

**YALSA Board of Directors Meeting
ALA Annual Conference, New Orleans
June 22 – 26, 2018**

Topic: Adoption & Presentation of Resolutions

Background: Resolutions have been written to recognize the contributions of the following out-going Board members: Clara Bohrer, Sarah Hill, Kate McNair and Jess Snow. Two memorial resolutions are also being presented for Krista McKenzie and Stephanie Squicciarini.

Action Required: New Business

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- Out-going Board Member Resolutions will be presented at Board II
 - Todd Krueger will share the memorial resolution for Stephanie Squicciarini on site

Resolution for Krista McKenzie

Whereas Krista McKenzie was a passionate supporter and active member of YALSA, and

Whereas Krista served on a number of committees, including the Printz Award Committee, Division and Membership Promotion Committee, Strategic Planning Committee, Legislation Committee, Great Books Giveaway Jury, and the *YALS* Journal Advisory Board, and

Whereas Krista even prior to being elected to the YALSA Board was always prepared for board meetings by printing out all the documents and keeping them organized, so she could follow along with the discussions and

Whereas, Krista had a passion and desire to give back to YALSA and support libraries and teens by serving on the YALSA Board, and

Whereas Krista was a mentee in the YALSA Mentor Program, and had a desire to learn all she could about YALSA and teen services in order to give back, and

Whereas Krista was a great board liaison, taking care of her chairs, and knowing what was going on with each one of them, and

Whereas Krista was always willing to share her knowledge and passion for YALSA with members, friends, and even strangers, and

Whereas Krista tirelessly promoted membership engagement and recruitment, volunteered wherever necessary, openly tackled extra responsibilities, and generally made YALSA a priority despite responsibilities in her work at Garrett College and at home, and

Whereas Krista was a was a proponent of YALSA doing more with community colleges and older teens, as well as with small, rural and tribal libraries, and

Whereas Krista always volunteered to staff a YALSA booth at her state library association conferences and handed out YALSA materials at local library gatherings, and

Whereas Krista was a spouse, mother, sister, and daughter who clearly held family very close to her heart, and

Therefore, be it resolved on this 24th day of June 2018, that the YALSA Board of Directors, expresses its sincere sympathy to the McKenzie family and to her colleagues in Maryland and Frostburg State University, as well as to her colleagues and friends throughout the library profession.