

Minutes
Laurens County Library Board of Trustees Quarterly Meeting
October 26, 2022
3:30 PM, Laurens Library Meeting Room (Mixed Meeting)

Attendance	In-Person: Ms. Renita Barksdale (Director), Ms. Jamie Lambert (Deputy Director), Ms. Pamela Bennett, Ms. Pat Moberg, Ms. Wanda Woody-Workman (chairman) Via Zoom call: Pam Bennett
<i>Meeting was called to order at 3:30 PM by Woody-Workman. Press was notified.</i>	
Minutes – July Meeting	Woody-Workman made a motion to accept minutes. Austin seconded. All present approved.
Financial Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$23,000 In checking at this time, waiting for State Aid. • We were at \$29,000 in July before bills. • We were at \$32K in August • We dropped to \$18K in September.
Laurens Building Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have received new computers for circulation, with two extra computers (Chrome) for assistants/ staff members coming. • USC Union will be using the meeting room for computer access. The new setup will be mobile so there will still be access for library events in the library. This will happen next fiscal year. • The story time room will be extended and improved for programming. • There has been a request for library staff (if needed) to have extra funding from USC Union. • The tree on the library lawn has been removed. This is the start for a veteran's park/ fountain installation. Safety and financial concerns have been raised to the county. • New sign coming after veteran's installment
Update on RFID tagging	We have finished tagging. There will be gates for security and a new self check-out system.
Collection Development	Just want to recheck and make sure it's still relevant. Woody-Workman made motion to approve. Austin second. All present approved.
Updates on Clinton Library	Question about columns being removed
Director's Report	We have promoted Jordan Streett to Youth Services Coordinator. We are seeking assistant position to aid her. We are also seeking a part-time library assistant for Laurens and an administrative assistant for Renita Barksdale. We are also seeking a new collection development librarian.
Friends of the Library Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee has sent out a letter to members to renew. Currently 52 on Friends roster. Group will try to boost member numbers. • They will attend Joe Adair fall event • Currently have ~\$8600 in account.
<i>Woody-Workman called the meeting to be adjourned at 4:23PM. Austin seconded. All approved.</i>	
<i>Submitted by Jamie Lambert 10/26/2022.</i>	