MPLA AWARDS COMMITTEE REPORT JULY 23, 2005

The MPLA Awards Committee has put out the call for nominations for the various awards to be given at the awards ceremony in Jackson, Wyoming during our joint conference with the Wyoming Library Association this October. The original deadline was July 15, but we have just extended it to August 12.

Request for nominations have been posted on all member state websites and posted on the MPLA listsery. So far we have five nominations with a promise of two more. We hope to increase the number by extending the deadline. Dan has just put a link to the nomination information on the MPLA home page.

I believe that the committee has met its goals for the year so far.

Members of the committee this year are: Diane Briggs (ND), Rosario Garza (CO), Leroy Gattin (KS), Louis Howley (AZ), Cassandra Osterloh (NM), and Suzanne Taylor (CO).

Respectfully Submitted, Suzanne N. Taylor, Chair