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**To:** State Council on Libraries and Literacy  
**From:** Linda Deacy, SCLL designee to Commission on Cultural Affairs  
**Date:** 10/14/2104  
**Re:** CCA Update for October 2014

**Message:**

Dear Council members;

Please allow me this opportunity to provide you with some information about the Commission on Cultural Affairs (CCA) and my role as your designee.

I have been attending CCA meetings since 2009, first as the Chairperson of SCLL and, since 2011, as your designee to CCA. The six members of CCA meet 2-3 times per year to review grant applications, the status of grant projects, the dates when bond proceeds become available for distribution, long-range planning and other business related to current and previous projects. Between meetings, each of the six commissioners visits sites of current and current funding projects and of possible future applicants. I have spent a considerable amount of time in basements and ceilings of sites in Carson City, Douglas County, Lyon County, Storey County and Washoe County. I have a particular interest in seeing the progress on restoration of the Stewart Indian School Museum continue over the coming years.

The Commission for Cultural Affairs is established by state law (NRS 233C.200, et. seq.) to advise the State Historic Preservation Office on matters pertaining to the preservation and promotion of Nevada's cultural resources. The Commission is composed of representatives of the Nevada Humanities Committee, the Board of Museums and History, the Nevada Arts Council, the State Council on Libraries and Literacy, and the tourism industry.

As some of you may know, I am retiring from my position as the Library Director of the Douglas County Public Library at the end of December 2014. I will continue to live in Carson City and hope to continue my involvement with CCA. If you see fit, I would be honored to continue to represent SCLL as their designee to CCA.

I will be reachable through December at the Douglas County Public Library. As of January 1, 2015, I may be reached using the following information:

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Whatever your decision, it has been an honor to represent SCLL in helping to extend cultural venues throughout the state of Nevada.