# BEDFORD PARK PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES NOVEMBER 12, 2016

President Lotus Pallardy called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

President Lotus Pallardy led the Board in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL:** 

Mallis; Yes Rackow; Yes Holloway; Yes

Lotus Pallardy; Yes Kmitch; Yes

ABSENT:

Holdman, Padilla

ALSO PRESENT:

Attorney Gryczewski, Director Murphy, Business

Administrator Salecki

ABSENT:

**Auditor Malatt** 

Mallis made a motion to accept the Amendment to the Agenda. Kmitch 2<sup>nd</sup> Roll Call: Ayes: Mallis, Rackow, Holloway, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla Motion carried.

Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla. Motion carried.

# **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

In the absence of Chairperson Holdman, Mallis read the Financial Report for the month of November. With no questions, Mallis made a motion to accept the Financial Report, Kmitch 2<sup>nd</sup> On a roll call vote: Ayes: Holloway, Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla Motion carried.

**LEGAL** 

None

### COMMUNICATIONS

Director Murphy read a thank you letter from Laura Smith. She thanked us for the flowers that were sent from the Bedford Park Library for a family member's funeral. Kmitch made a motion to accept the Communications Report, Holloway 2<sup>nd</sup>. On a roll call vote: Ayes: Holloway, Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla Motion carried.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Director Murphy reviewed our Health Insurance Renewal which went down 2%. She also talked about our Maintenance Agreement with Advent for a three year agreement for our Security System and camera system.

Director Murphy talked about the Christmas Pizza Luncheon.

Director Murphy talked about the upcoming events taking place in the Youth Service Department. Kmitch made a motion to accept the Librarian and Youth Service's Reports. On a roll call vote: Ayes: Holloway, Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla Motion carried.

## BUILDING AND GROUNDS

None

**FINANCE** 

In the absence of Holdman, Mallis read the following:

Total Payroll through November 14, 2016	\$35,432.94		
Total Bills through November 14, 2016	\$95,092.65ss		
Total Expenditures through November 14, 2016	\$130,525.58		

Mallis made a motion to accept and pay the bills. Holloway 2<sup>nd</sup>. On a roll call vote: Ayes: Holloway, Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla, Motion carried.

**POLICY** 

None

PERSONNEL

None

**PLANNING** 

None

SPECIAL EVENTS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

None

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

THE Snow Removal Bid was discussed and the board thought the price was high and that we would just stick with the village and have the janitors remove the snow on the sidewalks. Holloway made a motion to stick with the way we have always done are snow removal, the Village doing our parking lots and the janitors doing the sidewalks, Mallis 2<sup>nd</sup>. On a roll call vote: Ayes: Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla. Motion carried.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

The board accepted the Advent Contract for our security and camera systems. Mallis made a motion to accept the proposal, not to exceed \$8,832.00 for year one, \$9,096.00 for year two and \$9,888.00 for year three On a roll call vote: Kmitch 2<sup>nd</sup> On a roll call vote: Ayes: Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch, Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla Motion carried.

Kmitch made a motion to renew our Blue Cross/Blue Shield Health Insurance with a 2% decrease, Mallis 2<sup>nd</sup> On a roll call vote: Ayes: Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla Motion carried.

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None

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

None

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Mallis made a motion to adjourn at 7:30 p.m., Kmitch 2<sup>nd</sup> On a roll call vote: Ayes: Mallis, Rackow, Lotus Pallardy, Kmitch. Nayes: None Absent: Holdman, Padilla. Motion carried.

SECRETARY

PRESIDENT