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North Dakota State Representative

January, 2012

**MPLA Activities**

- Submitted an article for MPLA's February newsletter detailing North Dakota library and library association news
- Formed a committee consisting of NDLA President Aubrey, NDLA President-Elect Alfred Peterson, and myself to evaluate North Dakota's applicants to the MPLA Leadership Institute; reported our results to Judy and the LI Committee
- Informed NDLA's President about MPLA's State Association Pre/Post Conference Grants
- Continued to e-mail, tweet, and cajole colleagues statewide to join and renew MPLA, with the rally deadline looming

**North Dakota News**

- The first meeting of NDLA's new executive board was on December 2<sup>nd</sup>; discussed liability insurance, raising conference registration fees, preliminary planning of 2014 conference, legislation affecting school library and media centers
- We had no winter this year, until January 11<sup>th</sup>

Respectfully submitted,

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