

NC LIVE Resource Advisory Committee Meeting

Friday, July 10, 2026, 10:30am-12:00pm
Zoom Meeting

Committee Members

Chair: Jess Bellemer, Lees-McRae College
Nora Burmeister, UNC-Chapel Hill
Rishara Finsel, Transylvania County Library
Molly Keener, Appalachian State University
Melanie Morgan, New Hanover County Public Library
Lisa Shores, Rowan-Cabarrus Community College
Shannon Tennant, Elon University
Jenny Thomas, Randolph Community College
Larry Treadwell, Fayetteville State University

NC LIVE Staff

Claire Leverett

Absent:

Vice Chair: Rich Garafolo, Cleveland Community College
Lauren Ksa, High Point University
Johnnie Pippin, Public Library of Johnston County & Smithfield

Agenda

1. Welcome (Jess)

- a. Welcome to our new RAC member, Shannon Tennant, Coordinator of Library Collections at Elon University!

2. Updates from your library (Jess)

- a. RAC members shared updates from their library

3. Update: Resource Updates (Claire)

- a. America 250 resources from LSTA Grant
 - i. Introduction to U.S. History (3 collections)
 - ii. 330 ebooks from Arcadia Publishing --
- b. Hoopla audiobook additions
 - i. planning to announce these in a couple of weeks

4. Discussion: 2026-2027 RAC Annual Goals (Claire & Jess)

- a. Discussed RAC's annual goals for 2026-2027 based on discussions from the April meeting.

5. Assign sub-groups to work on Annual Goals (Claire)

- a. Assign sub-groups to work on Annual Goals
- b. Sub-groups will work on the projects in-between meetings, and then we will discuss as a group at our quarterly meetings.

6. Announcements and Next Meeting (Claire)

- a. Next Meeting: October in-person meeting at Randolph Community College