

Government Information Technology Committee (GITCO)
2007 Midwinter conference
January 21, 2007, 1:30 3:30

Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions

Attending: Valerie Glenn (chair), John Hernandez, Girija Venkat (M), Monique Andrews (M), Justin Otto, Jennie Gerke (M), Joe Salem (M), Newkirk Barnes, Victoria Packard (M), David Oldenkamp, Brett Cloyd, Samantha Hager (M), Ric Davis, Robin Haun-Mohammed, Lora Ausberryaugier (M), George Barnum, Laurie Hall, Michele Reilly, Cathy Jervey, Niki Hume, Susan Golding (M), Mary Horton, David Maack, James Jacobs (M), Amy West, Chieko Maene, Aimee Quinn, Grace York (M), John Stevenson

Call to order at 1:35 pm

2. Selection of Secretary

Victoria Lynn Packard (Texas A&M University-Kingsville)

3. Agenda Approved

- A beta release (1b) should be available for testing by select customers this summer. GITCO members could be a part of this test group.
- Current funding for FdSys has been provided ó additions or the next step will need more funding. They report to the Joint Committee on Printing in the Senate Rules & House Comm.
- They are getting good feedback from library communities and federal agencies

Pre-Conference ó John Hernandez

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- Audience is for all libraries, but mainly Public and Academic
- Will educate attendees how to locate and use the data
- An all day pre-conference with 3 components
 - o AM ó Info refresher on candidates
 - o AM ó Info refresher on ballots
 - o PM ó Info refresher (demographics)