ILS Products Committee Annual Report WYLD Annual Business Meeting – Casper College, June 2, 2023

The ILS Products Committee Representatives were:

Chair (Region 4) – Kate Mutch

Region 1 – vacant

Region 2 - vacant

Large P.L. Representative / Region 3 – vacant

Small P.L. Representative / Region 3 – vacant

Region 5 - vacant

Small P.L. Representative / Region 6 – Wendi Walton

Ex-officio State Library representative Katie Rahman

This committee had several vacant positions that were not filled. In September of 2022 the chair of the Training Committee, Lorene Peterson, and I reached out to the director of our library to suggest the WYLD governing board consider the need for both of these committees as WYLD standing committees. Without member libraries providing people to serve on the committees we were holding meetings just to hold a meeting. The needs of the WYLD members and the wonderful job that the WYLD staff provides has changed the roles of and need for the ILS Products committee.

At the October 2022 WYLD Board meeting, the board took action to release the ILS Products Committee until at least the 2023 WYLD annual meeting. At that point the membership will vote on the recommendation to change the bylaws to eliminate the committee as a standing committee. If a committee is needed in the future it would be on an ad-hoc basis for a specific purpose.

Respectfully submitted, Kate Mutch, Committee Chair