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**FROM THE DIRECTOR:**

To all staff:

I want to thank all staff, who attended the retreat on August 6th, for a good meeting. For those staff who were not able to attend as well as those who did, we will post the flip chart notes in short order. As recommended at the end of the retreat, we will also package the short-term action items in a call for volunteers. If we define our goals carefully, we are ready to walk as well as talk. If anyone would like to correspond directly with Maureen about the retreat or any other matter, her email is msull317@aol.com.

The characteristics of the retreat that I liked best were 1) our ability to listen to differences and 2) our interest in working together. We need to think hard about how to sustain this kind of discussion.

Chris

**NEWS FROM PERSONNEL:**

1) Congratulations to Mohamed Elmenayer on his full-time appointment to a Programmer/Analyst position in the Library, effective August 2, 2001.

Congratulations are also in order..... Mohamed was married this past weekend! Best wishes for much happiness!

2) Kristen Nyitray has agreed to continue as Acting Head of Special Collections. The Head, Special Collections recruitment has been put on hold, and the Library will soon begin recruiting for a tenure-track Archivist position.