

2025 Summer SALSA Consortium Meeting

Friday, June 27th 2025

10am – 12pm

NM Office of the State Engineer Library
407 Galisteo St STE 102, Santa Fe, NM 87501

Minutes:

- Joseph Angelo called the meeting to order at 10:25am.
- Introduction / Coffee & Snacks:
 - Attendees: Joseph Angelo (New Mexico State Library), Bradley Carrington (NMSL), Joseph McKenzie (Martha Liebert Public Library), Susan Sheldon (Office of the State Engineer), Heather McClure (Fray Angélico Chávez History Library), Kyle Olmon (Museum of International Folk Art), Sarah Obenauf (NMSL), Amy Padilla (National Hispanic Cultural Center)
- Approve the agenda: Susan moved to approve as presented; seconded. Passed.
- Approve minutes from the Winter 2024 meeting: Amy moved to approve as presented; seconded. Passed.
- Comments from the public: No comments from the public.
- Review MOU and By-laws
- News from member libraries
 - **OSE:** Susan is leaving OSE and her last day is Monday, June 30, 2025. Please give potential catalogers who may be interested in working at OSE library the OSE library email (OSE.Library@ose.nm.gov). OSE library will be closed for the first two weeks in July 2025.
 - **FACHL:** No book sale this summer as originally planned; advice on having a successful book sale is welcome. Working through donations. Vacancies at NMHM: Head Curator, Deputy Director. Work continues on Baumann collection and is available online with the Hewett collection. In conjunction with MOA's current Baumann exhibit, FACHL/NMHM will present a panel in September 2025. MLIS intern from SJSU is working on Living Treasures project. Staff is looking to apply for a digitization grant for the Living Treasures project. Strategic plan is done.
 - **MOIFA:** 1st book sale in 10 years took place on June 20-21, 2025, with 284 attendees. Sold 1200 books and magazines (total of 56 boxes) and lots of

hoops to jump through. New Dymo label printer is working and has plans to get started on some original cataloging.

- **NHCC:** New compact shelving has been installed. New circulating collection is on the horizon. Hope to recruit more volunteers and increase number of open hours at library. Working on an early literacy program with Navajo Elementary (provide games, books, and other early literacy items in backpacks to students); intern starting the 1st week of July 2025 will be helping. Cataloging continues (NMSL agreed to visit in the near future to help); working on getting OCLC subscription ironed out (Brad suggested SkyRiver from Clarivate as an alternative to OCLC). Work continues on exhibits as well.
- **MLPL:** \$370K GO Bond will help pay to re-do lighting in building. Also needed: new windows, flooring, and carpeting. \$240K grant from Mid-Regional Council of Governments is paying for a youth developmental program (Young Renaissance Scholars Program); 100% free to attendees. In addition to Joseph as director, MLPL now has 2 full-time professional librarians and 1 paraprofessional. Summer reading is in full swing with programs and activities every day.
- **NMSL:** New Southwest Librarian; new Public Services Bureau Chief; Joseph Angelo is now Technical Services Bureau Chief; Sarah Obenauf is now Librarian Supervisor and database/ILS administrator; Bradley Carrington stepped down as Technical Services Bureau Chief and is now happily cataloging full-time. There are some vacancies throughout NMSL.
- Old business
 - *CSF (College of Santa Fe) item records discussion: SFPL (Santa Fe Public Library) already has those records in their possession. NMSL TSB also has copies of the records on an external drive. The records are safe to delete.*
- New business
 - *Susan leaving OSE – thank you for your hard work and enjoy your retirement!*
 - */Z in the call number field – if you see it, delete it. If you have questions, contact Sarah at NMSL.*
 - *NM State Archives joining SALSA – Update – preliminary scaffolding in ILS has been done; still waiting on SRCA to sign MOU.*
- Adjourn: Bradley moved to adjourn; seconded. Passed. Meeting adjourned at 12pm.