Trove Strategic Advisory Committee



Key messages

24 February 2023

TSAC meetings

This was the first meeting for 2023 and the Committee met via Zoom. Virtual meetings are scheduled for February, April, and August with a face to face meeting scheduled in October.

Trove funding in the media

The Director-General of the National Library explained that the short term funding for Trove provided by the Government is due to expire at the end of June. While the revenue contributed by Trove partners through fees for Trove Collaborative Services covers the operational costs of delivering data ingest, cataloguing and resource sharing, it is Government funding that supports the infrastructure required for Trove discovery and delivery.

The Library is actively working with Government to secure a funding solution for Trove and the Library is confident it can meet its contractual responsibilities to Trove Partners regardless of the outcome.

National Resource Sharing

National Library staff provided an update on the plan to approach the market for a possible national solution. The meeting held in January with ILL experts from across the sectors provided valuable feedback on the relative importance of various elements. The Committee noted the importance of keeping the community well informed as the process proceeds.

TSAC members

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