

# **Board of Trustees**

**Regular Meeting Minutes** 

Date: Wednesday, November 20, 2024

## **Call to Order**

Held in-person at Library
Meeting called to order 7:02 pm by S. Burke

## Voting Board Members:

Attending: S. Bednar (Treasurer), S. Burke (President), T. Carr, P. Deibler, J. Dlugosz,

J. Esbenshade, M. Mooshian, L. Reinsfelder (Vice President),

L. Vescovich (Secretary)

Absent: None

Non-Voting Board Members: None

Also Attending: A. D'Agostino (Director), J. Watson (Asst Director)

## **Welcome and Introduction of Guests**

None.

#### Approval of Agenda

 Motion to approve 11/20/2024 Regular Meeting Agenda MOVED by L. Vescovich, SECONDED by T. Carr, and PASSED.

## <u>Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings</u>

 Motion to approve 10/16/2024 Regular Meeting Minutes MOVED by L. Vescovich, SECONDED by P. Deibler, and PASSED.

#### **Current Business**

- Treasurer Report (S. Bednar)
  - Presented "Treasurers Report 11/20/2024".
  - Continuing to work on providing proposed changes to ELANCO Library Policy "EL-307 2021-10-19 Fiduciary; Authorizing and Making Payments"
  - Proposed 2025 Budget scenarios forwarded to Management Committee 11/20/2024. Goal is for Management Committee to review and provide recommendation for approval by Regular Meeting scheduled 12/18/2024.

 Motion to accept the "2024-10 Financial Report" MOVED by L. Vescovich, SECONDED by P. Deibler, and PASSED.

#### • **Director's Report** (A. D'Agostino)

- Presented "Directors Report 2024.11" and "Statistical Report 2024.10".
- Chairing Library System of Lancaster County (LSLC) Circulation Policy Committee, charged with revising and updating the library system's circulation policy.
- LSLC loan rules will be changing in 2025 to improve customer service and to save staff time.
- Serving on LSLC eResources Committee.
- Now have access to Mometrix eLibrary, a test preparation resource for students, job seekers, and professionals.
- Considering new eBook & eAudiobook purchasing options (including OverDrive Advantage Plus) for ELANCO Library.
- Based on review of magazine subscription usage many titles will be cancelled for 2025.

## Assistant Director Report (J. Watson)

- Presented "11-24Assistant Directors Report".
- 2025 Summer Reading Program theme is "Color Your World".
- Working to connect County Libraries with educational opportunities related to the Lafyette Bicentennial Celebration.

## • Marketing/Fundraising/Special Events Committee Report (S. Burke)

- General Fundraising
  - Presented "Fundraising Report 11.18.24".
  - US Congressman PA 11th District Lloyd Smucker visited Library 11/01/2024.
  - Basket Bingo event held 11/03/2024 at American Legion was a success.
     Total profit was \$5,268.08.
  - ELANCO School District Superintendent Michael Snopkowski visited Library 11/14/2024.
  - PA State Representative 99th District Dave Zimmerman visited Library 11/20/2024.
  - Raffle baskets will be placed in the Library from 11/25/2024 through 12/20/2024. Tickets are 1 for \$2 and 3 for \$5.
  - Friends of the Library has scheduled a book sale 12/07/2024. To be held in conjunction with Library yard sale also scheduled for 12/07/2024.
  - To reinstitute buy a brick program.
  - In process of finalizing ELANCO Library brochure.
  - Working on establishment of Friends of the Library bookshelf where patrons can purchase books whenever Library is open.

#### Grants (L. Reinsfelder)

- Director submitted Ressler Mill Foundation grant application. Requested a total of \$16,000:
  - \$5,000: To replace four public computers in 2025
  - \$5,000: Books and other materials to add to the library's lending collection for adults for 2025

- \$1,000: Books and other materials to add to the library's lending collection for young adults for 2025
- \$5,000: Books and other materials to add to the library's lending collection for children for 2025
- Director drafting Abigail L. Longenecker Memorial Foundation grant application (due 12/01/2024). Plan to request a total of \$4,000:
  - \$1,000 for children's program supplies for 2025
  - \$3,000 for books and other materials to add to the library's lending collection for children for 2025
- Continuing to consider other grant opportunities:
  - Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Grant
  - Pennsylvania Broadband Development Authority (PBDA) Grant
  - Keystone Grant
- Endowments
  - Nothing new to report.
- Municipalities
  - Caernarvon Township Meeting 11/04/2024 attended by S. Burke.
  - Earl Township Meeting 11/04/2024 attended by L. Reinsfelder.
  - New Holland Borough Council Meeting 11/05/2024 attended by L. Vescovich.
  - Terre Hill Borough Meeting 11/12/2024 attended by J. Dlugosz.
- Governance Committee Report (L. Vescovich)
  - Revisions to ELANCO Library Policy "EL-307 2021-10-19 Fiduciary; Authorizing and Making Payments" pending input from Treasurer.
- Management Committee Report (L. Vescovich)
  - Reviewed "ELANCO Library Operational Plan 2023-2025 2024-11-20(0820);".
  - Reviewed "ELANCO Library Maintenance One-Time Items 2024-11-20(0830); 2024".

#### **New Business**

- Upcoming Board Meetings
  - Next Board of Trustees Regular Meeting scheduled 7:00pm Wednesday 12/18/2024 in-person at Library.
- Correspondence
  - None.

### <u>Adjournment</u>

Motion to adjourn MOVED by L. Vescovich, SECONDED by S. Bednar, and PASSED. Adjourned oat 8:14 pm.

Minutes by: L. Vescovich