

Board of Trustees Meeting

Minutes of Meeting on November 16, 2022

I. Call to order: Meeting was called to order at 9:06 am

Motion to call meeting to order: E. Rivera, 2nd N. Hoffman

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

- II. Roll call/Attendance
 - a. Library Trustees Present: President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman
 - b. Library Trustees Excused: N/A
 - c. Library Trustees Absent: N/A
 - d. Library Staff Present: Library Director, Seth Jacobus
- III. Adoption of November 16, 2022, meeting agenda

Motion to adopt meeting agenda for November 16, 2022: G. Snyder, 2nd N. Hoffman

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

- IV. Period of Public Expression: N/A
- V. Approval of minutes from the July 21, 2022, meeting

Edits had not been completed by the date of this meeting. E. Rivera will provide.

- VI. Approval of minutes from the September 7, 2022, meeting*Edits had not been completed by the date of this meeting. E. Rivera will provide.*
- VII. Approval of minutes from the October 26, 2022, meeting

Edits had not been completed by the date of this meeting. E. Rivera will provide.

VIII. Manifest #6

MOTION

Motion to accept Manifest #6

Motion by E. Rivera, 2nd N. Hoffman, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

IX. November financial report: Reviewed the November financial report. The revenues through October 2022 were \$15,431.93 and expenses were \$388,897.60. The library fund through October 2022 was \$994,674.32.

MOTION:

Motion to approve the November financial report 2022

Motion by N. Hoffman; 2nd, E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

- X. Old Business
 - a. Video Recording Policy Tabled, additional edits coming up at next meeting
 - b. Code of Conduct Policy
 - c. A. Kane Sending letter to allow Kane to return
 - d. Librarian I-Part Time

Motion to approve H. Bryson as temporary Library Assistant at \$27.12/hr, 19 hours per week:

Motion by C. Thomson; 2nd, E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

XI. New Businessa. 2022 NYLA Employee Reimbursements

Motion to approve 2022 NYLA Employee Reimbursements

Motion by E. Rivera, 2nd, G. Snyder, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

b. Minimum Wage Increases

Motion to approve Minimum Wage Increases beginning December 31, 2022:

Motion by G. Snyder; 2nd, E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

- c. G. Snyder Budget Review Went over revenue and expenses
- d. 2023 4CLS Cost of Services

Motion to approve 2023 4CLS Cost of Services \$45,825

Motion by N. Hoffman; 2nd, E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

e. Board of Trustee Candidate - Stephanie Surowka-Sanders - Stephanie

Motion to approve Board of Trustee Candidate S. Surowka-Sanders

Motion by E. Rivera, 2nd, C. Thomson, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

XII. Motion for Executive Session George, Charlene 2nd 11:20 am

- a. PT Role, Megan Morse, to return to part time capacity Library Clerk at rate of 15.20/hr
- b. Heidi Bryson, voted to PT Librarian I Pay 27.15/hr.; 19 hrs per week
- c. Returned 11:24 am
- XIII. Other Business -
- XIV. Adjournment
 - a. Oath of Office Cards Completed as of this meeting
 - b. Librarian I FT Vacancy

MOTION:

Motion to approve posting of FT Librarian I position to fill Children's Librarian position that was vacated with a salary range of \$51,000 to \$57,681

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

c. Page Resignation – A. Goodrich

MOTION:

Motion to accept A. Goodrich resignation

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd by George Snyder, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

d. GFJ Bylaws Revision

MOTION:

Motion to accept revisions for board meeting times from 7 pm to 6 pm

Motion by C. Thomson, 2nd N. Hoffman, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

e. Health Insurance Renewal Documents MOTION:

Motion to accept Health Insurance Renewal

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd C. Thomson, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

f. Automatic Doors Maintenance Contract MOTION:

Motion to door maintenance contract

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

NO: 0/5

XV. Motion for Executive Session

There was a motion to enter executive session to discuss: The medical, financial, credit or employment history of a particular person or corporation, or matters leading to the appointment, employment, promotion, demotion, discipline, suspension, dismissal or removal of a particular person or corporation.

MOTION:

Motion to enter Executive Session

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

a. Library Assistant – PT Tech Vacancy

MOTION:

Motion to hire B. Maloney

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd C. Thomson, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

b. Head of Youth Services Vacancy MOTION:

Motion to approve E. Singleton as permanent Head of Youth Services E. Singleton as Head of Youth Services

Motion by N. Hoffman, 2nd E. Rivera, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

c. Letter from E. Singleton MOTION:

Motion to appoint H. Bryson to the interim position of Library Assistant for a period of up to 89 days

Motion by E. Rivera, 2nd N. Hoffman

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

d. Promotion & Raise Request – S. Jacobus MOTION:

Motion to promote S. Jacobus to Library Director III and a raise from \$79,584 to \$83,000 retroactive to June 1, 2022

Motion by E. Rivera, 2nd C. Thomson

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

MOTION: Motion to leave executive session

Motion by G. Snyder, 2nd M. Gillette

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

XVI. Other Business

XVII. Adjournment

MOTION:

Motion to adjourn at 8:02 pm

Motion by E. Rivera, 2nd N. Hoffman, unanimously approved. Motion carried.

YES: 5/5; President, M. Gillette; V. President, G. Snyder; Secretary, E. Rivera, and Trustees C. Thomson and N. Hoffman

<mark>NO: 0/5</mark>

Elizabeth Rivera, Secretary

11/30/2022

Date