

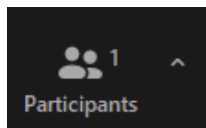


Webseite Chat
with Jennie Stapp
February 10, 2023

Zooming like a pro!

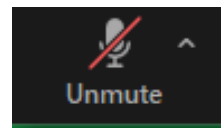
Rename Yourself

- Open “Participants”
- Hover over your name
- Click “Rename”
 - Include your name, library, and role



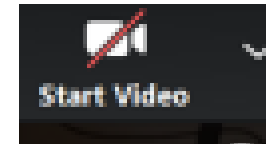
Audio

- Remain muted unless speaking to avoid background noise. Click “unmute” to speak up.
- If you do not have a microphone, you can call in on a phone.



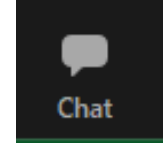
Video

- We love seeing your smiling faces, but if you prefer to, you can turn video off by clicking “Stop Video” in the lower left-hand corner of the Zoom screen.



Chat

- Click the “Chat” icon to add your comments or questions.





Webside Chat

- MSL Updates
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2023 Legislative Session

HB 91: Revise laws related to public library state aid

Passed the House and heading to the Senate!

SB 60: Establish enterprise fund for Montana spatial real time network

Passed out of Committee and awaiting Senate floor action.

HB 343 Generally revise library geospatial and natural resource information laws

Passed by (H) Natural Resources and awaiting House floor action.

2023 Library Legislative Night



A Word from MLA Government Affairs



Luncheon for Congressmen in Washington, D. C. at ALA. Eleanore Ahlers, Lee Metcalf, and Mrs. LeRoy Anderson are entertained by Alma Jacobs, Dick Darling, Eilene Merrison, Natalie Slepceovich, and Ruth Longworth.



What Can You Do?

- Be informed!
- Monitor bills on the [Montana Legislature website](#)
- Connect with MLA Government Affairs Committee
- Connect with local government officials

MSL Commission Meeting

February 8, 2023

Access meeting materials
in ASPeN



View the meeting
recording in the MSL
YouTube Channel

1-Minute Balance Break



- ✓ Stretch
- ✓ Look Away from Your Screen
- ✓ Think About Any Questions You Have

MMP is now the Montana History Portal

The screenshot displays the Montana History Portal website. At the top left is the Montana State Library logo with the tagline "A GREATER STATE OF KNOWLEDGE". The main header reads "MONTANA HISTORY PORTAL" and includes navigation links for "Get Involved", "About", and "Help". Below the header is a dark blue navigation bar with "Contributors", "Collections", and "Exhibits". A large historical photograph of men and horses working with hay is featured, with a semi-transparent "Item Title" label overlaid. Below the image is a light blue banner with the text: "The Montana History Portal is a free online hub for Montana cultural institutions to share their collections with the public." The central section is titled "Search Our Database" and contains a search input field, a "Search" button, and four filter dropdown menus: "Format", "Date", "Within Data", and "Search For". At the bottom, a summary bar shows: "Collections (183)", "Contributors (90)", "Exhibit Narratives (26)", "Images (26)", and "Show All... (81,675)".



Information and News Sources











- MSL Website
- Newsletters
- MSL Help Desk
- WIRED List Serv
- ASPeN Events Calendar
- MSL YouTube Channel
- Email/call any MSL staff member

By the Numbers – MSL Dashboards

Home > About > Publications > Statistics > Dashboards

Dashboards

Unless otherwise noted, data is reported by state fiscal year (July 1–June 30). Dashboard layouts may change as new programs and metrics are added. Current year data are presented as an ongoing collection.

 <p>MSL WORK PLAN Current agency work plan dashboards</p>	 <p>MSL QUARTERLY FINANCIAL REPORT A report of financial data from the most recent quarter</p>	 <p>MSL PROGRAMS Highlights from select programs at MSL for the current year</p>
 <p>STATE AID Explore how library State Aid impacts the Treasure State</p>	 <p>PUBLIC LIBRARIES SURVEY Montana PLS dashboards and IMLS tools</p>	 <p>FEDERATION REPORTS Annual reports for federation expenditures</p>
 <p>HOT SPOT PROGRAM Hot spot lending program data</p>	 <p>LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT Library Development Plan goals and projects</p>	 <p>LIBRARY KB TRENDS MSL library development knowledge base trends</p>
 <p>MSC ONLINE CATALOG Montana Shared Catalog online use and search trends</p>		

Questions?



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Next Webside Chat
Friday, March 10, 2023

