Georgia Library Association (GLA) – Government Information Interest Group (GIIG)

GLA Midwinter Planning & Leadership Meeting

Wednesday, December 14, 2016 – 11:20 AM

Downs Continuing Education Center, Room 101

## **MINUTES**

Text in brackets are recorder's notes, for added context and clarity.

**Attendees:** Laurie Aycock (Chair), Kennesaw State; Patricia Kenly (Vice-Chair), Georgia Tech; Thomas Waters (Secretary), Univ. of West Georgia; Sarah Causey, Univ. of Georgia; Kelly Ansley, East Georgia State

The updated bylaws and constitution of the Government Information Interest Group were sent to the GIIG email list by Emily Rogers [on October 24th, 2016,] with requests for additional revisions. Since no further input was received, the attendees at the meeting approved the bylaws/constitution by a voice vote. Chair Laurie Aycock plans to send the final document to the entire group and possibly post to the DOCSGA-L listserv as well. Sarah Causey plans to send the bylaws/constitution to the GLA Handbook Committee on Thursday, December 12th, 2016, in order to receive the approval of its membership.

[On December 12th, 2016,] Patricia Kenly sent to the GIIG email list a draft version of the minutes from the group's October meeting at COMO. Only minor revisions regarding names and identities were required to this document, and Patricia plans to send the final version to the entire list. She will also be sending the updated membership list that she received from Kara Mullen (current as of December 2016) to all GIIG officers.

The Annual Meeting of Georgia Depository Libraries will be Thursday, March 9, 2017 at the University of Georgia in Athens. This event usually includes announcements from the regional, highlights of services, and possibly, a guest speaker. [Per Hallie Pritchett's December 5th, 2016 email to the DOCSGA\_L list, more details will be forthcoming.]

The Georgia Libraries Conference (formerly COMO) will be held [at the Columbus Convention & Trade Center from October 4-6] in Columbus, GA in 2017. Possible ideas for presentations by the interest group included issues related to the incoming presidential administration, as well as highlights of the information available from particular government agencies.

Meeting adjourned at 12:00 PM.