

NMRT Board Member Planning Report

1. Office Name: Past President

2. Office Term (Date: Ex. 2005-2006): 2011-2012

3. How do you plan to help committees address the four NMRT goals? (If it does not apply, put N/A.)

I will oversee the selection of the NMRT sponsored Emerging Leader. This program nurtures professional involvement and growth in librarianship.

I will support and supervise the Nominating Committee as they gather names of those members interested in running for NMRT board positions.

I will continue to be available via email, phone, and text as a resource for those with NMRT questions and concerns.

4. How do you plan to create a positive committee experience? What type of support do you plan to provide to chairs and committee members, and how often do you plan to provide such support?

I will keep in constant contact with my committee chair offering advice and assistance. As part of their Connect space, I can be actively involved in all the communications and documentation the committee creates. I plan to keep a positive attitude and to encourage new ideas.

5. What future directions do you see your office or NMRT needing to take this year or the following year? What kind of strategies do you envision for addressing projects that affect committees outside of your supervision?

The Nominating Committee is in an exciting stage of development. Sound boarding off last year committee accomplishments, I see this year and future years pushing for more use of electronic resources. While I will not be directly involved with other NMRT committees, I plan to answer any questions I can and make myself available as a reference for what NMRT has done in the past.

6. Date of report: September 8, 2011

7. Submitted by: Deana Groves