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North Dakota Representative

JUNE, 2014

MPLA Activities

- Attended March 2014 MPLA Board Meeting via Teleconference
- Attended NDLA March and May Board Meetings
- Submitted an article to the Good Stuff about grant opportunities through MPLA
- Submitted news to MPLA newsletter about North Dakota libraries

NDLA Activities

- Al Peterson, Conference Chair, submitted a Grant Request to MPLA for a Pre-Conference in September for the Black Belt Librarian and was informed that he will receive the grant. MPLA members will be given a discounted rate if they attend the pre-conference.
- Victor Lieberman, NDLA President, was notified that he received the grant that he submitted to the Otto Bremer Foundation for funding a series of meetings across the state to talk with librarians about the nature and extent of our library funding crisis

North Dakota Library Activities

- The North Dakota State Library will host the Summer Summit at six libraries in early August. The meeting is a regional library management meeting which will include marketing, library standards, social media, e-rate, and emerging technologies.
- The State Library is promoting ALA's Geek the Library to libraries throughout the state.

Respectfully submitted,

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