



CITY of ESCONDIDO

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

March 12, 2026 at 4:00 PM

Council Chambers: 201 North Broadway, Escondido, CA 92025

WELCOME TO YOUR BOARD MEETING

We welcome your interest and involvement in the legislative process of Escondido. This agenda includes information about topics coming before the board.

PRESIDENT

Maribel Cruz Reyes

SECRETARY

Giselle Luevanos

TRUSTEES

Francis X. Bova III

Virginia Bunnell

John Schwab

ASSISTANT CITY CLERK

Sarena Garcia

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HOW TO PARTICIPATE

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In Writing



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ROLL CALL

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Review and approve the minutes for the February 12, 2026 meeting

CURRENT BUSINESS

2. **Updates: City of Escondido**

General updates from the City, including specific updates regarding the library infrastructure project.

Staff Recommendation: Receive and File (Community Services Department: Robert Rhoades, Assistant Director of Community Services)

Presenter(s): Robert Rhoades, Assistant Director of Community Services

3. **Planning & Discussion: Presentation to City Council**



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Discussion and planning by the Library Trustees for a presentation to the City Council on 2025 accomplishments, future plans, and recommendations. The presentation is tentatively scheduled for April 1, 2026; an alternative date of April 8 is also available.

Staff Recommendation: Provide Direction (Library: Rino Landa, Library Director)

Presenters(s): Library Board of Trustees

4. **Recognition of Retiring Library Board of Trustees Member – John Schwab**

Recognition of Library Trustee John Schwab for his many years of dedicated service to the City of Escondido and the Escondido Public Library, and to extend best wishes upon his retirement from the Library Board of Trustees.

Staff Recommendation: None

Presenters(s): Library Board of Trustees

STATISTICS REPORT

5. Presentation of monthly statistical report.

Staff Recommendation: Receive and File (Library: Rino Landa, Library Director)

Presenter(s): Rino Landa, Library Director

LIBRARY DIRECTOR'S REPORT

6. Presentation of monthly reports and general library updates.

Staff Recommendation: Receive and File (Library: Rino Landa, Library Director)

Presenter(s): Rino Landa, Library Director

TRUSTEE LIBRARY USE REPORT

7. Reports by the Library Board of Trustees of their use of the library and its services.

ADJOURNMENT

UPCOMING MEETING SCHEDULE

8. Unless otherwise noted, the Library Board of Trustees meets on the second Thursday of each month at 4:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers.



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4/9/2026 – 6:00 PM

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