# MAMAKATING LIBRARY BOARD of TRUSTEES MEETING January 19, 2022

**PRESENT:** Trustees Patti Andersen, Pamela Rice, Mark Tourtellott, Jennifer Holmes, and Director Peggy Johansen (via phone)

**ABSENT:** Pam Mann, Antoinette King and Jay Egan

The meeting was called to order at 6:11 pm.

**Public Member:** No members of the public present

- 2. **AGENDA:** Motion to adopt the January agenda as amended made by Pamela Rice, seconded by Jennifer Holmes. All in favor, motion carried.
- **MINUTES:** Motion to adopt December meeting minutes made by Jennifer Holmes, seconded by Mark Tourtellott. All in favor, motion carried.
- **4. EXECUTIVE SESSION:** Motion to move to Executive Session made by Pamela Rice, seconded by Jennifer Holmes. All in favor, motion carried. Entered Executive Session at 6:21, returned to regular session at 6:54 pm.
- **5. FINANCE REPORT:** Motion made to approve abstract of vouchers for September made by Jennifer Holmes, seconded by Mark Tourtellott. All in favor, motion carried.

#### 6. **DIRECTOR'S REPORT:**

Director Peggy Johansen's comprehensive report was distributed. See attached.

#### **Items of Note:**

- •The library received \$1400 from the Friends of the Mamakating Library to purchase a new YA bookcase and matching funds from an anonymous donor, which has been used to purchase bookcases in the Story Corner in the children's library.
- •The library will be returning to Zoom delivery for programs and classes.
- •Director Peggy Johansen will be focusing on preparing the Annual Report, an opportunity for NYS libraries to send statistics to RCLS early February
- •Director Peggy Johansen, Sarah, and Antoinette conducted outreach at the Red Cross Blood Drive at the Mamakating Town Hall.

#### 7. OLD BUSINESS

## Finalize 2022 Operational Budget

Motion made to approve 2022 Operational Budget of \$335,690 made by Jennifer Holmes, seconded by Pamela Rice. All in favor, motion approved.

## 8. NEW BUSINESS

# **Board Meeting Day**

The Board of Trustees spring 2022 meetings will be held the second Tuesday of the month from February through May. Meetings will return to Wednesday evenings in June 2022.

## 9. POLICY REVISIONS

## **Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability Policy**

Discussion and development of policy. The policy will be forwarded to the Sustainable Libraries Initiative Committee for review. Revisit for approval during February meeting.

## 10. PRIVILEDGE OF THE FLOOR

**Public Comment** – No public member present

Motion to adjourn made by Jennifer Holmes seconded by Patti Andersen. All in favor, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:34 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pamela Rice, Trustee