

Trenton Public Library
118 East Indiana Street
Trenton, Illinois 62293
Minutes of Board Meeting
March 24, 2025

Attending: Kim Wiggins, Larry Davis, Mary Huelsmann, Steve Schatz, Ann Albers, Jackie Van Gorkom, Tom Rankin, Kelly Wilhelm and Director Angie Chute. Absent: Teri Monkin

1. CALL TO ORDER: 7:00 pm by President Kim Wiggins
2. PUBLIC INPUT: Dave Brandymeyer, Aaron Sidell (guest of Tom)
 - a. Dave (candidate for mayor) Spoke about possible future homes for the Library and his future vision for Trenton.
3. REQUIRED ACTION/REPORTS
 - a. Minutes of February 2025: Accepted as corrected.
 - b. Treasurer's Report: Filed for audit.
 - c. Approval of bills: Larry made a motion to pay the bills for February, Jackie seconded. Motion approved unanimously.
4. INFORMATION REPORTS
 - a. President's Comments: none.
 - b. City Council Representative: None.
 - c. Committee Reports:
 - i. Building: Larry advised that we are putting the baseboards and crown molding on hold.
 - ii. Finance: Budget presented by committee for review –
 1. Ann motioned for closed session for budget Larry seconded. Entered 7:44PM – Exited 8:04PM
 - iii. Policies: None
 - iv. Librarian's Report: filed as read.
5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:
 - a. Update on Alley Dropbox – Needs painted and signage on it.
 - b. Update on seed Library – Introduction to gardening program was cancelled due to building work.
 - c. Plans for Puppet Circulation and Display – On hold until after building work is done.
 - d. Anniversary Committee Meetings – Meeting in May or June to complete the year's planning.
 - e. No headway has been made on an agreement with the city.
6. NEW BUSINESS
 - a. Building Maintenance: None.
 - b. Personnel Issues: None.
 - c. Equipment Recommendations: None.
 - d. Book Purchase: On bill list.
7. TOPICS NOT ON AGENDA
 - a. Library repair schedule.
 - i. Book move preparations have been made by Angie. She is coordinating for volunteers and creating a schedule Beginning on the 15th of April. Limited Library services will be available from 15-19 of April.
 - b. Angie's Vacation Schedule
 - i. 28MAR25-14APR25 – schedule is covered
8. CORRESPONDENCE
 - a. Next meeting to be held April 28, 2025 at 7:00 pm.
9. ADJOURNMENT
 - a. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM by President Kim Wiggins

Secretary Steve Schatz