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LIBRARY OPERATIONS COMMITTEE AGENDA Wednesday, August 6, 2025– 10:00 a.m. Microsoft Teams Meeting

- 1) 10:00 A.M. CALL-TO-ORDER Glynis Fitzgerald, Chair, Presiding Recorder; Kristina Uvalle, BG.
- 2) ADOPT AGENDA -
- 3) *APPROVE MINUTES July 9, 2025, by K. Uvalle (BG)
- 4) TECHNICAL
 - a) Updates
 - i) **New Patron Type –** Needs Attention. Admin Council approved the new patron type and the moving of expired patrons who meet the criteria to the new category type.
 - ii) **Ecard Update (PR) –** MW (PR) will give a report on the effectiveness of getting rid of the online eCard option has had on Paso Library patrons.
 - iii) Message Bee Update on where we are with the transition to Message Bee
 - iv) **Hoopla Reindex –** Follow-up on the reindex of Hoopla records in Aspen.
 - b) **Koha/Aspen Issues** Discussion A chance to talk about issues happening in Koha or Aspen.
- 5) NEW PRODUCT DISCUSSION
- 6) ITEMS TO FORWARD
- 7) ADJOURNMENT

Next Meeting: Wednesday, September 3rd. Lompoc.

Distribution: Meg Weber, PR; Shannon St. Arnaud, SM; Dominic Keen, LM; Michelle Homsher, LM; Analise McCully, GO; Brenda Goldy, SP; Directors; Matt Duhon, BG; Glynis Fitzgerald, BG.



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LIBRARY OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MINUTES Wednesday, July 9, 2025– 10:00 a.m. Teams Meeting

- 1) 10:06 A.M. CALL-TO-ORDER Glynis Fitzgerald, Chair, Presiding Recorder; Kristina Uvalle, BG.
- 2) ADOPT AGENDA DK/MW. Approved.
- 3) *APPROVE MINUTES May 7, 2025, by G. Fitzgerald (BG). DK/BG. Approved.
- 4) TECHNICAL
 - a) Patron Purge Discussion Review the results of the 2025 patron record purge. Discuss the possibility of adding an Inactive patron type for dead accounts that cannot be deleted due to the following criteria:

ACTION ITEM: The decision to recommend to the Admin. Council that a new Patron Type – "Needs Attention" be added and be used for inactive patron records that cannot be deleted because of fines and/or fee restrictions.

ACTION ITEM: Black Gold will send out yearly reminders in June to delete any expired eCards, Welcome, and Visitor cards. This will also be a reminder to review any Juvenile or Teen cards that have aged out.

MW (PR) will report back on the effectiveness of eliminating online eCards has had for the Paso Robles Library.

- b) **Koha/Aspen Issues** Discussion A chance to talk about issues happening in Koha or Aspen. Discuss possible changes of global settings to optimize Koha functionality.
- c) **Updates –** Discussion Updates on the status of Cloud 9, Message Bee and other Black Gold projects.

Libraries are still adding Cloud 9 to library computers. Message Bee telephone option is scheduled to go live within the next week.

- 5) NEW PRODUCT DISCUSSION N/A
- 6) ITEMS TO FORWARD New patron type: Needs Attention to Admin Council for approval.
- 7) ADJOURNMENT at 11:25 a.m.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, August 6th. Online.

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