

## **MORE Bibliographic Records and Standards Committee**

### **Meeting Minutes**

**Date and Time:** March 2, 2026, 10:01 am to 11:43 am

**Location:** Virtual

**Present:** Nic Ashman (CVTC Library), Meagan Bennett (Bloomer), Deb Faulhaber (IFLS), Lynn Gates (Eau Claire), Jon George (River Falls), Amy Ginsbach (Hudson), Jeanne Peterson (Chippewa Falls)

**Also Present:** Lori Roholt, Jackee Johnson, Alyson Jones, Julia Reid, Bonnie Clausen, Sara Niese, Jenny Karls, Carol Sundell.

**Absent:** Nick Andrews (Elmwood), Jennifer Rickard (New Richmond)

1. Call to order: Lynn Gates called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.
2. Establish a quorum: Completed
3. Certification of compliance with open meeting law: Compliance was verified.
4. Modify/approve agenda: A motion to approve the agenda was made by Meagan B.; seconded by Deb F. Motion carried.
5. Approve minutes from Dec. 8, 2025: Motion made by Meagan B. to approve the minutes was made by Meagan B.; seconded by Jon G. Motion carried

Announcements:

6. ILS Evaluation Taskforce reaching out to SME volunteers to review parts of the RFI

Old Business:

7. Follow-up from large print vs. larger print decision, can we make the larger print edition statement be first or updated to something like HarperLuxe [larger print]?  
Libraries agreed to make sure that the "larger print" edition statement would be first in the record, so that it will display in the catalog for customers.

Motion made to keep HarperLuxe Larger Print books as a large print format at this time. Committee also recommends going to Wicat about HarperLuxe materials for clarification on the recommended font size for large print as most libraries within IFLS have these books cataloged as large print.

Motion made by Meagan B.; seconded by Jon G. Motion carried.

New Business:

8. Discussion on PCC announcement and an FAQ about discontinuing the use of \$v (form subdivisions) in new cataloging: <https://www.loc.gov/aba/cataloging/subject/form-announcement.pdf>

Lori R. to see if we can get insights into how these are used for searches and to see if we can get data from how customers use the filters.

The committee is to reach out to staff and find out how staff and patrons are searching.

Anyone coming across records without a \$v should reach out to the rest of the committee, so they can see the records as proposed. Library adding record will then add stripped fields back to record after a couple of weeks.

It is recommended that committee members attend the next Wicat meeting on May 13, 2026.

Item tabled at this time and will be revisited at a future meeting.

9. Discussion on adding OLAC video game authorities:

Authority records are already in place and being used

OLAC is not being stripped from incoming records

OLAC's video game vocabulary is more specific than LCGFT

10. Discussion on adopting Wicat best practices and use of local authorities  
Committee would like Wicat to address Easy Chapter Books vs Early Chapter Books as IFLS has moved away from Easy to Early and does not want to go back as this was a decision made with input from children's librarians.

We would also like clarification on LGBTQIA+ People. Is this for any material related to LGBTQIA+. Some materials are law or issue specific rather than focusing on a particular person or group of people. Also, should this be a subject or a genre heading?

Motion made by Meagan B. to table this discussion until we hear back from Wicat; seconded by Jon G. Motion carried.

11. Review IFLS/MORE local subject headings & genres

a. Proposed: Start using the new LCGFT Manhwa in place of current local subject headings Comics (Graphic Works)—Korea (South) & Graphic novels—Korea (South)

This would apply to works from Korea (South) only.

Motion made by Lynn G.; seconded by Jon G. to accept this proposal.  
Motion carried.

IFLS to update appropriate page(s) on website.

b. Proposed: New local subject heading: Lunar new year (subdivided geographically when appropriate)

Chinese New Year and other specific lunar new year headings established by LC would be left in place if it is already in the record and appropriate.

New Year would be left in place if it is already in the record.

The new local heading is: 690 0 Lunar New Year|zName of country. The 450 field will be deleted from the 650 0 New Year authority record if needed to avoid in advertent flips by Backstage.

Motion made by Lynn G, to accept proposal; seconded by Meagan B.  
Motion carried.

IFLS to advise BackStage of change and update website

12. Adjourn: Meeting adjourned at 11:43 a.m.