# MONTAUK LIBRARY REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES APRIL 29, 2019 7:00PM

**Unapproved Minutes** 

# CALL TO ORDER AT 7PM BY JLYCKE

IN ATTENDANCE: JLycke, MLevine, BGrimes, LBarnds, LBostrom, CTyler

**ABSENT:** PStein

ALSO PRESENT: DDiPaolo, SKrusch, LLenahan

# APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM MARCH 18,2019 REGULAR MEETING:

APPROVED BY CTyler, JLycke, Unanimous

### **VOTE TO APPROVE CHECK DETAIL & PAYROLL REPORTS:**

APPROVED BY MLevine, BGrimes, Unanimous

**PUBLIC EXPRESSION: N/A** 

### **CORRESPONDENCE:**

JLycke read thank you note sent to Mr. & Mrs. Steve Fishman for their \$200 donation to the Montauk Library.

### FRIENDS REPORT:

SKrusch reported Montauk Library fundraising calendar is moving along nicely with sponsorship ads; looking for additional sponsorship; offering half- price to local non-profits. SKrusch also reported book sale made close to \$1,500 and the Friends committee is working on the upcoming book fair.

# **COMMITTEE REPORT:**

#1 BUILDING & GROUNDS- N/A (Board will discuss any new findings at May 20, 2019 meeting)

#2 FINANCE & BUDGET-MATURING CD'S-

MLevine and Board members discussed options for maturing CD's.

Suggestions were made by MLevine and BGrimes on options for moving CD's, but a determination was made by Board to put decision about CD's on hold until next Board meeting. #3 DDiPaolo reported that a letter was received to engage the annual auditor. The letter stated a scale for hourly rates associated with the capital project.

### **PERSONNEL:**

#1- DDIPAOLO reported that the library has two summer interns in place. Emily Leonardo will be returning for another season at the library and Gabriel Cohen, a new summer intern was hired at \$14 per hour as a part-time Page. He is presently studying at Cornell University.

#2 DDiPaolo also reported the Library Clerk Test Results were in and Catherine Ruberto, an employee of the Montauk Library, passed the test and will be receiving . 50 cents per hour increase.

#3 Also reported by DDiPaolo: Children's Librarian position still actively underway. DDiPaolo stated that a very qualified candidate expressed interest in the full time position; Denise has requested to create a Librarian IV position in this regard.

#4 The 2019-2020 Salary/Wage Recommendations was discussed by Board members in reference to revising salary schedule. JLycke suggested more discussion at May 20, 2019 Board meeting should take place.

### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT:**

#1DDiPaolo reported receiving a letter on 4/29/2019 from John C. Jilnicki, Assistant Town Attorney for the Town of East Hampton in reference to the application for the Montauk Library Renovation & Expansion project. Mr. Jilnicki stated that the counsel's conclusion with the library application which will be reviewed by the Board of Education, Office of Facilities Planning, would NOT be subject to local site plan review.

#2 DDiPaolo reported that Passport applications are now being accepted at the Montauk Library only by trained employees. Appointment is necessary.

- #3 DDiPaolo will be traveling to the ALA meeting in Washington DC in June.
- #4 Fire Inspection at the library is scheduled for May 15, 2019.
- #5 ESL classes at the library will be on hold for the summer months.
- #6 Fitness classes increased with a significant turnout.
- #7 Baby chicks at the library were successful with 9 out of 12 hatching. DDiPaolo reported the staff had great participation in caring for the chicks and concluded it was a great team building experience.
- #8 DDiPaolo reported Linda D. iss doing a great job coordinating Children's programs.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

#1 LTV /ORAL HISTORIES launched an oral history program with Mr.John Gosman.

#2 Montauk Film Festival is underway discussing events to be screened at the Montauk Library with DDiPaolo .

#3 CTyler discussed creating flyers for the PTA committee of which he is a Board member, to add to the PTA flyer a reminder to vote on May 21st for the Montauk Library Renovation & Expansion. Students would be given the flyer to take home.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

DDiPaolo discussed attending CAC meeting on Monday, May 6, 2019 and after, going to MFD to speak for a few minutes at their monthly meeting in reference to the Library Renovation and Expansion project.

### **ADJOURN MEETING:**

Motion to adjourn at 8:30PM. LBarnds, BGrimes, Unanimous

The Next Meeting Is Scheduled for Monday, May 20, 2019 at 7PM.

Respectfully yours, Lucille Lenahan