



CITY *of* ESCONDIDO

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

December 11, 2025 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.

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HOW TO PARTICIPATE

The City of Escondido provides two ways to communicate with the board during a meeting:

In Person



Fill out Speaker Slip and Submit to City Clerk

In Writing



<https://escondido-ca.municodemeetings.com>

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ROLL CALL

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Review and approve the minutes for the November 13, 2025 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. Report on Physical Checkout Trends: Before & After Moving to the Mall

A data-driven report of 39,042 valid physical circulation transactions comparing borrowing patterns across two equal 120-day windows (November 1, 2024–March 1, 2025 and June 1–September 29, 2025).



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The review examines overall demand, returning versus new patron behavior, collection and Spanish-language circulation performance, and operational patterns influencing staffing and programming.

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

Presenter(s): Rino Landa, Library Director

STATISTICS REPORT

4. Presentation of monthly statistical report.

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Presenter(s): Rino Landa, Library Director

LIBRARY DIRECTOR'S REPORT

5. Presentation of monthly report and general library updates.

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

Presenter(s): Rino Landa, Library Director

TRUSTEE LIBRARY USE REPORT

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

ADJOURNMENT

UPCOMING MEETING SCHEDULE

- 7.

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.

1/8/2026 – 6:00 PM

2/12/2026 – 4:00 PM

3/13/2026 – 4:00 PM

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