MAYWOOD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Minutes of Board of Trustees Regular Meeting, March 19, 2025

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Maywood Public Library was held on March 19, 2025, in the Hackbarth Auditorium at the Library.

In accordance with the requirements of the Sunshine Law of the State of New Jersey, the area newspapers have been properly notified of this meeting.

President Stathis called the meeting to order at 6:17 PM.

The following were present:

Trustees: M. Stathis, B. Dugan, E. Engel, N. Jengo, R. Stuetz, A. Sabatini (arrived at 6:30)

Library Director: C. Hull

The following were absent:

Mayor: R. Bolan Trustees: K.Smith

Council Liaison: J. DeMuro

Superintendent Appointee: Lynn Soriano

Minutes

Motion to accept the minutes of the February 19, 2025, meeting moved by Stathis, seconded by Engel. Motion carried.

	Stathis	Engel	Dugan	Jengo	Sabatini	Stuetz	Smith	DeMuro	Soriano
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		abstain			

Public Portion - none

Friends Report

The bagpiper at the February Open Mic was excellent.

Jengo suggested the library send out reminders about the events on social media or through emails to build up attendance.

Correspondence – none

Director's Report

- 1) The State Report has been filed. A Maywood Library member has access to over 1.9 million items.
- 2) Maker's Day Open Day was Saturday, March 22
- 3) The library has signed up for LibCal Rooms (a way for people to reserve private rooms online)

Febuary 2025 Bill List

a) Prestige: 17 items amounting to \$10, 24.65

Moved to accept by Engel, seconded by Stuetz. Motion carried.

	Stathis	Engel	Dugan	Jengo	Sabatini	Stuetz	Smith	DeMuro
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		

b) Hackbarth: 10 items amounting to \$2, 519.12

Moved to accept by Stuetz, seconded by Jengo. Motion carried.

	Stathis	Engel	Dugan	Jengo	Sabatini	Stuetz	Smith	DeMuro
Vote	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		

Committee Reports - none

Old Business - none

New Business

- a) Jengo said that Lydecker has the ability to make donations, so if there are projects the library wants funded, the library can apply.
- b) The library will be a polling place starting in June. Voters who used to vote at Memorial School / the Fire station will now be voting at the library.

Engel moved to adjourn at 6:45PM, seconded by Jengo. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Bina Dugan, Secretary