LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MONDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2026, 5:00 P.M.

Chairperson Theresa Presley presided and convened the regular meeting of Nevada Library Board of Trustees on Monday, October 19, 2026 at 5:01 p.m. at the Nevada Public Library, 631 K Avenue, Nevada, Iowa. The agenda was posted on the official bulletin board in compliance with the open-meeting law.

The roll was called indicating that the following named Trustees were present and absent. Present: Joshua Peschel (via zoom; left at 5:28 p.m.), Theresa Presley, Jennifer Sloan, and Teresa Wheelock. Absent: Emma Cassabaum (arrived at 5:08 p.m.), Priscilla Gammon (arrived at 5:03 p.m.), James Woodard.

Others in attendance were Library Director Tina Hertel, Interim Library Director Julie Ungs, Henry Corbin, and Donna Mosinski.

Motion by Board Member Jennifer Sloan, seconded by Board Member Teresa Wheelock, to ***approve the agenda moving the Director Report after #9 on the agenda***. The roll being called, the following named members voted. Ayes: Sloan, Wheelock, Peschel, and Presley. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

The board made introductions to Tina Hertel.

Priscilla Gammon arrived at 5:03 p.m.

There was no one present who wished to address the Board at this time.

Tina reviewed with the board how she would like to schedule the continuing education in the future. The discussion lasted for 5 minutes.

Emma Cassabaum arrived at 5:08 p.m.

Motion by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Priscilla Gammon, to approve the following ***consent agenda*** items as submitted:
(1) Approve **minutes** of the September 21, 2026 regular meeting
(2) Approve October 2026 **claims** totaling $10,381.27 (see attached list)
(3) Accept and place on file the Director's **memo** dated October 19, 2026
(4) Accept and place on file September 2026 financial report
The roll being called, the following named board members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Gammon, Peschel, Presley, Sloan, and Wheelock. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

The Committee Appointments are as follows:

Technology: Josh Peschel, James Woodard, and Jennifer Sloan
Gift: Teresa Wheelock, James Woodard, and Priscilla Gammon
Budget: Theresa Presley, Josh Peschel, and Emma Cassabaum

Motion by Board Member Priscilla Gammon, seconded by Board Member Teresa Wheelock, to approve the Hours, Annual Closure, and Severe Weather Policy with the following 2026 changes: delete the Day before Thanksgiving closing at 6 p.m. and add a closure of December 26, 2026. The roll being called, the following named members voted. Ayes: Gammon, Wheelock, Cassabaum, Peschel, Presley, and Sloan. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

Joshua Peschel left at 5:28 p.m.

Motion by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Priscilla Gammon, to approve the Hours, Annual Closure, and Severe Weather Policy for 2027 as amended. The roll being called, the following named members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Gammon, Presley, Sloan, and Wheelock. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried.

Interim Library Director Julie Ungs reported on:

- The teen lounge is all put together again and looks great.
- The fall programs are going well.
- There has been some cross training for ILL.
- Donna went over the cash balances and budgeting for the trust accounts.

There being no further business to come before the Board, it was moved by Board Member Emma Cassabaum, seconded by Board Member Teresa Wheelock, to ***adjourn the meeting***. The roll being called, the following board members voted. Ayes: Cassabaum, Wheelock, Gammon, Presley, and Sloan. Nays: None. Chairperson Theresa Presley declared the motion carried. At 6:02 p.m. she adjourned the meeting.

ATTEST: _____ _____

Priscilla Gammon, Secretary Theresa Presley, Chairperson