

## MORE Administrator's Report

November 2020 – MORE Directors Council

### New and possibly-new MORE-member libraries

LSTA funds will be available in the current grant cycle for public libraries in Wisconsin that are not members of an ILS/resource-sharing consortium (like MORE) to join. Fairchild Public Library signed the MORE Participation Agreement, and Durand Community Library is still in discussions. Hawkins Area Library and Cornell Public Library seem unlikely to join at this time. The last library to join MORE was Ogema in 2012.

### Expanded CABS Service

We're still on track to start a centralized cataloging service—an expanded CABS program—in 2021. Information about the service is posted on the IFLS website: <https://iflsweb.org/knowledge-base/cabs/>

### MORE App Workgroup

As noted in this week's TWAM newsletter, the 2020 and 2021 MORE budgets include funds for a mobile app, but MORE has not committed to purchasing an app product yet. There are a couple of newly-available app options for MORE to explore, so I'd like to convene a workgroup/ad hoc committee to consider the options and make a recommendation to Directors Council. Any directors or staff interested in serving on that workgroup should complete [this form](#) by December 3.

### Year-end projects

You can also find these projects, forms, and deadlines in TWAM.

- Closed dates: Submit your library's (anticipated!) 2021 closed dates with [this form](#) by December 7.
- Volunteer for a MORE Committee: any staff or directors interested in serving on a MORE advisory committee—including current committee members—should complete [this form](#) by December 9.
- Data clean-up: In preparation for the 2020 annual report, please help us help you get your data in order! See an email sent to directors from MORE Project Manager Bridget Krejci on November 12. The deadline to respond is December 18.