

ALA Council III

Wednesday, January 28, 2026

10:00 AM-12:00 PM Hawaii Time / 11:00 AM-1:00 PM Alaska Time / 12:00-2:00 PM Pacific Time
1:00-3:00 PM Mountain Time / **2:00-4:00 PM Central Time** / 3:00-5:00 PM Eastern Time

Mission: To provide leadership for the development, promotion, and improvement of library and information services and the profession of librarianship in order to enhance learning and ensure access to information for all.

Business Order

Central Time*	Topic	Presenter/Facilitator
2:00 PM – 2:05 PM	Call to Order <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductions and Announcements • Establishing the Quorum Approval of Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agenda Review, ALA CD#8.3 action item 	Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect
2:05 PM – 2:15 PM	MEMORIALS, TRIBUTES AND TESTIMONIALS:	
	Memorial Resolutions Honoring: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Spears, M-#1 • Pamela Bluh van Oosten, M-#2 • Dr. Carolyn Brodie, M-#3 • John Anthony Tuggle, M-#4 • Fred McCrae Peterson, M-#5 • Dr. Alma Dawson, M-#6 • Danica Sheridan, M-#7 	Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect
	Reports of ALA/Council Committees:	
2:15 PM – 2:20 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ALA Election Committee, ALA CD#11.1 	Mary Rzepczynski, Election Chair
2:20 PM – 2:40 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ALA Bylaws Committee, ALA CD#25, action item 	Brian E. C. Schottlaender, <i>Bylaws Chair</i>
2:40 PM – 2:55 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ALA Treasurers Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Endowment Policy Change, ALA CD#13.1 action item 	Larry Neal, ALA Treasurer
2:55 PM – 3:05 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Policy Monitoring Committee, ALA CD#17 action item [UNFINISHED BUSINESS] 	Aaron Dobbs, PMC Chair
	RESOLUTIONS: [UNFINISHED BUSINESS]	
3:05 PM – 3:15 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resolution to Support and Commend the Work of Librarians and Institutions Preserving Government Information since January 21, 2025, ALA CD#49, action item 	Benjamin Aldred, <i>ALA Councilor</i>
3:15 PM – 3:25 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resolution for the proclamation of the Librarian and Library Workers’ Bill of Rights, ALA CD#50, action item 	Emily Bergman, <i>ALA Councilor</i>
3:25 PM-3:30 PM	Announcements	Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect
3:30 PM-3:40 PM	BREAK	Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect

3:40 PM-3:55 PM	CLOSED SESSION-Current Councilors Only: [UNFINISHED BUSINESS] ALA Honorary Membership Nomination , ALA CD#47 and ALA CD#48, action item	Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect
3:55 PM-4:00 PM	Adjournment	Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect

Presiding Officer: Maria McCauley, ALA President-Elect
Assisting Presiding Officer:
Secretary of Council: Daniel Montgomery, ALA Executive Director
Parliamentarian: Adrian Stratton

Meeting Information:
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