

Liberty Municipal Library Board Minutes January 16, 2025

The January 16, 2025, meeting of the Liberty Municipal Library Board was called to order at 5:05 p.m. in the library conference room by Library Director Amber Ursprung.

Members present: Bill Buchanan, Lindsay Lawrence, Brittany Hudnall, Sharon Brown, Gloria Stratton, Erin Dorsett, and Margaret Gardzina. Members absent: Tinya Griffin and Sandy Pickett

The minutes of the October 17, 2024, meeting was reviewed. Margaret Gardzina made the motion to approve minutes as corrected, and Brittany Hudnall seconded. The motion passed 7-0.

There were no public comments.

The treasurer's report was given by Library Director, Amber Ursprung, highlighting the financial report for the Trust account. Margaret Gardzina made the motion to approve the report, and Bill Buchanan seconded. The motion passed 7-0.

In the Director's Report, Amber Ursprung highlighted library activities including the Fall Bash and book sale, Smokey the Bear's visit to Story Time, Christmas Tree contest and Christmas Party with snow event, and building maintenance.

Under Old Business, the board considered the Long Range and Technology Plans that had to be rescheduled from the previous October meeting due to loss of power. Board members mentioned connecting with schools to advertise library programming. Lindsay Lawrence mentioned the importance of Goal 3, maintaining the cultural center. Further research will be conducted regarding the small outdoor garden, future lighting, further utilizing social media to push programming, and movie copyrights. After much discussion, Lindsay Lawrence made the motion to approve the Long Range and Technology Plans, Margaret Gardzina seconded. The motion passed 7-0.

There was no new business.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at approximately 6:13 p.m.