
RAILS Member Update Agenda
Thursday, September 29, 2022
10 a.m. - noon

Note: Those attending via Zoom can type any questions or comments they have at any time during the update session in the Zoom chat box. Please use the “All panelists and attendees” option.

1. Welcome – Deirdre Brennan, RAILS Executive Director
2. Update on New/Proposed Legislation
 - New procedures for filling public library trustee vacancies after they have been open for 90 days – Greg McCormick, Illinois State Library
 - Update on RAILS Statewide Access to Online Resources Proposal – Deirdre Brennan
 - Expansion of Cards for Kids Act (Public Act 102-0843) – Deirdre Brennan
 - New law creating Decennial Committees on Local Government Efficiency Act – Joe Filapek
 - Proposed Amendment to Local Records Act – Monica Harris
3. General RAILS News – Deirdre Brennan
 - Update on new RAILS Strategic Plan – Monica Harris
 - New RAILS staff – Deirdre Brennan
 - RAILS at Illinois Library Association and Association of Illinois School Library Educators conferences – Mary Witt
 - Other
 - Opportunity for attendees to ask questions
4. School Library Data Project Update – Janette Derucki
5. Update on Other RAILS Services and Activities
 - RAILS Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Plans for FY 2023 – Joe Filapek
 - Find More Illinois Special Offer – Anne Slaughter
 - World Languages Cataloging Program – Nincy George
 - RAILS Continuing Education – Joe Filapek

- Explore More Illinois – Jessica Barnes
 - New and upcoming RAILS deals and discounts – Leila Heath
 - Opportunity for attendees to ask questions
6. Opportunity for Members to Share Their Library News
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