Meeting 1 on 1-21-12: Terrilyn Chun (Chair), Deb Robertson (Staff Liaison), Barbara Brattin, Andrea Lapsley, Carolyn Anthony, Monica Chapa Domercq, Mary Morgan Smith, Lisa Wells, Lauren Bradley (Intern)

Meeting 2 on 1-22-12: Terrilyn Chun (Chair), Deb Robertson (Staff Liaison), Andrea Lapsley, Mary Morgan Smith, Kathy Watson, Lauren Bradley, Jennifer Longee, Monica Chopa Domerca, Barbara Brattin and Lisa Wells.

Committee Members Absent:
Meeting 1 on 1-21-12: Patrice Johnson, Jennifer Longee, Kathy Watson
Meeting 2 on 1-22-12: Patrice Johnson, Carolyn Anthony

Others Present:
Meeting 1 on 1-21-12: Cathleen Bourdon (guest) Dora Ho (guest)
Meeting 2 on 1-22-12: None

Accomplishments [at this meeting], a concise account:
Meeting 1 on 1-21-12: Introduced new members, approved meeting minutes from ALA Annual 2011; heard Public Programs Office update from Deb Robertson; heard association update from Dora Ho, ALA executive board liaison; reviewed programs and conferences planned for PLA 2012; reviewed programs planned for ALA 2012; reviewed ideas for PCPAC 2011-2012 work plan.

Meeting 2 on 1-22-12: Discussed continuation of the civic engagement theme for committee programs and activities; reviewed publication, webinar and programs schedule
for programming librarian and the PPO; made assignments for articles, programs, webinars; discussed feasibility of forming a programming librarian roundtable; discussed establishing a Transforming Libraries grant; discussed establishing a Programming Excellence Award.

Other comments/information you believe will help the Association in its work: None.

Submitted by: Terrilyn Chun

Date Submitted: 1-31-12

Please return the completed form to Delores Yates, Executive Board Secretariat, American Library Association, 50 E. Huron Street, Chicago, IL 60611, dyates@ala.org.