Task Description and Progress

- The purpose of this proposal is to convert the “Howard Dyer” library at ORNL from hard copy format to electronic format to share with the NCS community
- Over 1,300 hard copy reports, articles, and journals reside in the hardcopy library of over 50 “books”
- The task involves
  - Recovering the “books” from storage and sending them for scanning to PDF format
  - Documents undergo a quality assurance check and are then archived
    - NCSP website hosted by LLNL was originally chosen as the repository for these records – this proposal was reconsidered based on a 2020 TPR meeting
    - Alternative repository ideas were explored
      - For now, all NCSP documents, including the Dyer library, are being archived at ORNL
- Scanning task was completed on schedule and under budget
Repository Proposal

• FY22 proposal was submitted at the request of the NCSP Manager for a dedicated NCSP repository for all NCSP documents – to include the Howard Dyer library
  – Problem
    • Not all NCSP deliverables get properly archived, long-term
  – Goal
    • NCSP documents and legacy NCS reports and references to be provided to OSTI for long term storage and easy retrieval
    • OSTI would develop a stand-alone repository for NCSP reports and NCS community documents that have been approved for unlimited distribution
    • ORNL will collect NCSP documentation each quarter and OSTI will add the documents to the repository based on NCSP metadata
  – Justification
    • This proposal is aligned with the NCSP Mission and Vision document for Information Preservation and Dissemination to maintain web-based repositories of information relevant to the NCS community
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