# Farmington Community Library Board of Trustees Board Meeting - 6:00 p.m. – July 14, 2022, Farmington Community Library Board of Trustees

Board Members Present: Brown, Duron-Willner, McClellan, Stryd

Board Members Absent: Hahn, Kelly, Murphy, White

Staff Members Present: Siegrist, Peterson, Wrench, Showich-Gallup, Zitter Masindi

**Staff Members Absent:** None

CALL TO ORDER The Board Meeting was called to order at 6:02

**REVIEW OF AGENDA** 

REVIEW OF MINUTES Correction: Duron-Willner listed as absent, joined the meeting at 6:30

**OPERATING BILLS** Brown presented expenditures totaling \$355,489.92

**FINANCIAL REPORT** Brown presented the financial report.

FRIENDS' REPORT given by K. Siegrist on behalf of the Friends: Thank you for coming out to the Gala.

### **LIBRARY DIRECTOR'S REPORT** (Kelley Siegrist)

- Staffing: Sona- PT Graphic Designer. Evan- IT Page.
- Overtime/Bereavement FY OT-\$3718.06. Bereavement hours- 74.25
- Space Utilization Study began on June 30. Will continue with each department.
- Oakland County's Business Forward hosted program. Small Business page on library site highlighting business resources.
- Trustee Roundtable hosted at Farmington Branch.
- Gale Analytics up and running. Sarah will see where we need to market services.
- The Chamber event was a huge success.
- Online Event Calendar updated with The Library Market with more tools
- Circulation goals were so close!
- Collection Development Policy will be reviewed.
- TLN Director Buddy System- Kelley is with Eva Davis of Canton Public Library.
- Programs have been well attended.
- Comments: a lot of positive comments made and treats dropped off to the library.

### **FACILITIES REPORT** (Donald Wrench)

- Bids coming in for parking lot and doors.
- will meet with space utilization study.

**MARKETING STRATEGY** (Sarah Zitter Masindi)

• see presentation shared via email

**COMMITTEE REPORTS** Strategic Planning (Megan Stryd) Committee recommends FastForward Libraries.

**Personnel Committee** (Ernie McClellan) Working on Directors Evaluation Tool. Meeting with Caire Membiela from Library of Michigan to review tools available. Duron-Willner wants to review adding positions.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Founders Fest Parade this Saturday. August 12, Riley Park concert social gathering of the board. October 2, 1-4pm Board Retreat.

### **BOARD TRUSTEE COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- McClellan: Chamber event great, many people state this was their first time in the library.
- Brown: Chamber event went well. Would like to confirm that Kelly spoke to the Mayor regarding extra 3 months on the board, or until a new person is appointed.

#### **CORRESPONDENCE**

None

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

One person had 4 areas of concern:

- Hours- patron would like longer hours. Concerned about being closed on July 5
- Events- would like more adult programming. Would also like printed material with puzzles.
- Employees- misses the old employees who would help with many things.
- Suggestion box: put concern in with phone number and as not called.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting adjourned 8:29

Respectfully Submitted,

Megan Stryd Library Board of Trustees