

Indian Prairie Public Library
401 Plainfield Road
Darien, Illinois 60561

**Indian Prairie Public Library Foundation & Friends Meeting
January 15, 2025 – 6:30 p.m.**

AGENDA

- A. Roll Call
Donald Damon, Marian Krupicka, Stacy Palmisano, Themis Raftis,
Christina Rodriguez, Victoria Suriano, Samia Wahab
- B. Public Comment
- C. Correspondence - none
- D. Omnibus Consent Agenda Action
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in the First-Floor Public Computer Area
 - 2. 3D Printer Replacement Proposal Page 9 Action
- I. Adjournment

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Indian Prairie Public Library
Foundation & Friends Minutes
July 17, 2024 – 6:30 p.m.

A. Roll Call

President Suriano called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m. Secretary Krupicka called the roll.
Present: Donald Damon, Marian Krupicka, Stacy Palmisano, Themis Raftis, Christina Rodriguez (arrived at 6:35 p.m.), Victoria Suriano, Samia Wahab
Absent: none
Staff Present: Laura Birmingham, Kristen Lawson, Maria Wlosinski
Others: none

President Suriano asked for additions and/or corrections to the agenda. There were none.

B. Public Comment

C. Correspondence – none

D. Omnibus Consent Agenda

1. Minutes of Foundation & Friends Meeting 2/21/24

2. Bills for Approval

Damon moved, Palmisano seconded to approve the Omnibus Consent Agenda. Ayes: Damon, Krupicka, Palmisano, Raftis, Suriano, Wahab. Nays: none. Absent: Rodriguez.
Motion carried unanimously.

E. Items Deleted from Omnibus Consent Agenda

F. Report

1. Treasurer's Report – backup is in packet.

G. Unfinished Business - none

H. New Business

1. Resolution #2024-A Appointing Registered Agent – Birmingham noted that this pertains to the annual report filing. Damon moved, Wahab seconded to approve Resolution #2024-A Appointing Registered Agent. Ayes: Damon, Krupicka, Palmisano, Raftis, Rodriguez, Suriano, Wahab. Nays: none. Absent: none. Motion carried unanimously.
2. Request for Funding Award Books – Raftis moved, Damon seconded to approve the request for funding Award Books in the amount of \$5,150. Ayes: Damon, Krupicka, Palmisano, Raftis, Rodriguez, Suriano, Wahab. Nays: none. Absent: none. Motion carried unanimously.
3. Funding Request: Vinyl Collection – Krupicka moved, Palmisano seconded to approve the funding request for the vinyl collection in the amount of \$1,415. Ayes: Damon, Krupicka, Palmisano, Raftis, Rodriguez, Suriano, Wahab. Nays: none. Absent: none. Motion carried unanimously.
4. Funding Request: Additional Funds for Hoopla Flex – This request would allow us to increase the collection size, provide a greater range of popular titles, and provide a faster

response time to patron demand. Krupicka moved, Rodriguez seconded to approve additional funds for Hoopla Flex in the amount of \$5,000. Ayes: Damon, Krupicka, Palmisano, Raftis, Rodriguez, Suriano, Wahab. Nays: none. Absent: none. Motion carried unanimously.

- 5. Foundation Investments – Foundation & Friends funds are currently invested in a CD. Birmingham noted that while library investment vehicles are limited, Foundation & Friends investment vehicles are not. Rodriguez suggested that Birmingham ask MPI for suggestions.

I. Adjournment

At 6:51 p.m. Damon moved, Palmisano seconded to adjourn the meeting. Ayes: Damon, Krupicka, Palmisano, Raftis, Rodriguez, Suriano, Wahab. Nays: none. Absent: none. Motion carried unanimously.

Marian Krupicka, Secretary

Indian Prairie Public Library Foundation and Friends
Expenditures

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July through December 2024

Date	Num	Name	Memo	Amount
Jul Dec 24				
08/02/2024	1475	Indian Prairie Public Library Dist		5,000.00
08/02/2024	1476	RAILS		1,375.00
08/05/2024	1477	Secretary of State	Changing from Jamie B to Laura B.	5.00
08/29/2024	1478	Bank of America		463.74
08/29/2024	1479	Thomas Interiors		2,163.00
09/24/2024	1480	Dvorak, Mark		400.00
09/30/2024	1481	Bank of America		1,323.56
10/22/2024	1482	Bank of America		306.22
11/19/2024	1483	Riddle, Jennifer		400.00
11/29/2024	1484	Bank of America		198.19
12/19/2024	1485	Award Emblem		36.35
12/19/2024	1486	Impressions In Stone		616.07
12/19/2024	1487	kristinZkreations		300.00
12/27/2024	1488	Bank of America		245.89
		Bank and PayPal Fees		235.60
Jul Dec 24				<u>13,068.62</u>

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July 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024 Treasurer's Report

Bank Balances at Community Bank of Willowbrook as of 12/31/2024

Money Market Balances on June 30, 2024 Treasurer's Report	\$16,540.18
<u>Income from July 1 – December 31, 2024</u>	
Money Market Interest (0.10%)	9.43
Donations	47,868.45
<u>Expenses from July 1 – December 31, 2024</u>	
	-13,068.62
Money Market Balances as of December 31, 2024	51,349.44
Checking	<u>38.03</u>
TOTAL	\$ 51,387.47

Bank Balances at Republic Bank as of 12/31/2024

CD balance as of 6/30/2024	\$104,123.77
CD Interest July – December, 2024 (earning 5.07% APY, due 3/22/2025)	2,669.60
CD TOTAL	\$106,793.27
TOTAL BALANCE BANK ACCOUNTS AND CD	\$158,180.74

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Donors

July through December 2024

Adkesson, Ann	25.00
Andersen, J. R.	40.00
Anonymous	13,781.49
Armellino, Donna & John	3,000.00
Bartle, Brian	25.00
Benevity	306.73
Berg, L.	100.00
Better World Books	664.34
Blessman, Andrew	75.00
Brune, Camille / The 605 Moms	190.00
Castellano, Jimmy & Stephanie	75.00
Clancy, Gloria	100.00
Contractors Express	500.00
Corlett, Edwin	10.00
Darien Garden Club	100.00
Davies, Lynda	100.00
Davis, Betty & Stephen	125.00
Delia, Christine	100.00
Dennison, Daniel Paul	75.00
Eubanks, Carol	200.00
Evan, Darlene	325.00
Gabanski, Glenn & Donna	500.00
Gillespie, Shari	150.00
Gilroy, Kelly	100.00
Hadad, Marcia	25.00
Jablonski, Raymond	250.00
Kacmar, Joan	600.00
Kelly, Brian	250.00
Knoch, Luba	500.00
Kowalkowski, Dawn	75.00
Labonte, Deborah	30.00
Lawrence, Elizabeth	70.00
Lyell, Kelly	498.00
Maiello Gluecklich, Cindy	136.50
Marasovich, Carol	50.00
Marcisz, Sharon	250.00
Margaret Weitz Muenzing Charitable Fund	500.00
Markus, Ann E. & Thomas	50.00
Martin, Nancy	100.00
Megaridis, Crystal	100.00
Mueller, Jill & Daniel	125.00
Navarre, Deb	25.00
Neach, Charles	100.00
Nge, Jimmy	25.00
Noverini, Diane & Frank	215.00

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Pearson, Cathy Lou	5,000.00
Reilly, Margaret	100.00
Riedell, Susanne G	1,000.00
Sandra Arendt - death benefit	15,626.39
Sethi, Utsav	20.00
Sharma, Girish	50.00
Strass, Lawrence	25.00
Stunkel, Joyce E.	200.00
Sudreth, Christine	100.00
Szafranski, Steven	300.00
Temmer Garcia, Linda	60.00
The Wasan Family	500.00
Tracy, C.J.	20.00
Villadolid, Annie	50.00
Wiegmann, Shelley	75.00
Wurzer, Mary C.	200.00
TOTAL	<u>47,868.45</u>

January 3, 2025

Indian Prairie Library Foundation & Friends
401 Plainfield Road
Darien, IL 60561

Dear IPPL Foundation & Friends,

Thank you so much for the huge amount of support you've given to the Indian Prairie Library through the years! Thanks to you, we are able to surprise and delight our guests every day with new features and services offered at the library.

I am writing today to request funding for twelve replacement chairs for use in the first-floor public computer area. The chairs that are currently being used in the room are old, predating our 2021 renovation project, and are in poor aesthetic condition. The chairs I would like to purchase are rated for up to 300 lbs and will match the paint, carpet, and other finishes in the public computer area.

The purchase of twelve replacement chairs, including shipping, will total \$6,715 according to our sales rep at Thomas Interiors.

We truly appreciate your consideration and the continuing support you've provided us over the years.

Sincerely,

Kristen Lawson
Deputy Director
Indian Prairie Public Library

3D Printer Replacement Proposal

In Makerspaces, 3D printers are the main attraction. Often when libraries start collecting machines, a 3D printer is their first, or sometimes only, purchase.

Unfortunately, our 3D printer has not been fully functional for about a year. We have attempted expensive repairs that cost close to a new machine as well as software workarounds. We have even resorted to using a support material that patrons struggle to remove and can lead to their prints snapping in half. According to numerous reviews, these problems are common with the Ultimaker S5.

Our solution is to purchase the Bambu Lab Carbon X1 Combo unit as a replacement, the leading makerspace standard. The Bambu printer handles multiple colors seamlessly, includes more color options, has finer detail and smoothing than the UltiMaker S5, can use PVA (rinse away) support filament that is easy to remove. Also, filaments and parts are cheaper than the Ultimaker S5, saving us money overall.

- Ultimaker PVA .15 cents per gram, PLA .08 Cents per gram
- Bambu PVA .8 Cents pers gram, PLA .03 Cents per gram

Given the cost adjustments, cost for patron printing would go back to .10 cents per gram. Saving our patrons money on 3D printing.

Uses

- Patron 3D prints
- Programming

Costs

- Machine
 - Bambu Lab Carbon X1 Combo \$1499 (includes material station)
- Filament
 - Bambu labs PVA x2, \$79.98
 - Bambu Labs PLA x13, (various colors) \$367.87
- Total
 - \$1946.85

CNET Review

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