

**Network Advisory Council (NAC) 2013 Retreat
Tuesday, July 9, 2013
Bozeman Public Library Small Meeting Room
9:00 am – 4:00 pm**

Group Three Retreat Activity: Build your own statewide projects list
NAC members: Kathy Mora, Carly Delsigne, Susan Gregory, Brett Allen, Richard Quillin
Facilitator: Lauren McMullen

Community Development and Partnerships

Your group has \$20,000 in LSTA funding to spend on projects that encourage Montana librarians to develop community partnerships that expand public programming in libraries across the state and engage librarians in the ongoing development of their local communities.

Your Library Development staff includes several library consultants with both general and specialty areas of focus. One consultant's specialty area is digitization, including digital rights management, software, equipment and metadata creation. Another consultant's specialty is e-rate, bandwidth and PCC support. A third consultant focuses on lifelong learning, community development and partnerships and digital literacy.

The funding cannot be used to cover any costs of employees carrying out the responsibilities of their positions. No funding can be used for marketing. Any services, events or products purchased with the funding must be completed or received by September 30, 2014, which is the deadline for spending these funds.

Please designate each item on your list as a pilot, project or program and be prepared to discuss the timeline for launch, implementation and evaluation for each based on its designation.