

Prospector Document Delivery Committee Meeting  
Wednesday, November 2nd, 2016  
10:00 am – Noon  
Colorado Alliance of Research Libraries

1. Introductions.

Libraries with representatives at the meeting: The Alliance, Arapahoe Library District, Auraria, Colorado State Publications, University of Colorado Boulder, University of Denver, University of Northern Colorado

Libraries with representatives attending online: Colorado Christian University, Colorado Mesa University, Colorado State University, Denver Public Library, Eagle Valley Library District, Health Sciences, Jefferson County Public Library, Loveland Public Library, Marmot, Mesa County Public Library, Pitkin County Public Library, Regis, University of Colorado at Colorado Springs, University of Denver Law, Vail Public Library

2. Announcements

a) Prospector news & updates

DU has migrated to Alma and is still in the process of setting up a new connection to Prospector. CSU, CSU Pueblo and Health Sciences are all migrating to Alma.

The Alliance is now managing a DCB (Direct Consortial Borrowing) box which should help with some libraries using non-III systems who want to connect to Prospector. Anythink, Douglas County and High Plains library systems are all planning to join Prospector in 2017. Only High Plains is an Innovative system, the others will use the DCB.

Longmont and Lafayette joined the Flatirons consortium.

Denver Public is changing their DCB setup to an API which allows them to connect directly to Prospector and should help address ongoing problems such as low fulfillment rates.

b) Prospector statistics

c) Prospector Directors meeting – November 9th

3. Marmot update

Marmot noted that they have had success working with III to get an affordable price for a SIP2 sorter setup. Contact Jimmy Thomas at Marmot if you'd like more information.

4. Mobius update

New sites include libraries in Iowa and Texas.

Mobius has a label maker that we may convert for Prospector use, Rose is testing.

5. Migration presentation/discussion – DPL

Jennifer Hoffman presented information about the DPL migration from a Direct Consortial Borrowing setup to using an API connection to Prospector. During the first

week of November, III is scheduled to de-contribute DPL records from Prospector and all pending Prospector requests will be cancelled. Old transactions are being cleaned up and DPL will include materials due this year as well as 2015 in the current reconciliation lists. Reloading records into Prospector is scheduled to be completed by mid-November. Feel free to email Jennifer with questions.

6. BIBFRAME and the Alliance

The idea for a BIBFRAME product was developed out of the Library Collection Analysis Tool which can convert standard MARC into MARC XML which is used by BIBFRAME. BIBFRAME makes library materials findable in Google. The Alliance would like to develop a product that could be used by Alliance libraries and marketed to others. It could be used to surface all records or just to highlight a specific collection. The Alliance is working with Jeremy Nelson at Colorado College to explore possibilities.

Jimmy Thomas from Marmot also noted that the newest version of Pika, Marmot's discovery layer, includes BIBFRAME.

7. Shoutbomb (SMS notifications) and Prospector transactions –

Brandon Cole from Marmot shared information about using SQL with III to make Prospector items included in text messages using the SMS service Shoutbomb. He welcomes additional questions from others working with Shoutbomb.

8. Other issues and updates

- a) Reconciliation process is ongoing, please submit lists to David Britt.
- b) Courier issues – are we anticipating increased courier traffic related to several big libraries joining Prospector? Rose will follow up with CLiC about this question.

Next scheduled meeting: February 15, 2017

Notes submitted by Sarah Vaughn