

Greene Public Library

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The Greene Library Board met in regular session on Thursday, March 6, 2025 at 5:00 pm in the library. Present were Barbara Brunsma, presiding, Kathi Stuntz, Andrea Ramker, Daniel Castle, and Patrick Derdzinski. Library Director Lyndsie Pitzenberger, and Mayor Warren Van Dyke were also in attendance.

Motion by Andrea Ramker, second by Daniel Castle to approve the March 6, 2025 agenda and January 6, 2025 minutes. Roll call, all ayes. Motion carried.

Financial Statement was presented by Andrea Ramker. Motion by Patrick Derdzzinski, second by Kathi Stuntz to approve Claims Reports and wages from 02/08/2025 to 03/07/2025 for a total of \$13,042.61. Roll call, all ayes. Motion carried.

Director's report was presented by Lyndsie Pitzenberger.

Correspondence: None

Visitor's Comments: None

Unfinished Business: None

New Business: The Greene Rivers Day program was discussed. A request will be put towards the Friends of the Library to finance the cost for bringing a program from the Mississippi River Museum.

Financial Committee Report: The balance of stocks and CDs was discussed and the need to cash in some of these assets in the near future to cover funding shortfalls.

Other:

Policy Review: The Library Director and Trustees reviewed Personnel policy on pages 46-48 of the Greene Public Library Policy Manual. Motion by Andrea Ramker, second by Kathi Stuntz to add the afternoon of Christmas Eve as a paid holiday per City of Greene adopted policy. Roll call, all ayes. Motion carried. Trustee Training: The Library board discussed 3 recent legislative proposals: SF 238/HF 28 that modifies provisions related to public libraries that are eligible to receive state assistance under the enrich lowa program; SF 347/HF 558 - An Act prohibiting certain materials in public libraries in counties and cities, authorizing civil actions, and providing civil penalties; SF 235/HF 274 - An Act relating to obscenity exemptions for public libraries and educational institutions. The Greene Library Board of Trustees oppose these legislative proposals as presented.

At 5:40 pm, motion by Kathi Stuntz, second by Daniel Castle to adjourn meeting. Roll call, all ayes. Motion carried.

Signed:

Patrick Derdzinski, Secretary