





MINUTES OF LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

Thursday, May 19, 2022 – 7:00 pm – Civic Centre Resource Library

Rose Savage

Gary Thompson

Chair

Present:

In Attendance:

R. Savage (Chair), G. Blackman, D. Da Ros-Presutti, M. Di Rocco,

M. Ferri, L. Hewitt, M. Kaur, D. Lazar, H. Malik, A. Nicaso, P. Pallante,

L. Pavese, G. Rosati, G. Sangha, R. Wu

Regrets: R. Cinelli, M. Iafrate, G. Thompson, S. Yeung Racco

Gail Blackman

Vice Chair

Trustee

M. Singleton, Chief Executive Officer

A. Dowiat Vine, Deputy CEO Growth & Communications

C. Fiorini, Deputy CEO, Corporate Services

L. McDonough, Deputy CEO, Customer Experience

P. Yovdoshuk, Recorder

Ralph Cinelli Trustee

Denise Da Ros-Presutti Trustee

Marcella Di Rocco

Trustee

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Mario Ferri Trustee

Lauri Hewitt Trustee

Marilyn lafrate Trustee

Manjit Kaur

Trustee

Donald Lazar

Trustee

Hameed Malik

Trustee

Antonella Nicaso

Trustee

Palma Pallante

Trustee

Loreta Pavese

Trustee

Gino Rosati

Trustee

Gary Sangha Trustee

Richard Wu

Trustee

Sandra Yeung Racco

Trustee

CALL TO ORDER

As there was a quorum at 7:01 pm, the Chair called the meeting to order.

2. VPL LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

3. **DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST**

There were no disclosures of interest.

4. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

4.1 Agenda items to be added or deleted

There were no agenda items to be added or deleted.

4.2 Adoption of Agenda

MOTION: THAT the agenda be adopted as presented.

MOVED BY: P. Pallante **SECONDED BY:** L. Pavese

MOTION CARRIED.

5. **ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF APRIL 28, 2022**

Add D. Da Ros-Presutti as regrets to attend the meeting.

MOTION: THAT the minutes of meeting of April 28, 2022 be adopted

as amended.

MOVED BY: M. Ferri **SECONDED BY:** L. Hewitt

MOTION CARRIED.

COMMUNICATIONS 6.

6.1 Library Articles

6.2 Promotional Articles about VPL

What's On at Vaughan Public Libraries - May-June 2022

THAT the communications be received. MOTION:

MOVED BY: M. Di Rocco **SECONDED BY:** H. Malik

MOTION CARRIED.



7. **REPORTS**

7.1 Management Report for April 2022 and YTD Performance Indicator Reports

MOTION: THAT the Board receive the Management Report for April 2022 and YTD

Performance Indicator Reports.

MOVED BY: G. Blackman SECONDED BY: D. Lazar

MOTION CARRIED.

7.2 VPL Corporate Outcome Measures Q1 2022

MOTION: THAT the Board receive the report on VPL Corporate Outcome Measures for Q1

2022.

MOVED BY: A. Nicaso SECONDED BY: P. Pallante

MOTION CARRIED.

7.3 Project Update on VMC Library and VMC Express

MOTION: THAT the Board receive the Project Update on the VMC Library and VMC

Express.

MOVED BY: D. Da Ros-Presutti

SECONDED BY: A. Nicaso

MOTION CARRIED.

7.4 VPL's Economic Impact Report

MOTION: THAT the Board receive VPL's Economic Impact Report.

MOVED BY: L. Hewitt SECONDED BY: M. Kaur

MOTION CARRIED.

7.5 Presentation - VPL's Digital Literacy

The Board welcomed Tommy Sutherland, Librarian II-Digital Literacies, who provided a presentation about *Make It, Create It, Learn It: Digital Literacy, Digital Inclusion, and VPL's Creation Spaces.*

The Board expressed their thanks for a very informative presentation.

7.6 Report from Personnel & Policy Committee

7.6.1 Minutes of Personnel & Policy Committee Meeting of February 16, 2022

MOTION: THAT the Board receive the minutes of the Personnel & Policy Committee

Meeting of February 16, 2022.

MOVED BY: G. Blackman

SECONDED BY: D. Da Ros-Presutti

MOTION CARRIED.

7.6.2 Review of Elections Policy

A. Nicaso, Committee Chair, reviewed the amendments to the Elections Policy.



MOTION: THAT the Board adopt the revised Elections Policy as recommended by the

Personnel & Policy Committee,

AND THAT the Operational Policy be amended as appropriate.

MOVED BY: L. Hewitt SECONDED BY: M. Ferri

MOTION CARRIED.

7.6.3 Review of Hiring and Nepotism Policy

A. Nicaso, Committee Chair, reviewed the amendments to the Elections Policy.

MOTION: THAT the Board adopt the revised Hiring and Nepotism Policy as

recommended by the Personnel & Policy Committee.

MOVED BY: G. Rosati SECONDED BY: P. Pallante

MOTION CARRIED.

8. ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

9. **UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS**

Carrville Community Centre & Library

Groundbreaking Ceremony - Monday, June 6, 2022 - 3:00 pm

VMC Library & VMC Express

Official Opening - June 20, 2022 - 10:00 am

Budget & Finance Committee Meeting

Tuesday, May 31, 2022 – 7:00 pm Civic Centre Resource Library

Next Library Board Meeting

Thursday, June 16, 2022 – 7:00 pm Civic Centre Resource Library

10. MOTION TO ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 8:56 pm on a motion by G. Sangha, seconded by R. Wu.

Board Chair	Secretary-Treasurer