

MINUTES
KINGS COUNTY LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD (LAB)
THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2022, 3:30 p.m.
HANFORD MEETING ROOM
HANFORD BRANCH LIBRARY
HANFORD, CA

ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 3:35 p.m. by Ms. Wilma Humason. Members present were Mr. Joe Neuhardt, Ms. Linda Mackey, Ms. Margaret Lirones, and Ms. Anne Sutton. Library staff present were Natalie R. Rencher – Library Director, and Farrah Canseco – Executive Secretary.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes were approved as printed.

UNSCHEDULED APPEARANCES

N/A

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Personnel Update – Share' Mayes, Youth Services Librarian is no longer with the library, her last day was May 13th. Janet Holder, Library Assistant II last day is May 27th. We are currently in the process of hiring 2 extra help employees and possibly an additional high school student.

2022 Summer Reading Program – Natalie handed out the Summer Reading Program calendar to the members. Summer Reading is open to all ages; in-person and virtual, which begins June 7th and ends July 29th.

Library Development Services Presentation Videos – Parts I and II provided an overview about the services provided by the California State library on behalf of public libraries.

State Library Report Demonstration – Natalie provided an example of the annual public library survey and how our statistics are calculated each year.

REPORT ON LEGISLATION AND BUDGET ACTIVITIES

N/A

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY REPORT

Ms. Wilma Humason reported that the Friends are ready for the book sale on Saturday, May 21st. She also reported that Amazon online book sales were back up.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, CORRESPONDENCE, AND COMMENTS BY STAFF AND BOARD MEMBERS

N/A

ADJOURNMENT

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be June 16, 2022, at 3:30 p.m. The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 p.m. by Ms. Wilma Humason.