Library Committee Minutes  
February 8, 2005, 2:05 PM  
Present: John Krogman, Hal Evensen, J. Elmo Rawling, Marge Karsten, Sharon Carns  
Absent: Tamer Ceylan, Yong Kwon Cho, Gloria Stephenson  

John presented the “Supplies” and “Capital” budgets for 2005-06. Both are at the same funding level as the previous two years. This is manageable on the “supplies” ledger, but inflation and the increasing cost of journals creates a $29,000 shortfall on the “capital” side.  

The library proposes eliminating 117 print journal subscriptions; these all (1) are available electronically in full-text; (2) are used lightly, with a cost-per-(paper)-use of $25 or more. All journals would still be kept electronically.  

The committee concurred; John will send notices to the departments, requesting feedback over the next 3-4 weeks. Barring strong negative feedback, the conversion to electronic subscriptions will then begin.  

Adjourned 2:25 PM  

Respectfully submitted,  

Hal Evensen, Secretary du jour