



## **V-Cat Bibliographic and Interface Committee Meeting Report October 26, 2021**

### **Meeting was held by remote attendance only (GoTo Meeting).**

**Present:** Chris Luebbe, Cheryle Miller, Emily Mueller, Heidi O'Hare, Maria Pregler, Laurie Renel-Faledas, Pat Schmitt.

**Others:** Rachel Metzler, Cathy Oelrich, Katie Zimmermann.

Chris Luebbe called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

### **Magazine record display in Aspen and recommendation to V-Cat Council on call numbers and volumes**

- MARC field 250 Edition statement will allow the magazine's year to display in Aspen. Field will be added to 2022 bibs and existing magazine bibs going back 5 years.
- At present, Aspen is displaying the content of the Volume field only. Can it be set to display BOTH Call No. and Volume?
- NOTE: During the course of this discussion, Aspen called. The answer is "Yes".
- When Rachel sends the email announcing addition of the 2022 magazine bibs, she will suggest/request libraries make sure month and year of the issue is present in EITHER the Call No. or Volume field.
- Probable eventual recommendation for VCAT Council.

### **Aspen Formats overview and discussion**

- Committee discussed what/how we want material formats to display in Aspen.
- Book, eBook, Audiobook, Large print, Sound disc, Atlas, etc.
- Aspen pulls information from the MARC record - not from Sierra fixed fields. Aspen uses Leader, 007 field, 3xx fields, and others.

### **Aspen Facets overview and discussion**

- Committee discussed the many facets for narrowing search terms available in Aspen.
- Which do we want to include? Helpful, not overwhelming.
- Again, Aspen pulls information from the MARC record - not from Sierra fixed fields.

### **Which details to show in the top details section of a record when displayed in Aspen**

- Katie will solicit suggestions from Committee members via email. Please respond to her individually, DO NOT choose "Reply all".

### **Item status mapping in Aspen**

- Committee discussed how we want the various Sierra Item statuses to map to the Aspen status display options.
- Example: Sierra "Damaged", "Display/Event", "Withdrawn", "Lost", "Missing", "Billed" (among others) all map to Aspen "Currently Unavailable".
- Items which are not requestable in Sierra may be suppressed in Aspen's display.

- Noted that different libraries may use the same Sierra status in different ways.

**Request for agenda items**

- Aspen/ILS/Minimum required MARC fields/Review of Z39.50 Quality Control Recommendation/Pre-pub bibs.

**Set next meeting date:** December 7, 2021 10:00 a.m.

Meeting adjourned 12:00 p.m.

*Notes created by Chris Luebbe, November 2, 2021*