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Wyoming Representative

September 2023

MPLA Activities

- Communicated with Judy Kulp to get supplies for upcoming conference
- Working on planning & prep for October state conference table
- Planning a session where I will be sharing the opportunities for involvement in boards and associations, including a special focus on MPLA
- Shared MPLA news with WLA Executive Board
- Solicited news items for the newsletter

WLA Activities

- Attended monthly WLA meetings
- Served on WLA Conference Programming Planning Committee
- Preparing to present two sessions at the WLA Conference in October

WLA News

- The Wyoming Library Association annual conference will be held in Casper, Wyoming on October 4-6. The keynote speaker is author/actor Sarah Vowell, and the author luncheon speaker is Jennifer Nielsen.
- Several libraries are still facing intellectual freedom challenges from the Freedom Caucus. The state library has been under pressure to disassociate from ALA. State Librarian Jamie Markus wrote a letter to ALA encouraging them to work with Western library leaders.

Respectfully submitted,  
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