

Board of Trustees Minutes of Regular Meeting

Wednesday, June 26, 2019 * Metalines Community Library 4:00 p.m. General Meeting

1. CALL TO ORDER: The Board Meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chair Lea Porter

Other Board Members Present: Trustee Steve Dawson, Trustee Robert Rosencrantz, Trustee Katherine

Schutte, Trustee Beverly Sarles

Board Member Absent:

Staff Present: Mandy Walters (Director), Denise Pontius (Finance & Facilities Manager)

Recording Secretary: Beverly Sarles

Public Present: Erin Kinney & Jennifer Hampson

- 2. CONSENT AGENDA Adopted with no changes
 - 2.1. Approval of Agenda
 - 2.2. Approval of Minutes: May 23, 2019 General Meeting
 - 2.3. Approval of Voucher No. 20496 through No. 20520, dated May 1 through May 31, 2019, in the amount of \$46,174.92
 - **2.4. Policy Changes:** Temporary Employment, Exhibit & Display, Removal of: Cooperation with other Libraries, Violence in the Workplace, In-Service Training & Education
 - 2.5. New Employees / Volunteers: Cassandra Raymond, Brandon Hein, Ryan Schmidt
- **3. PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS:** Kathie Schutte from the YES Committee reported that the Rodeo Parade went very well. Over 500 stickers were handed out and there was a lot of positive feedback. An ad was sent in to the Elk Sentinel for publication in the monthly newspaper.
- 4. FINANCE & FACILITIES MANAGER REPORT:
 - **4.1. Monthly Reports:** There was \$34,779 in property tax revenue, \$1,099 in investment interest, \$1,038 in donations (\$551 from University of Washington Health Sciences, \$350 from POVN, \$100 from RTI and \$37 misc.) and \$539 for fines and lost items.

Significant expenses: Annual Report expenses - \$773 (YTD total \$2,032), WLA Conference Expenses - \$402 (YTD - \$1,735), Laptop Computer for Newport - \$591

As of May 31, we have received 57.2% of budgeted income (2018 - 58.1%) and spent 32.7% of budgeted expenses (2018 - 34.7%)

- **4.2. Credit Card Expenses:** Credit card expenses were reviewed by Dawson and all was found acceptable.
- **4.3. Other:** The new Fixed & Controlled Assets Policy was presented and discussion was held. **ACTION:** Rosencrantz moved to adopt the policy as written; Schutte seconded; all in favor; so moved.



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5. DIRECTOR REPORT:

- 5.1. Public Levy Meetings: Meetings have been held in all four branches, as well as at several other locations. General feedback has been positive. Questions have been raised about how a levy works. Upcoming meetings are scheduled as follows: July 8 North County Chamber of Commerce, July 9 Newport Library, July 10 Ione & Mets Libraries, July 13 Sacheen Lake, and July 16 Calispel Valley Library in Cusick.
- **5.2. Mailers/Publicity:** Post cards were mailed out Friday, June 21 and several people mentioned that they have already received them.
- 5.3. Other: None

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

6.1. Other: The Usk Parade is July 4 and the YES Committee will have a float and hand out information about the Levy.

7. NEW BUSINESS

- 7.1. Other: The lone Parade is July 27 and plans are underway. Discussion was held about the Pend Oreille County Fair booth (August 15-18). It was decided to have an unmanned booth this year and have it set up as a resting area with brochures and books available. The Friends group will have a table set up at the Music Festival at the Kalispel Casino the weekend after the Fair.
- **8. RECAP AND FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:** Yes! Committee Events, Parades, Pend Oreille County Fair, Levy Information Update

9. ADJOURNMENT; NEXT MEETING DATE AND PLACE:

The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m. The next regular meeting will be Thursday, July 25 at 4:00 p.m. at the District Office in Newport.

Respectfully submitted by Beverly Sarles,

Chair Lea Porter

Secretary Beverly Sarles