

**Minutes**  
**INSPIRE Advisory Committee Meeting**  
**February 16, 2010**  
**Indiana State Library**  
**Room 425 10 a.m.**

Chairperson Lynn Hobbs called the meeting to order. Committee members attending included: Chris Bishop, Edith Campbell, Becky Cole, Kirsten Leonard, Trisha Shively, John Keller, Lori Duggan and Susan Wheeler on the phone. Staff from the State Library included Jacob Speer, Jim Corridan and Catherine Lemmer.

### **Agenda & Minutes**

The agenda for the meeting and minutes from the November 13th meeting were approved.

### **State Library Update**

**RFP:** Speer stated that the State Library issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) for INSPIRE databases on December 30<sup>th</sup> and the deadline to apply was February 12. A school librarian, two academic librarians (one from a university and one from a community college), and a public librarian will review the proposal along with State Library staff. The State Library hopes to have best and final offers made to potential database vendors by early April. Department of Administration rules prevent additional details from being discussed.

**Transition 360 Search:** Speer reported INSPIRE will be transitioning from WebFeat to 360 search. This change is due to Serial Solutions purchasing WebFeat and making the decision to move all its customers to 360 search. Serial Solutions has told the State Library that search results will be returned quicker than WebFeat also 360 Search will provide clustered search results. The transition to the new search engine will likely occur in mid-June. The State Library will offer trainings for library staff on the new search engine beginning this spring before it goes live. The State Library is working on updating the INSPIRE home page. The intent of the update is to simply the interface and make it easier to use.

**Senate Bill 84:** Corridan reported that lawmakers are considering legislation to allow access to research tools used by state colleges and universities. Corridan has met with Senator Delph, the bills author, and INSPIRE will likely be the portal that lawmakers and Legislative Services staff use to access databases such as Lexis-Nexis and Westlaw.

**Marketing:** Speer reported that radio ads promoting TERC continue to be aired on NPR affiliates across the state and on Network Indiana stations. During the 2010-2011 school year Emmis Communication will continue to make monthly stops at a high school

football or basketball game. Demonstrations of INSPIRE will be given and bookmarks and posters will be given away.

**Statistics:** Speer distributed a handout and reviewed the 2009 calendar year statistics. The handout included database sessions, total searches, and full text.

### **Old Business**

No Old business was discussed.

### **New Business**

No new business was discussed.

### **Announcements**

April 16 and 22 were discussed as possible meeting dates. Speer reported that he would e-mail the committee with a date once it is confirmed.

### **Meeting Adjourned**