



CITY of ESCONDIDO

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

May 14, 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

Carolyn Clemens

ASSISTANT CITY CLERK

Sarena Garcia

HOW TO WATCH

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HOW TO PARTICIPATE

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In Writing



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FLAG SALUTE

ROLL CALL

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Review and approve the minutes for the April 9, 2026 meeting

CURRENT BUSINESS

2. **Welcome New Trustee**

Welcome Carolyn Clemens to the Library Board of Trustees.

3. **Election of President for the Library Board of Trustees**

The Library Board of Trustees will elect a President to serve as the presiding officer for the upcoming term. The President shall preside at meetings and may appoint members to special committees. The term of office is one (1) year and until a successor is elected.



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4. **Election of Secretary for Library Board of Trustees**

The Library Board of Trustees will elect a Secretary to serve for the upcoming term. The Secretary shall certify Board minutes and shall preside at meetings in the absence of the President. The term of office is one (1) year and until a successor is elected.

5. **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: Robert Rhoades, Assistant Director of Community Services

6. **Library Trust Fund Literacy Projects Expenses 2014-2025**

Request that the Library Board of Trustees receive and file information regarding the Literacy Projects account of the Library Trust Fund.

Staff Recommendation: Approve (Robert Rhoades, Assistant Director of Community Services)

Presenter: Leticia Leal, Management Analyst

STATISTICS REPORT

7. **Statistics Report**

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

8. **Director's Report**

Presentation of monthly report and general library updates.

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

Presenter(s): Rino Landa, Library Director



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TRUSTEE LIBRARY USE REPORT

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

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

UPCOMING MEETING SCHEDULE

10. 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.

6/11/2026 – 4:00 PM

7/9/2026 – 6:00 PM

8/12/2026 – 4:00 PM

9/10/2026 – 4:00 PM

10/8/2026 – 6:00 PM

11/12/2026 – 4:00 PM