# Community District Library Board of Trustees Regular Board Meeting Minutes Administration Office

## August 24, 2016

## **Opening**

The regular meeting of the Community District Library Board of Trustees was called to order at 7:03 p.m. on August 24, 2016 by Board Chair Diane Lahmann. Followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **Present**

Dana Horn, Patty Fraser, Diane Lahmann, Geraldine Hagadon, Tom Chaput and Karen Hornus. Absent: John Sedlock.

Also present: Jami Cromley, Linda Hudecek and Tony Moore.

### Approval of agenda:

Motion made by K. Hornus to approve the agenda, seconded by D. Horn, all yeas, motion accepted.

### • Approval of minutes:

Motion made by G. Hagadon to approve the July 27, 2016 regular minutes, seconded by K. Hornus, all yeas, motion accepted.

- **Approval of payment of bills**, (checks #5566-5589) in the amount of \$ 17,463.20 forwarded from Budget and Finance Committee, roll call vote, motion accepted.
- **Approval of motion to accept the current budget report**, dated August 2016, forwarded from Budget and Finance Committee, motion accepted.

### **Citizen comments:**

Tony Moore was introduced as the new staff member for the Perry branch, he has been training in the Corunna branch and will begin his duties in Perry, August 29.

### **Old Business:**

None.

#### **New Business:**

• None.

### **Directors Report**:

- Jami has attended the Caledonia Township and Perry City Council meetings, and has scheduled to attend other board meetings with municipalities in the CDL service area.
- Summer Badge Blast has concluded and the staff is breathing a sigh of relief. Stats show an increase in participation and favorable comments about this year's program. Planning is under way for next year's event.
- Jami expressed thanks for the passage of this year's millage vote, and discussed the
  results.
- A Strategic Plan meeting will be set, to begin the drafting of the document.
- Grants have been received from M.M.L.C, \$1500.00 for Library Promotion, and \$3500 for Technology Support.

- Staff evaluations will begin in September. Branches have been busy with end of Summer Badge Blast parties. Staff will be attending programs in the following months, including Developing Story-times, Seed Library and the M.M.L.C Performers Showcase.
- A new feature will be added to the website, Author Alerts, this will give patrons updates on the release of their favorite authors, which will be available in the library catalog.
- Staff will be included in parades in Perry and Morrice.

Citizens Comments: None.

**Board Comments:** None.

**Adjournment:** 7:45 p.m. Recorded by: L. Hudecek