



Mid-Michigan Library League Advisory Council Committees

The MMLL Advisory Council (AC) seeks volunteers each year to serve on a variety of committees. A few of these committees act as standing committees (permanent), while the AC can request that additional ad-hoc committees be created to serve current needs of the AC.

Committees include:

- **Mini Grant Committee:** this committee is charged with developing the annual mini grant program, reviewing mini grant requests from member libraries, and approving them for funding.
- **eResources Committee:** this committee is responsible for reviewing, selecting, and ordering eBooks and audiobooks for the MMLL Advantage Plus Overdrive account, within the MMLL's budget constraints. In addition, the committee reviews AC member requests for various types of eResources including (but not limited to) online language learning, digital databases, etc.
- **Continuing Education Committee:** this committee will seek input from member libraries regarding professional development needs and will recommend to the MMLL Advisory Council any programming which will meet the indicated needs of member libraries, and work with the director to produce the events.
- **Maker Team Committee:** this committee is responsible for recommending changes to the existing Maker Space resources held by MMLL for circulation to member libraries for programming. The Maker Team has a budget to add to these resources or to change how the co-op can support libraries with Science, Technology, Engineering, [Art], and Math (STEM/STEAM) materials and programming.
- **Youth Committee:** this group will work with member libraries to support youth programs and to help member libraries collaborate when possible on youth related programs and events.

Committee members come from MMLL member libraries and serve for one year terms. There is no term limit for any committees. Committee membership will be filled in October/November of each fiscal year. Committee structure is left up to each committee to decide.

Most committee decisions are made as recommendations to the AC. In general, any committee recommendations involving MMLL budget line items needing additional resources are made as AC recommendations to the MMLL Board of Trustees.

AC Committees report to the AC at their monthly formal meetings.