# FLORIDA PUBLIC LIBRARY Monthly Meeting Minutes – December 6, 2021

## I. Call to Order: 6:28

Board Members Present: N.Scott, R.Kamrowski, D. Arcieri, T.Carey,

L.Fernandez

Board Members Excused: S. Kosior

Board Members Absent:

Also Present: Director Sgombick, Justin Wood, Treasurer D. Slezinski, Paul

Weslowski, Sara Taylor

## II. Introduction of Guest – Sara Taylor

#### III. Audit Presentation – Justin Wood, CPA, Nugent & Haeussler, PC

#### IV. Minutes

Motion by D. Arcieri seconded by T. Carey to approve the minutes of the November 1, 2021 monthly meeting as printed.

VOTE: YES 5 NO (

#### V. Announcements and Comments from the Public

#### VI. Treasurer's Report

Motion by L. Fernandez seconded by R. Kamrowski to accept the financial report for November as printed.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

#### VII. Warrant Schedule for December

Motion by L. Fernandez seconded by N. Scott to approve the Warrant Schedule for December as printed.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

#### VIII. Director's Report

Motion by T. Carey seconded by D. Arcieri to accept the Director's Report as corrected.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

**IX.** Communications – IRS letter/bill regarding Employee Retention Credit from 3/21. Sent get well card to patron Mike McDermott.

## X. Committee Reports

- **A.** Finance Trustee Fernandez set meeting date Dec. 14th at 10:30
- **B.** Personnel Trustee Kamrowski Report for 2022-2023; see motion below
- **C.** Nominating Trustee Kosior not present
- **D.** House Trustee Carey No

## X. Unfinished Business

A. Meeting with Architects – Discussion

#### **XI.** New Business

# A. Tax Levy for 2021-2022

Motion by R. Kamrowski seconded D. Arcieri to accept the tax levy for 2021-2022 of \$493,127 from the Florida Union Free School District. Treasurer Slesinski will deposit the monies per the allocations approved at the 11/1/21 meeting.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

#### **B.** Donations

\$100 – Pitso Mafata

\$100 – Moyna Singh

\$ 25 – Stella Kosior IMO Patricia Lempka

Motion by T.Carey seconded by L. Fernandez to accept \$225 from the donors, to thank them and to credit this amount to the Donations line (4050) of the budget.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

# **C.** Targeted Donations

\$65 – Friends of the Florida Public Library

Motion by D. Arcieri seconded by L. Fernandez to accept \$65 for the renewal of the Empire Pass, thank the donor and credit this amount to Adult Programs 5041.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

Note: The Friends also paid \$500 for the renewal of the Intrepid Museum Pass. This check was mailed directly to the museum by the Friends.

# D. Personnel Report and Proposed Raises for 2022-2023

Motion by Ronald Kamrowski, Personnel Committee Chairman, to approve the Personnel Report including proposed raises for the 2022-2023 fiscal year as printed.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

Note: As this motion is put forward by a committee it does not require a second.

#### **E.** Items for future agendas

- 1. Usage of library's museum passes
- 2. Trustee vacancy
- 3. Discussion of architect references and selection process.

## XII. Adjournment

Motion by T. Carey seconded by D. Arcieri to adjourn at 7:15 p.m.

VOTE: YES 5 NO 0

Next Meeting: Regular Monthly Meeting, Monday, January 3, 6:30 p.m.