

Cataloging AC Minutes 3/2/2023 (online)

Present: Phil Berardi (BETH), Rob Carle (UHLS), Anne Coletta (BETH), Sue Dague (EGRN), Molly Davis (VOOR), Jane Feeney (BETH), Xiaofei Li (APL), Peggy Mello (COLN), Edra Nehme (BETH), Lisa Pitkin (GUIL), Lisa Thomas (BETH), Joe Thornton (UHLS)

We didn't have an agenda. Discussions:

- Sue is seeing a trend of more records showing up for Canceled titles. These are Order records with many holds. She wishes there were an option for 'Title canceled' and asked if others are notifying patrons when this happens. Lisa T said that at BETH they do notify the patrons. Jane asked how we should handle the holds on these titles. Lisa P said that if the hold is old, delete it. Rob asked if this was part of the *Claims* process when an item is not received from a vendor. Joe asked how everyone handles holds on these titles? Some cancel the holds and notify the patrons. Jane said that sometimes a title they thought would never come eventually appears. Anne said that it's usually heavy library users who notice these.
- [Cataloging manual](#): Joe reminded everyone that we had agreed to spend 30 minutes every meeting looking at the MARC sections (0XX, 1XX, etc.) of the manual. Enthusiasm for this project has been low, at best. Lisa (sorry, I forget which one) said, effectively, don't bother, just look it over and send suggestions for changes to Rob. Rob agreed with this approach. BUT ... Sue said that she would like to go back to our in-meeting discussions about the manual, and Anne agreed. So ... manual it is. We'll restart the project at our April meeting.