

**Society of American Archivists  
Council Meeting  
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**Report: *The American Archivist* Editorial Board**  
(Prepared by Journal Editor Gregory S. Hunter)

**MetaPress Replacement**

As noted in my previous report, MetaPress has decided to end its relationship with SAA as well as other small publishers. SAA formed an “Online Publication Working Group” to explore options and present recommendations to the Editorial Board. The Working Group members are:

- Paul Conway (Chair)
- Bethany Anderson
- Amy Cooper Cary
- Brad Houston
- Teresa Brinati

The Working Group developed a list of requirements for a new vendor, identified sixteen potential vendors, and prepared an RFP that was mailed to those vendors. At the August Joint Annual Meeting, the Working Group and Editorial Board met jointly to discuss progress to date.

Since that meeting, the Working Group has been reviewing responses received from six vendors. The Working Group is on schedule to make a recommendation to the Editorial Board in November.

**Upcoming Issue**

Volume 77, No. 2 (Fall/Winter 2014), is in the final stages of production and is slated for publication in late November.

**Subsequent Issue**

Volume 78, No. 1 (Spring/Summer 2015), is taking shape. It will include the Presidential Address and 2014 Pease Award winner.

I would be happy to answer any questions the Council may have about the Editorial Board or *The American Archivist*.