

NDLA Finance Committee Report to Executive Board
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Committee Activities December through February

January review the tax information as it pertains to NDLA. Checked on the ND State web for mileage rate. I could not find a change.

Through email the committee audited the books and found all to be in order. The committee would like to thank Mike for a job well done.

The Finance Committee held e-mail discussions in regards to dues:

North Dakota Library Association

This chart was prepared by Kathy Thomas, membership chair.

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Associate Members	23	19	17	19	15	18	16
Institutional Members	19	17	18	16	16	16	15
Trustees	84	70	65	73	74	63	45
Individual Members	248	232	247	252	259	257	293
Total	374	338	347	360	364	354	369

Dues were increased beginning with 2001 membership year.

The general thoughts were to leave dues rates as they are a present. The monies generated by dues and the conference income at this time appears to meet the needs of the association. The finance committee felt the issue should be to increase membership in general but especially among the paraprofessionals and also the trustees since this division showed the greatest decline in membership. The finance committee also looked at restructuring the due levels within the individual and associate members but came to no recommendations. One area that was discussed and the committee felt should be looked at further was a due category for business/corporate memberships.