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A Big Thank You!



Jessica Sherman <jsherman@

To Kerstin Cruger; Stephanie Werskey; Chris Herron

Cc Elva Corbaton; Kira Thompson;

Rebekkah Smith Aldrich



1:35 PM

Chris, Kerstin and Stephanie,

Thank you all so much for your support for the joint MHLS/PPLD event to host the Mexican Consulate-on-Wheels last week, 4/9-4/13/24, in the MHLS auditorium. The event was a success and we received positive feedback from both the community and the Consulate staff. The location worked really well and provided plenty of space and the appropriate amenities to host the event. Patrons came from several counties and the attendance ran from 90-150 people each day.

We hope to repeat this success in the future and truly appreciate your support!

Many Thanks-

Jessica and Elva

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Jessica Sherman (she/her)



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Re: [MHLS-Notice] RE: Time Sensitive Announcement: ConnectALL Challenge Process

 Elizabeth Potter <director@phoenicalibrary.org>
To  Rebekkah Smith Aldrich

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Fri 4/12/2024 2:35 PM

Start your reply all with: [You are very welcome!](#) [Thank you! You too!](#) [Thank you, you as well!](#)  Feedback

Oh, thank you, you all take such good care of us!
Have a wonderful weekend!
Liz



On Fri, Apr 12, 2024 at 2:02 PM Rebekkah Smith Aldrich <rsmith@midhudson.org> wrote:

Hi Liz,

You don't need to do a thing! Kerstin and Ashley here at MHLS took care of it for any library not on the CAI list or FCC map.

Rebekkah

Trustee handbook

 Sue Powers <sjpowers44@yahoo.com>
To  Rebekkah Smith Aldrich

Thu 3:40 PM

[You are very welcome!](#)

[Thank you for your kind words.](#)

[You are welcome, and thank you!](#)

Dear Rebekkah,
Thank you very much for sharing your excellent advice and reference guidance with me this afternoon.
The educational information provides much benefit as we continue to evolve and grow as a board.
The handbook is such an excellent resource on best practices and law. Your webinars are extremely valuable.
Thanks for sharing your knowledge with us!
Happy Library Week,
Sue Powers, Trustee
sjpowers44@yahoo.com
[Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPad](#)

Re: nonprofit proof



Gisela Vella <pihlibrary@gmail.com>

To Rebekkah Smith Aldrich



10:37 AM

Start your reply all with:

[You are so welcome!](#)

[Happy to help!](#)

[Always happy to help!](#)

[Feedback](#)

Thank you so much Rebekkah!

I also reached out to Laura, and she sent me some helpful information, so hopefully all of this will help to convince them that we ARE a non profit.

What would I do without Mid Hudson, you are all so amazing, thank you!!!

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Re: New 414 manual



Carol Bancroft <cbancroft@clintoncommun

To Rebekkah Smith Aldrich



9:27 AM

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[You are very welcome!](#)

[Glad to help!](#)

[You are welcome, and thank you!](#)

[Feedback](#)

Thank YOU for all the work you put into this! I've already shared with my trustees and because we have a fair amount of new board members, I know this manual will be incredibly helpful as we go for another 414 this year!

Carol Bancroft (she/her)

Director, Clinton Community Library

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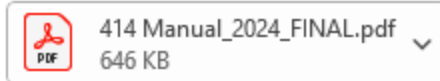
Elizabeth Potter <director@phoenicialibrary>

To Rebekkah Smith Aldrich



Sun 3:46 PM

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You are very welcome!

Happy to help!

You are welcome, and thank you!

Feedback

Ahh!! Thank you! Congratulations! And other manual in the can and headed to the presses! I'm always happy to help. I owe you and the system so much.

Liz

Sent from my iPhone

Remarkable



Jerry Nichols <jnlibraryconsult@gmail.com>

To Rebekkah Smith Aldrich; Ron Kirsop;
 Brian M. Hildreth - Executive Director - Southern Tier Library System



6:47 PM

Friends,

Full disclosure:

So I figured I'd just look in at the beginning of the Handbook session tonight to see how you folks are doing. (Yes, I miss your pretty faces.) I ended up watching and learning throughout. You guys are just terrific! (and it appears all of your participants agree.)

I just wanted to add my sincerest compliments and thanks to each of you for not only carrying on; but for taking the Handbook to a new and far more impactful level.

You are making a significant difference for our library community.

Remarkable.

jerry

April 2024

Dear Rebekkah,

A very special thank you to Laura Crisci for her invaluable help with the Annual Report. I literally could not have completed it without her guidance & patience.

I wanted to express my sincerest thanks to you and the entire Mid-Hudson team. During a very difficult time you provided support, understanding & gorgeous flowers. Your kindness & grace were felt by our entire staff.

The Town of Ulster library is grateful to be part of such a wonderful library system,
Warmest regards, Kerry Chenier