## LAKE BLUFF PUBLIC LIBRARY

# **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Regular Meeting Tuesday, January 10, 2012

1. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Board President John Marozsan. Roll was called and a quorum was established.

Present: Karen Bush, Julie Gottshall, John Marozsan, Kathy Meierhoff, Judy Nickels,

Cal Stroh

Absent: none

Library Staff Present: Director Eric Bailey, Martha Cordeniz, Carlen DeThorne, Clare

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Members of the Public: none

**2.** Additions and Corrections to the Agenda: Add to "Old Business" review of a draft letter to the Board of Directors of the LB History Museum.

#### 3. Approval of Minutes:

Stroh moved and Meierhoff seconded a motion to approve the minutes of the December 13, 2011 regular meeting, the December 6, 2011 special meeting, and the December 19, 2011 special meeting.

AYES: all present

NAYES: none ABSENT: none

**4. Approval of checks:** Marozsan moved and Bush seconded the motion to approve manual check numbers 10312 – 10324 and monthly check numbers 10325 – 10355, excluding check numbers 10348, 10351 and 10352, and to authorize the Board President to approve the excluded checks (10348, 10351, 10352) upon receipt of acceptable supporting documentation.

AYES: Bush, Gottshall, Marozsan, Meierhoff, Nickels, Stroh

NAYES: none ABSENT: none

# 5. Approval of December 2011 Financial Report (for periods ending 12/31/11):

- a. Detailed Balance Sheet
- **b.** Detailed Revenue & Expense Report
- c. Detailed Revenue & Expense Report with percentage variances

Stroh moved and Bush seconded motion to approve Financial Reports.

AYES: Bush, Gottshall, Marozsan, Meierhoff, Nickels, Stroh

NAYES: none ABSENT: none

# 6. Opportunity for the Public to address the Board: none

#### 7. Old Business:

- **a.** Vacancy on Board of Trustees. <u>Resolved</u>: The Board will interview candidates on Tuesday, January 31 at 7pm.
- **b.** Letter to History Museum Board of Directors. <u>Resolved</u>: President will sign and send letter attached as Exhibit A to the minutes.

## 8. Director's Report:

- a. Director's Narrative Report
- **b.** Statistical Report
- c. Contract with Rachel Bailey
- d. Announcements and correspondence
- **e.** Friends meeting attendee for January -1/14/12 at 10am Meierhoff to attend; for February -2/11/12 at 10am Nickels to attend
- **f.** Programs of interest to Library Trustees none

#### 9. New Business:

a. Possible safety issues.

## 10. Executive Session:

- **a.** Discussion of the minutes of meetings lawfully closed under the Open Meetings Act 5 ILCS 120/2 (c) (21).
- **b.** To discuss the appointment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees of the public body in compliance with the Open Meetings Act 5 ILCS 120 (c) (1).

No executive session held.

#### 11. Committee Reports:

- **a.** Finance Committee (Stroh, Marozsan, Gottshall) no report
- **b.** Human Resource Committee (Gottshall, Bush) no report
- **c.** Building and Grounds Committee (Stroh, Meierhoff) no report.
- **d.** Technology Committee (Marozsan, Meierhoff) no report.
- **e.** Public Relations/Advocacy/Fundraising (Nickels) no report.
- **f.** Friends Liaison (Bush, Nickels) no report
- g. Historical Museum Liaison (Nickels, Bush) no report
- **h.** Long Range Planning Committee (Board as whole when needed) no report.

## 12. Any and all other business which may properly come before the Board - none

**13. Adjournment:** Gottshall moved and Bush seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:40 p.m.

AYES: all none ABSENT: none

Respectfully submitted,

Julie L. Gottshall Board Secretary