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Report for 2003 - 2004

Board of Directors: Jane Gottlieb (President), Sherry L. Vellucci (Past President), Carolyn Dow (Secretary), Mary Alice Fields (Treasurer), Deborah Campana (Member-at-Large), Laura Dankner (Member-at-Large through Feb. 2004) Barbara Mackenzie (Member-at-Large, beginning Feb. 2004).

In June 2003 the IAML-U.S. Branch established a relationship with A-R Editions of Madison, Wisconsin for assistance with member and subscriber services. This relationship has helped us to improve tracking of members' claims and other matters. IAML-US Treasurer Mary Alice Fields works closely with A-R on maintaining our member/subscriber database.

We also worked on enhancing our visibility within the U.S. To that end, the IAML-US Board developed a proposal to present a plenary session on the 4-R projects at the Music Library Association's 2005 annual meeting in Vancouver, Canada. The MLA program committee accepted this proposal; Barbara Mackenzie and Jane Gottlieb will coordinate the session.

The Donated Materials Program continues to thrive under the leadership of Marjorie Hassen. Marjorie has created a website on the Penn Library server to list all donations. She regularly distributes lists of offerings to 89 libraries.

IAML-US is a member of the U.S. RILM Office Long-Range Planning Task Force. Chaired by Daniel Zager, the Task Force is charged to "Create a long-range strategic plan for the long-term stability of the U.S. RILM Office," which is presently housed at Cornell University.

Finally, elections were held during fall 2003 for one Member-at-Large. The nominating committee included Dan Zager (Chair), Ray Hegemeir, and Jim Cassaro. Barbara Mackenzie assumed her position as new Member-at-Large at the conclusion of the IAML-U.S. Board meeting in Crystal City, Virginia, February 12, 2004.

Jane Gottlieb President, IAML (USA)