Hudson Public Library Board of Library Trustees Minutes March 19, 2019

Present: Tom Desmond, Maryalice McCormack, Chris Capobianco and Deborah Kane

MINUTES: February 19, 2018 minutes were read and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Monthly Book Page – March Bookpage Newsletter MBLC Legislative Agenda – Tom Desmond planning to attend Legislative Day

OPERATIONS:

Expenditures 3/19/19 were distributed and discussed.

<u>Monthly Reports:</u> The monthly report, newspaper articles & photos, and program flyers were distributed and discussed.

OLD BUSINESS:

<u>Staffing</u> – Library Director search was discussed <u>Director Search</u> – Library Director salary reviewed by BOS on recommendation by Tom Moses. Library Director grade is now at M8.

NEW BUSINESS:

Director Search - Search for the Director was discussion continued.

<u>Staff Procedures -</u> Key Request Form for the staff proposed to keep better track of which keys are given to staff and provide staff with the appropriate keys for access to the building.

<u>Hudson Armory</u> - Tom sent a survey to the Library staff to evaluate space needs <u>eContent Upgrade</u> - Freegal music streaming service: Freegal has offered to add music streaming to the music (songs) download service that the Library has purchased. <u>Technology upgrades</u> -

- CWMARS Comcast line upgraded to provide a faster, more stable connection for the staff computers running Evergreen, the Library's ILS (Integrated Library Service)
- Wireless upgrade scheduled with CWMARS in April. CWMARS will purchase Meraki (Cisco) switches and access points.

NEXT MEETING: Next meeting will be April 18, 2019 at 1:00 p.m.

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