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Meeting of the Board of Trustees – June 17, 2025 Approved

Present: M. Reitzel, K. Dallin, S. Anderson, B. LaValle, J. Subhash, A. Zutter

Absent: T. Kirk-Glynn

M. Reitzel called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM.

Adoption of the Agenda

• Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the proposed agenda dated Tuesday, June 17, 2025. (Reitzel, LaValle, Unanimous)

Approval of the Minutes

 Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the minutes of the Tuesday, May 20, 2025, regular meeting. (Reitzel, Subhash, Unanimous)

Period for Public Expression: None

Correspondence:

- Audit Engagement Letter from Baldessari & Coster, LLP
- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the engagement of the auditing firm, Baldessari & Coster, LLC (Reitzel, Kirk-Murphy, Unanimous)

Reports:

President: None

Treasurer:

- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the Treasurer's Report for the month of **May 2025**. (Reitzel, Dallin, Unanimous).
- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the
 report of receipts and disbursements for the month of May 2025. (Reitzel, Dallin,
 Unanimous).
- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the report of warrants for the month of **May 2025**. (Reitzel, Dallin, Unanimous).

Director:

- The Director's Report was distributed and reviewed.
- Reports for the Library Operation Manager and the Head of Programming & Outreach were shared.



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- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library accepts the Director's Report for the month of May 2025. (Reitzel, Subhash, Unanimous)
- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves the hiring of Hailey DeVaul for a new full-time Business Manager & Tech Operations position at a starting salary of \$44,000, effective July 1, 2025 (Reitzel, Kirk-Murphy, Unanimous)
- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library will request a
 Tax Anticipation Note (TAN) from the South Country Central School District for the
 amount of \$ 300,000 for FY 2025-2026 (Reitzel, Dallin, Unanimous).

Committee Reports:

Building and Grounds: None

Finance: None

Public Relations: None Nominating: None Technology: None

Administrative/Policy: None

New Business

None

Old Business

- Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves a one-time, \$500 bonus to Director, Anthony Zutter (Reitzel, Anderson, Unanimous)
- The Town of Brookhaven is aware that the Site Improvement Project is complete. The Library is just waiting for the town to visit to close out the project.

Adjournment

 Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the Brookhaven Free Library approves to adjourn the meeting at 7:43 PM. (Reitzel, Dallin, Unanimous)

Respectfully submitted:

Brittany LaValle, Secretary