**January 30, 2010**

**Collection Development Meeting**

**2:30pm**

**Attending: Dr. Pendleton, William Shuluk, Frank Dowd, Jane Charles, Cindy Campbell**

Note: Bill asked the group if some of our meeting time could be devoted to other issues outside Collection Development. The group agreed to the change.

1. Bill brought the group up to date on issues concerning the library facility. New study room policies are being discussed because of an incident where a student refused to leave when asked. Signs are removed. Removal of posting needs to be addressed and a policy of three to one to replace current two to one policy. FGCU serves the same number of students, but has 30,000 sqft. to our 10,000 sqft. Furniture will be rearranged to serve better. Use of the Curriculum lab was discussed with one possibility being the conversion to additional study rooms. Dr. Pendleton has observed socializing being done in study rooms. Students need to be encouraged to go to Student Life instead of using the library.
2. Manual is going to CCLA to help the CCLA assessment team review our policies. March 19 CCLA will be at Edison, Rush Library to review our technical services components. They will also talk to Dr. Pendleton, Tony and Mary Ann.
3. Survey was discussed. 12 original questions. Bill wants to combine 4 and 8. Kevin Shriner will review and make suggestions.
4. Discussed the need for longer hours during midterms and finals from 9 pm to 10 or 11 pm. Dr. Pendleton offered to provide coffee and cookies.
5. Some students are complaining about MySpace usage when computers are needed for academic work. Discussion ensued about policy.
6. Frank presented his selection for K – Native American, popular law books – condos, wills, adoption and parenting.
7. Jane presented selections on Gays, Slavery, and war on terrorism, civil laws, campus disabilities, ugly laws, anti-discrimination and freedom of speech.
8. Bill presented overview about using Book Review Digest to help members make selections and his selections on privacy internet and law, foreign policy, privacy and patriot act, federal court, criminal procedures, environmental law and China and economics.
9. Bill presented a research article that concluded that library aesthetics and usage of library webpage are indicators and have a positive impact on students using library resources.
10. The next section will be L. The next meeting will be scheduled over the next two weeks according to schedules of group.