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Quarterly Report to NDLA Executive Board March 5, 2010

Toni Vonasek, Chair

A survey was sent to North Dakota Public Library Directors asking how much of an increase, if any, beyond the current \$1.3 million in State Aid they would recommend the State Library request in their 2011-2013 biennium budget request.

Requests were sent to members of the Public Library Section asking for volunteers to run for Chair-Elect and Secretary and also for program suggestions for the NDLA conference. The only response to date was for something on purchasing popular books in downloadable format.

After talking to the IMLS grant coordinator, Donna James was forced to abandon the part of the IMLS grant proposal that involved public librarians in building a collaborative environment with administrators.