

IX. NEW BUSINESS

B. Stacks Digital Repository Annual Report

Background

Idaho Code 33-2505C states:

“In the interest of economy and efficiency, the board of library commissioners may exempt a given state publication or class of publications from the requirements of sections 33-2505, 33-2505A and 33-2505B, Idaho Code, in full or in part . . .”

The Commission’s rules (IDAPA 30.01.01.040) state:

04. Request for Exemption by State Librarian. The State Librarian may request the exemption of a specific publication or a class of publications based on the ability of the Commission to capture or process said materials.

06. Board Action on Exemption Requests. The Board shall grant or deny exemption requests, determine an expiration date, and provide written notification of its decision to the publishing state agency within thirty (30) days of its decision.

07. Annual Report. The State Librarian shall submit an annual report of all exemptions to the Board.

08. Review of Exemptions. Exemptions shall be reviewed by the Board at least sixty (60) days prior to the expiration date. State agencies shall be notified by the Commission of any change in exemption status within thirty (30) days of Board action.

Current Exemptions

The Board approved the following exemptions at its June 2010 meeting because we did not then have the technology to capture or process these formats efficiently or cost-effectively:

- Dynamic websites
- Interactive websites
- Publications that contain copyrighted material with no provision for access in a public archive or repository

To date, no state agency has requested exemption of a specific publication or class of publication.

Exemptions for FY2013

Staff recommends making no changes in the list of exemptions for FY2013.

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Suggested motion: I move that the following classes of publications be exempted from the Digital Repository through June of 2013 because of the current inability to efficiently or cost-effectively capture or process these formats:

- Dynamic websites
- Interactive websites
- Publications that contain copyrighted material with no provision for access in a public archive or repository

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Numbers:

Publications on the [Stacks] server (<http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/stacks>)

- 17,400 + individual digital publications in [Stacks] collection
- 85% of publications are in English, 12% in Spanish, 3% in Bosnian, Arabic, French, and Russian.
- About 95% of publications are in .pdf format. We also have .doc, .htm, .html, and .wmv
- Total number of items viewed, many with multiple views:
 - △ January 2012: 2,105 (2011: 1,628)
 - △ February 2012: 1,443 (2011: 693)
 - △ March 2012: 2,295 (2011: 1,147)
- No statistics are available for titles searched and accessed via WorldCat, Google, Yahoo, MSN, etc.

Popular (most viewed) Titles:

January 2012

- *Here We Have Idaho* (University of Idaho magazine)
- Idaho Administrative Bulletin
- Idaho Blue Book
- *Channels* (IPTV magazine)
- *Idaho Behavioral Risk Factors* (Health & Welfare)
- *Idaho Educational Directory*

February 2012

- *Healthy Look at Idaho Youth* (Health & Welfare)
- *Idaho Employment* (Dept. of Labor statistics)
- *Wildlife Habitat Management Annual Report* (Fish & Game)
- *Idaho Aquatic Nuisance Species Plan* (Fish & Game)
- *American Falls Community Review*
- *Idaho Board of Pharmacy News*

March 2012

- *Tips for Researching Idaho* (Historical Society)
- *Summary of Panhandle Health Epidemiology Services*
- *Idaho Vital Statistics* (Health & Welfare)
- *Bear Lake: Its Fish & Fishing* (Fish & Game)
- *Field Guide to Diseases & Insect Pests of Northern & Central Rocky Mountain Conifers*

Agency Responses

We continue to receive feedback from the state agency liaisons via phone and e-mail, and as responses to the [Stacks] e-newsletter. The use of our “View by Agency Name” feature is rising. It is easy for agencies to check which publications have already been submitted and entered. The total number of submissions via our website has increased 24% over last year.