## December 10, 2019 Tucker Free Library. Trustee Meeting Minutes.

**ROLL CALL** 

ACTION - RECORD ATTENDANCE Sylvia Lennox (Friends Chair), Deb Kreutzer, Anne Crotti, John Capuco, Patti Osgood, Lynn Piotrowicz, Angelica Ladd 5:38 (via phone)

WORKING SESSION

**BUILDING PROJECT** 

a) Feedback from community events

Rotary: went well. Individuals expressed willingness to help. Concerns about starting building project without capital campaign. More by-in for taxpayers if have a viable capital campaign.

After considerable discussion the following action plan was drafted:

MOTION: "Prepare warrant article to fund the next steps of establishing fundraising mechanism, advancing the design, continued community outreach, to present a more concrete plan to the town."

MOVE TO ACCEPT: Deb Kreutzer SECONDED BY: Patti Osgood VOTE: 5-0

b) Building Advisory Committee

Dave Woolpert, Carolyn Maddon and Lisa Hustis expressed interest in being part. Post RFP for hire of a fundraiser consultant on Henniker town website.

- c) Report of members on HOMEWORK assignments in re: funding options: TABLED
- d) Feasibility Study Estimated Cost: Discussed RFP and amount for warrant article.
- e) Promotional products and logo work

Connecting with local artist to develop materials

f) Responses from SMP about timeline

Library director will contact SMP immediately to see how they wish to proceed considering above decision.

ITEM 1 Minutes of Meeting: NOVEMBER 19, 2019

MOVE TO ACCEPT: Deb Kreutzer SECONDED BY: Anne Crotti VOTE: 4-0

ITEM 2 Public Forum

Sylvia Lennox, chair of the FTFL gave an update on Friends.

ITEM 3 Treasurer's Report

a) Y-T-D Summary & Monthly Expenditure Manifest

MOVE TO ACCEPT: Anne Crotti SECONDED BY: John Capuco VOTE: 4-0 TREASURER RECORDS VOTE AND SIGNS MONTHLY MANIFEST

b) Personnel Timesheet Review

**ACTION – TREASURER REVIEWS TIMESHEETS** 

TREASURER SIGNS TIMESHEETS

c) Monies to Be Accepted: NONE

## ITEM 4 Director's Report

a) Air Conditioning Bill Update – Final bill came in at \$12,740.78.

Thanks Sam. What about the not to exceed amount of \$10,000.00 that you proposed? I will need to explain to trustees.

Sorry Lynn, clearly we ran higher than first anticipated costs, as you are aware, we ran into quite a few difficulties adapting the existing system to the new equipment, so the labor ran over. I did not include 15 hours of my own time as well in the final invoice. I was just happy that we were ultimately successful in being able at all to get the A/C system up and running at all as that furnace was never intended to mate up (air flow wise) with an A/C system... So Like my Predecessor did when they first selected that type of system to install we eventually prevailed! Just took longer than I hoped! If you remember I expressed initially my reluctance to even attempt to take this project on because of these issues. Thanks for the work. Sam

Utilizing most current Treasurer's Report, the director highlighted end of year final totals in each budget category, projecting how the AC replacement will be paid for.

b) **Moose Plate Grant** – There is a sign that we have been asked to install on site. Board approved. Location: YTBD

Will have window people remove the banner when they are taking the windows out.

- c) Town Meeting 2020 Important Dates Have not heard backs with dates.
- d) Election of Officers Debra Kreutzer and John Capuco

e) Vote to encumber:

MOTION: "Encumber unused 2019 funds in budget categories: technical maintenance, design, equipment, outreach, project planning for use in said categories in 2020."

MOVE TO ACCEPT: Deb Kreutzer SECONDED BY: Patti Osgood VOTE: 5-0

ITEM 5 Friends' Update

Friends \$20-25 year. Goal to get 100 friends. To start Jan 1

Looking into PayPal.

ITEM 6 2020 Budget Deliberation

Discussed No change

ITEM 7 Set Future Meeting Dates:

12/12/19 5:00 1/7/2020 6:00

ITEM 8 Other

a) Director provided feedback from most recent FTFL meeting.

b) John Capuco provided information on program that the director is attended at NH Center for Non-

profits called "Show Me the Money."

ADJOURNED MOVE TO ADJOURN BY: John Capuco SECONDED BY: Deb Kreutzer VOTE: 5-0

6:40 PM NAME OF RECORDING SECRETARY: John Capuco