To enrich, empower, and enlighten the people of the Warren-Newport Public Library District. — Mission statement approved by the Board of Trustees, July 18, 2023.

Warren-Newport Public Library District Board of Trustees

Regular Meeting Tuesday, April 15, 2025, 7:00 PM McCullough Board Room

AGENDA

- I. Call to order, roll call and Determination of quorum. $\{<1\}$
- II. Pledge of Allegiance. {<1}
- III. Reading of the Mission Statement. {<1}
- IV. Public Comments, Correspondence and Communications. INFORMATION $\{20\}$

a. Public Comments.

The Board of Trustees allows up to 20 minutes for Public Comment. Individuals may introduce themselves and speak on any library issues, not to exceed 3 minutes. Those who want their remarks to be added to the Board record must provide a copy to the Board Secretary prior to speaking.

b. Written:

- i. Memoranda from legal counsel, if any.
- ii. Other
- V. Consent agenda (Any trustee may remove items from the consent agenda for separate action by the Board.) ACTION {2}
 - a. Approval of payrolls for March 2025
 - b. Approval of bills payable for February 2025
 - c. Patron Suggestions March 2025
 - d. Approval of Board Policy 1045 Minutes and Recording of Executive Sessions
 - e. Approval of Personnel Policies:
 - i. 324 Employee Assistant Program
 - ii. 326 Flexible Spending Account

MOTION: THAT THE CONSENT AGENDA BE APPROVED AS PRESENTED.

- VI. Item(s) removed from consent agenda, if any. ACTION {5}
- VII. President's report. INFORMATION {5}
- VIII. Reports of other trustees. INFORMATION {5}
- IX. Executive Director's report April 2025. INFORMATION {5}

- X. Old Business
 - a. Facilities improvement plan update. ACTION {15} MOTION: THAT THE BOARD APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF SHELVING AND NEW SERVICE DESKS FROM LFI THROUGH THE TIPS COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$243,764, TO WAIVE THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS AS PERMITTED UNDER SECTION 2.04 OF BOARD POLICY 2025 PURCHASING (BIDS/QUOTES) REGARDING JOINT PURCHASES WITH OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE ALL NECESSARY DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THIS PURCHASE, AS PRESENTED.
 - b. Developer Donation Agreement with Ten Hotel & Residences, LLC. ACTION {5} MOTION: THAT THE BOARD ADOPT THE DEVELOPER DONATION AGREEMENT WITH TEN HOTEL & RESIDENCES, LLC. AS PRESENTED.
- XI. New business
 - a. Secretary's Report: Approval of Minutes of Regular Meeting March 18, 2025. ACTION {3}
 MOTION: THAT THE BOARD APPROVE MINUTES OF REGULAR
 - MEETING MARCH 18, 2025, AS PRESENTED.b. Reports of Standing Committees: Committee of the Whole April 1, 2025.
 - ACTION {3}
 - i. Finance
 - ii. Building and Grounds
 - iii. Policy

iv. Summary, Personnel and General

MOTION: THAT THE BOARD APPROVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE APRIL 1, 2025, AS PRESENTED.

c. Approval of Monthly Financial Statements for February 2025. ACTION {5}

MOTION: THAT THE BOARD APPROVE THE MONTHLY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR FEBRUARY 2025.

- d. Approval of Board Policy 4013 Gift Donation. ACTION {3} MOTION: THAT THE BOARD APPROVE BOARD POLICY 4013 GIFT DONATION AS PRESENTED.
- e. Approval of Board Policy 4018 Naming Facilities. ACTION {3}

224 North O'Plaine Road, Gurnee, Illinois 60031 847-244-5150 FAX 847-244-3499 www.wnpl.info MOTION: THAT THE BOARD APPROVE BOARD POLICY 4018 NAMING FACILITIES AS PRESENTED.

- f. Ordinance 2024/2025-7 Ordinance Amending Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Fiscal Year 2024-2025. ACTION {10} MOTION: THAT THE BOARD ADOPT ORDINANCE 2024/2025-7 ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR FY 2024-2025 AS PRESENTED.
- g. Initial presentation of budget FY 2025-2026 first draft. INFORMATION {25}
- h. Other potentially actionable items: Agenda items for May 2025 Regular Meeting. INFORMATION {5}
 - i. Monthly Financial Statements for March 2025
 - ii. Review of the latest FY2025-2026 budget draft and discussion
 - iii. Reorganization of the Board of Trustees
 - iv. Tentative transfer of funds from Expendable Trust to Endowment Fund
 - v. Board Policies
 - 1. 2025 Purchasing (Bids-Quotes)
 - 2. 2035 Disposal or Sale of Library Property
 - 3. 3072 Local Author Collection
 - 4. 4015 Sponsorship
 - vi. Personnel Policies
 - 1. 401 Timekeeping
 - 2. 403 Paydays
 - vii. Other
- XII. Public forum {15}

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- XIII. Announcements {5}
 - a. By the chair:
 - i. Communications to the public
 - ii. Upcoming calendar:
 - 1. Committee of the Whole, Tuesday, May 6, 2025, 7:00 p.m.
 - 2. Library Closed for Staff Development Half Day: Thursday, May 8, 2025, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
 - 3. Regular Meeting, Tuesday, May 20, 2025, 7:00 p.m.

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 b. By other trustees or the director
 XIV. Adjournment. ACTION {<1} MOTION: THAT THE MEETING BE ADJOURNED. {Estimated total duration 143 minutes}

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