

**Minutes of the Fairbury Public Library Board**  
**Wednesday, October 1, 2025, 7:00 pm**  
**601 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Fairbury, NE 68352**

1.The regular meeting of the Public Library Board of Trustees was called to order by president, Kristin Vaughn. Notice of this meeting was posted in advance in the Fairbury Journal News. The Open Meetings Act was posted in the room as required by law.

2. In addition to the president, Kristin Vaughn, members present were LeAnn Krause, Sarah Moorman, and Stan Smith. Warner Krumme was absent. Our director Debbie Aden was also present.

3. There were no comments from the public.

4. The September 3rd minutes were reviewed. Kristin made a motion to approve the minutes. Sarah seconded. Votes were as follows: LeAnn, yes; Kristin, yes; Stan, yes, and Sarah, yes. Motion carried.

**5. The Director's Report**

**Building:**

- Spoke with two painters (Lori Sweetser and Lynne Bohling) about getting estimates to paint inside of Carnegie building this winter.

**Technology:**

-All good

**City Business:**

-2025-26 Budget approved.

-Staff appreciation event at the Country Club this upcoming Friday, October 3

**Library events and programming:**

-First of three Humanities Nebraska speakers focusing on agriculture will be here October 7: Bill Ganzel "Dust Bowl Descent."

-Mush, with Sophia, the sled dog! program 4pm Monday, November 10, at the Bonham.

-Trail of Treasures sale October 3-4

**Director activities and other happenings:**

-Attended CASTL Fairmont. Discussion focused on ADA and Libraries

6. Bills in the amount of \$3,077.58 were reviewed. A motion was made by LeAnn that the bills be approved and paid as written. Stan seconded. Votes were as follows: LeAnn, yes; Kristin, yes; Stan, yes, and Sarah, yes. Motion carried.

**7. Current Business**

-The members of the board reviewed the Public Library Patron Behavior Policy. Debbie changed the wording one section and added a new policy on food in the library. A motion was made by LeAnn that the policy be approved as written. Stan seconded. Votes were as follows: LeAnn, yes; Kristin, yes; Stan, yes, and Sarah, yes. Motion carried.

-Debbie will have CASTL in Fall City on October 16.

-Debbie will be attending the Nebraska Library Association Conference in York on October 22 & 23.

There was no further discussion. The next regular meeting will be November 5, 2025.  
The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

LeAnn Krause