APPROVED

Minutes of the Board of Trustees' Meeting February 15, 2024 6:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by M. Hanewinckel at 6:39 p.m. Also present were Nora Berlin, Christine Scibelli, William Wexler, Francis Flynn, and Mary Schubart, Director and Secretary to the Board.

Approval of Minutes

On a motion by W. Wexler, seconded by N. Berlin, the Board approved the previous month's minutes. Passed unanimously.

Approval of Bills & Payroll

On a motion by W. Wexler, seconded by N. Berlin, the Board approved the previous month's bills and payrolls as well as the *Independent Accountant's Report* issued by Sheehan Accountants & Advisors, Brightwaters, NY. Passed unanimously.

January 2024	Warrant – General	\$72,243.76
January 2024	Capital Fund	None
January 2024	Payroll	\$136,652.69

Period for Public Expression

None.

Correspondence:

- 1. Report from M. Irish, Adult/Teen Department.
- 2. Report from A. LoDolce, Children's Department.
- 3. Report from Custodial Department
- 4. Invitation to Trustee training opportunities
- 5. Notification of receipt of partial PILOT payment in amount of \$11,481.30.

Personnel Report:
Accepted.
Financial Report:
Accepted.
Security Report:
None.
Old Business:
The Board was reminded that the Budget Hearing is set for Thursday, March 21 st and the Budget Vote and Trustee Election is set for Tuesday, April 2 nd .
New Business:
On a motion by N. Berlin, seconded by C. Scibelli, the Board approved an expenditure of \$3,500 to engage Arthur Giacalone Consulting, Inc. to review deteriorating millwork surrounding the lobby fishtank. Passed unanimously.
On a motion by W. Wexler, seconded by N. Berlin, the Board agreed to present a budget to the public that stays under the NYS tax cap. Passed unanimously.
On a motion by W. Wexler, seconded by N. Berlin, the Board approved the proposed 2024-25 budget in the amount of \$4,311,087 with a requisite levy in the amount of \$4,296,087 for submission to the public for a vote. Passed unanimously.
Other
None

Adjournment

On a motion by W. Wexler, seconded by N. Berlin, the meeting was adjourned at 8:52 p.m.