Creating Nearline Records in Archon

Finding Aid Additional Entry

- 1. If a finding aid (or an addition to an existing finding aid) is not required, skip to step 4. If the series requires a finding aid, follow the instructions below for electronic records.
- 2. In the previously created WordPerfect file located on the G drive, preface the individual box list with the note: materials on these disks have been copied to the Archives' Electronic Records Repository.
- 3. Label any records in the Electronic Records Repository as labeled in the finding aid, if possible.

Archon Entry

Under the previously created control card entry in the Collection Manager:

4. In the "Location(s)" tab on a new line, type "e-records" into Content, and select DIG: Libsysdigi Electronic Records Repository for the Location. Under Extent, add the number of megabytes.

Under the Admin Menu:

- 5. Under the Digital Library Tab, select "Digital Library Manager." Create a new record with the following:
- 6. General Tab
 - Title : "Electronic Records of ______ (Nearline)" to indicate born-digital records or "Digital Surrogates of ______ (Nearline)" to indicate digitized records
 - Identifier: input record series number-nearline (example: 1505050-nearline)
 - Content URL: input location of folder, and *uncheck* URL is hyperlink

- Collection: search options to find associated Series
- Input all other information as needed.
- 7. Detailed Description
 - Physical Description: information about file type and size
 - Rights Statement: choose appropriate statement from the staff copyright page located at http://www.library.illinois.edu/archives/staff/workplace/copyright.php.
 - Input all other information as needed. Save.