

#### 6.6.2 *Kinds of Committees*

The following kinds of committees will be one of the three types defined above: standing, special, or ad hoc, depending on the life and objectives of the committee established.

- 1) *Advisory*. An advisory committee evaluates programs, policies, or projects and recommends courses of action. It may function either within the structure of ALA or with an outside organization.
- 2) *Coordinating*. A coordinating committee receives information from two or more sub-units and supervises the integration of the work of those units.
- 3) *Interdivisional*. An interdivisional committee, composed of members from two or more divisions of the Association, promotes projects or programs in which there is overlapping interest.
- 4) *Joint*. A joint committee develops and carries out programs of mutual interest, exchanges information, or discusses matters of mutual concern with an organization or organizations outside ALA.