Minutes of the Waupun Public Library Board Meeting Wednesday, January 19, 2022

The Waupun Public Library Board was called to order by Beverly Martens, President, at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 19, 2022. Present were, Schultz, Garcia, and Jaeger. Also present via Zoom: Sullivan, Hintze, Gehl and Rohrer. Langford was absent.

ARTICLE I: Motion by Sullivan, supported by Hintze, to accept the minutes of the December 15, 2021 meeting as written. Motion carried.

ARTICLE II: No personal appearances.

ARTICLE III: Monthly Statistics continue to improve.

a. Circulated/downloaded/loaned: 114,746 items through the end of December.b. Curbside and drive-thru window service: handled 1,857 transactions through the end of December.

ARTICLE IV: The Budget was discussed with no concerns noted.

ARTICLE V:

a. Two lists of bills were presented: a list of bills which are a carryover from December 2021 and bills from January 2022. Motion by Hintze, supported by Gehl, to pay both lists with the exception of Inter-Quest for \$56.19. Motion carried 6-0 on roll call.

ARTICLE VI: No Committee Reports.

ARTICLE VII: Librarians' Report.

a. Interior Signage: Seven different options have been received from Warrior Innovation. After staff provides input, and project cost is determined, it will be presented to the Library Board.

b. The 24-year-old, leaky bubbler on the first floor, has been replaced with a new bubbler which includes a hands-free water bottle filler.

c. TruClean deep cleaned the entire first floor carpets, December 23 and 24. We will be looking to do the second floor cleaning in the future.

d. Virtual Programming: <u>February 8, 6:30</u>, Carol Shirk: "Phenology: Nature's Calendar (How gardeners can use phenology in their craft.) <u>March 22</u>: Waupun Historical Society, <u>April:</u> Carol Shirk will return. <u>Book Bingo:</u> Lisa Bille started a new round to go through April 1. Staff will be offering the <u>popular crafts</u> throughout the coming months. More information to come.

ARTICLE VIII: Old Business:

a. Meeting Room: After discussion of COVID data available, the Board members agreed the meeting rooms will continue to remain closed to the public.

ARTICLE IX: New Business:

a. Warrior Innovation continues its work on the Interior Signage project. No specifics available at this time requiring a vote by the Board.

ARTICLE X: Motion by Hintze, supported by Sullivan, to adjourn at 4:42 p.m. Motion carried.

*Next tentative meeting: Wednesday, February 16, 2022 at 4:30 p.m. The Board will meet in person at the Library, with some members attending virtually. Efforts will be made to provide availability for those unable to attend in person.

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