



*Resolution honoring and remembering Jane Lopp,
board member for ImagineIF Libraries.*

- Whereas,* the Montana library community lost a champion and friend on April 21, 2017 when Jane Lopp passed away;
- Whereas,* Jane enthusiastically served on the ImagineIF Libraries board since July 2008;
- Whereas,* Jane led the way in participating wholeheartedly in the Montana library community;
- Whereas,* Jane freely shared her wisdom and humor in order to bring out the best in all of us;
- Whereas,* Jane was famous for saying “we plant trees we will never see for people we will never know” and
- Whereas,* Jane lived that value in her own community and in ours through her support and encouragement of us to think first of others and then follow our dreams;
- Therefore* That the Montana State Library Commission
be it 1. Recognizes the legacy that Jane left us with her
resolved tireless advocacy for libraries and communities;
 2. Honors the memory of her humor and insight that
 led us to better decisions; and
 3. Wishes to let Jane’s family and the ImagineIf
 Library staff and Board know how very much the
 State Library and the broader library community
 appreciated Jane’s work and wisdom.

Bruce Newell, Chairman