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RAILS Member Update Agenda

Thursday, November 12, 2026
3:00-4:00 p.m.

1. Welcome – Monica Harris, RAILS Executive Director
2. General RAILS News – Monica Harris, RAILS Executive Director
3. Illinois Library Legislative Update – Paul Mills, Fountaindale Public Library District Executive Director
4. Grants for Small Libraries – Leander Spearman, Belleville Public Library Director & Travis Givens, Tolono Public Library Director
5. RAILS Virtual Vendor Fair – Kortni Springer, RAILS Library Resources Specialist & Maggie Thomann, RAILS Library Resources Supervisor
6. Library News
7. Other
8. Adjourn

Details:

- **Zoom:** This event is formatted as a Zoom Webinar.
- **Microphones:** All attendees will be muted on entry. Please keep your mic muted during the presentation portion.
- **Questions**: Attendees 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 so everyone can see your comments.
- **Recording**: This event is being recorded. The recorded version of this event will be available from the RAILS YouTube channel.