2014 ACMLA Web Report

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The Association of Canadian Map Libraries and Archives Web Committee was mostly dormant in 2013; however, in June of 2014 Jacqueline Kreller-Vanderkooy came on as the new webmaster.

The following technical and administrative tasks were also carried out during the year:
- Continued maintenance and updating of website.
- Re-formatted remaining old web pages to fit with the new look and feel (separating style from text)
- Updated WHOIS data was to reflect appropriate administrative, billing, and technical information as per the requirements of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN).

In July of 2013 we registered a new domain (acmla-acacc.ca) for two years, which reflects both English and French initials of the organization and renewed our domain registration of acmla.org with web hosting services with Canadian Web Hosting <http://www.canadianwebhosting.com> for one year to allow for forwarding (expires of July 2014). In addition we renewed our web hosting subscription for our new domain until July 2015, but changed our plan to the "Lite/Linux" package which costs the same as the older plan we had been using, but doubled our storage space.

We experienced another significant change in the composition of the committee this year when Colleen Beard stepped down after many years as a member. Colleen had been on the committee since the beginning (2004/05) and her leadership along with the contributions of Trudy Bodak, Sue McKee, and Gerald Romme had a tremendous impact on the development of the website.

Assuming the proposed new structure of the Association is accepted this will be the last report of the ACMLA Web Committee per se. It has been a pleasure to be part of this committee for the past nine years.

Respectfully submitted,

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