

## **MEMO**

**To:** Montana State Library Commission

From: Robyn Scribner, Chair, Jennie Stapp, State Librarian

Subject: Initial Commission goals discussion

Date: December 1, 2025

Description	Responsible parties	Date due	Status
Finalize Continuing Education handbook and			
course catalog			
<ul> <li>Notice of rules adoption filed with Secretary of State</li> </ul>	MSL staff	January 13, 2026	
<ul> <li>Draft handbook presented to Commission for discussion</li> </ul>	MSL staff	February 2026	
<ul> <li>Commission considers action to adopt handbook</li> </ul>	Commission	April 2026	
<ul> <li>Commission considers action to adopt initial course catalog</li> </ul>	Commission	April 2026	
Consider Public Library Standards language changes	Commission	Pending	
<ul> <li>Review initial suggested language proposed by Commissioner Cuthbertson</li> </ul>	Commission	February 2026	
Better understand Artificial Intelligence and its application for MSL			
<ul> <li>Presentation from State Chief Al Officer</li> </ul>	Jennie	Pending	
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Consider when to initiate Public Library Standards reviews			
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Improve communication with library community			
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