



Minutes 2025 ANNUAL MEETING

October 28, 2025

3:00 p.m.

IHLS Carbondale Hub : 1840 Innovation Drive, Carbondale, IL 62903

Attendees:

Jennifer Baugh, Leslie Bednar, Hannah Borowitz, Troy Brown, Stacie Bushong, Jace Cook, Colleen Dettenmeier, Leanne Furby, Leah Gregory, Gwen Hall, Sarah Hill, Shelley Hudspath, Stephanie Hunt, Rhonda Johnisee, Linda Johnson, John Kirchner, Sarah Kirkpatrick, Kate Kite, Linda McDonnell, Kelly McMullen, Lynette Miller, Nick Norovich, Casey Parr, Ellen Popit, Dena Porter, Cindy Pulsford, Samantha Ralston, Kathleen Rister, Keith Robinson, Brian Sapp, Andrea Sellers, Cassandra Thompson, Quinn Vana, William Walters, Sandy West, Anna Wiegand, K Weis

Appetizers and Refreshments

Attendees enjoyed a soup and salad bar and soft drinks while networking and socializing.

Opening Speaker

William H. Walters, Dean of Library Affairs at SIU Carbondale, welcomed attendees.

Presentations

Leslie Bednar, IHLS Director, gave the State of the System presentation.

Leah Gregory, IHLS Membership Coordinator School Liaison, gave a presentation on the Can't Shelve This podcast.

Stephanie Hunt, IHLS Data Analyst, Leah Gregory, IHLS Membership Coordinator School Liaison, and Kate Kite, IHLS Continuing Education Coordinator Liaison, gave a presentation on the Data Dashboard and how it has impacted member libraries.

Dr. Carol Hogan-Downey, IHLS Communications and Advocacy Administrator, gave a presentation on the IHLS Marketing Microgrant.

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