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Memo

To: Montana State Library Commission

From: Jennie Stapp, State Librarian

Date: December 5, 2016

Re: Recommendation for approval of the FY '18 Land Information Plan from the Montana Land Information Advisory Council

The Montana Land Information Advisory Council (MLIAC) approved the FY '18 Land Information Plan at its December 5, 2016 meeting. Staff and the Council have discussed adopting a two-year Land Plan that allows more time for grantees and staff to work towards the Land Plan goals and to more effectively evaluate work resulting from the Land Plan in order to better inform future planning. To that end, this year's Land Plan is largely an update of the Land Plan that was approved for FY '17.

We respectfully submit the plan to the Commission with a recommendation for approval at the December Commission meeting.