

DECEMBER 2020 UPDATE TO MEMBERS

Colleagues and Friends,

MCPL TASK FORCE AND BOARD MEETINGS ARE MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

TASK FORCE: The next meeting of the MCPL Task Force and Library Board will be on **Monday, December 21**. The [information packet](#) for the **10:00 a.m.** meeting plans for a discussion on reasons for either remaining with WVLS or moving to SCLS.

Persons wishing to attend the meeting by computer or phone may log or call into the conference beginning ten (10) minutes prior to the start time indicated above using the following website: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/226585205> or call (Toll Free) 1 866 899 4679 or 1 571 317 3116. Access Code: 226-585-205.

LIBRARY BOARD: The Library Board meeting will follow the Task Force meeting at **12:00**. The information packet for the meeting is available [here](#).

Persons wishing to attend the meeting by computer or phone may log or call into the conference beginning ten (10) minutes prior to the start time indicated above using the following website: <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/503293397> or call (Toll Free): 1 866 899 4679. or 1 571 317 3116, Access Code: 503 293 397.

DOCUMENTS ATTACHED

- A [letter](#) from Pat Pechura, Oneida County Library Board Chair, to Sharon Hunter, MCPL Board President, regarding
- A [response](#) from MCPL Business Manager, Tom O'Neill to MCPL Task Force and Board member, Gary Beastro, regarding how the library will cover the additional costs in service should Marathon County decide to join the South Central Library System.

FOR FURTHER REFERENCE

The Marathon Co. Public Library System Exploration Information [and Updates page](#) on the WVLS website includes information about MCPL Task Force meetings since January along with the letters mentioned above. Anyone with an interest in the MCPL Task Force process and future of WVLS should take the time to read this information. MCPL also maintains its own Task Force web page [here](#).

WI Statute [43.18](#) outlines the process for a county withdrawing from a library system. The earliest date Marathon County could withdraw is January 2022, following adoption by 2/3 vote of a resolution by the Marathon County Board of Supervisors at least 6 months prior to the close of the system's fiscal year.

Please feel free to contact me with any thoughts, questions or concerns you may have about the information shared in this update. Your feedback is always welcome!

Warmest regards,

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