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Regular Meeting Board of Library Trustees | Altadena Library District
Virtual – Zoom – July 26, 2021 – 5:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING JULY 26, 2021 MEETING
This meeting was conducted utilizing teleconference and electronic means consistent with the State of California Executive Order N-29-20 dated March 17, 2020, regarding the COVID-19 pandemic. The live stream of the meeting may be viewed by visiting the Altadena Library District’s YouTube channel at the following URL: https://www.youtube.com/c/AltadenaLibrary

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Email and Electronic Comments were submitted to the legislative body and shall become part of the record of the meeting.

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I. Call to order
The meeting was called to order by Trustee Katie Clark at 5:02 pm.

II. Open Session
   a. Roll Call
      Trustee Clark called roll. Trustee Andrues, Trustee Capell, and Trustee Wilkerson responded as present. Trustee Cervantes joined the meeting at 5:13 pm.

   b. Approval/Reordering of Agenda Items
      No adjustments were made.

   c. Adoption of Agenda
      Moved by Trustee Andrues to adopt the Agenda.
      Seconded by Trustee Capell.
      Roll Call Vote:
Trustee Andrues: Aye
Trustee Capell: Aye
Trustee Cervantes: Not present
Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
Trustee Clark: Aye
Motion passed.

d. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items
   No public comment made.

III. Consent Calendar
Moved by Trustee Wilkerson to approve the Consent Calendar.
Seconded by Trustee Capell. Trustee Katie Clark opened floor for discussion. No discussion followed.
Roll Call Vote:
   Trustee Andrues: Aye
   Trustee Capell: Aye
   Trustee Cervantes: Not present
   Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
   Trustee Clark: Aye
Motion passed.

The Board of Library Trustees hereby approves the items and recommended actions in the Consent Calendar listed below:
a. Approval of Minutes – Regular Meeting held June 28, 2021

IV. Consideration of Items Removed from the Consent Calendar
Items removed from the Consent Calendar discussed individually at this time.

**Trustee Cervantes joined the meeting at 5:13 pm**

V. Department Updates & Special Presentations (Informational)
a. Department Update Reports – May 2021
   Multiple Trustees provided kudos and comments of appreciation for Altadena Library staff’s work, specifically: including pictures in the department reports, seeing the van out in the community, and all the gardening efforts.

VI. Reports (Informational)
a. Support Groups
   • Altadena Library Foundation
     President Bridget Brewster provided report.
   • Friends of the Altadena Library
     President Sallie Cruise provided report.

b. District Director’s Report
   District Director Nikki Winslow provided report.

c. Financial Reports – May 2021
   District Director Nikki Winslow provided report.

d. Board of Trustees Standing Committee Reports
   • Budget Committee
     No report.
• CFD Committee
  No report.

e. Board of Trustees Ad Hoc Committee Reports
  • Facilities Committee
    Trustee Capell provided report.
  • Redistricting Committee
    No report.

f. Liaison Reports
  Trustee Cervantes provided the Altadena Library Foundation Report. Trustee Andrues provided the Government Liaison report.

g. Trustee Reports
  Trustee Clark provided an oral report.

VII. Unfinished Business
  a. None

VIII. New Business
  a. Review of ALD 2021 Operational Plan Mid-Year Update (Informational)
    • Mid-Year ALD Operating Plan Review – Presentation
      Viktor Sjöberg, Assistant Library Director, presented the Mid-Year ALD Operating Plan Review. The Board of Trustees discussed and asked questions regarding the update. No action was taken.

  b. Review and Approval of ALD’s Code of Conduct (Action)
    Viktor Sjöberg, Assistant Library Director, introduced the agenda item by providing an overview of the agenda item report. The Board discussed and asked questions. Moved by Trustee Wilkerson to approve ALD’s Updated Code of Conduct. Seconded by Trustee Andrues. Trustee Katie Clark opened floor for discussion. No discussion followed. Roll Call Vote:
    Trustee Andrues: Aye
    Trustee Capell: Aye
    Trustee Cervantes: Aye
    Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
    Trustee Clark: Aye
    Motion passed.

c. Resolution and Adoption of ALD’s Community Facilities District No. 2020-01 Declaration of Intent to Use Tax-Exempt Bonds for Reimbursement of Expenditures Prior to Bond Issuance (Action)
    Nikki Winslow, District Director, introduced the agenda item by providing an overview of the agenda item report. The Board discussed and asked questions. Moved by Trustee Cervantes to approve Resolution 2021-03 in order that we might reimburse the Library District with the proceeds from the CFD 2020-01 bonds for any hard costs incurred. Seconded by Trustee Andrues. Trustee Katie Clark opened floor for discussion. No discussion followed. Roll Call Vote:
    Trustee Andrues: Aye
    Trustee Capell: Aye
    Trustee Cervantes: Aye
    Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
Trustee Clark: Aye
Motion passed.

d. Review and Approval of ALD’s Project Emergency Connectivity Fund Technology Purchase (Action)
Christopher Kellermeyer, I.T. and Technical Services Manager, introduced the agenda item by providing an overview of the agenda item report. The Board discussed and asked questions.
Moved by Trustee Andrues to approve an expenditure up to, or not to exceed, $45,000 for Project ECF to replace end of life equipment. Seconded by Trustee Capell. Trustee Katie Clark opened floor for discussion. No discussion followed.
Roll Call Vote:
   Trustee Andrues: Aye
   Trustee Capell: Aye
   Trustee Cervantes: Aye
   Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
   Trustee Clark: Aye
Motion passed.

e. Review and Approval of ALD’s Salary Schedule (Action)
Nikki Winslow, District Director, introduced the agenda item by providing an overview of the agenda item report.
Moved by Trustee Cervantes to approve the updated Salary Schedule. Seconded by Trustee Capell. Trustee Katie Clark opened floor for discussion. No discussion followed.
Roll Call Vote:
   Trustee Andrues: Aye
   Trustee Capell: Aye
   Trustee Cervantes: Aye
   Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
   Trustee Clark: Aye
Motion passed.

f. Review and Approval of Professional Development Consultant (Action)
Nikki Winslow, District Director, introduced the agenda item by providing an overview of the agenda item report. The Board discussed and asked questions.
Moved by Trustee Capell to authorize the District Director to contract with NorthStar Consulting for professional development service in an amount not to exceed $26,500. Seconded by Trustee Wilkerson. Trustee Katie Clark opened floor for discussion. No discussion followed.
Roll Call Vote:
   Trustee Andrues: Aye
   Trustee Capell: Aye
   Trustee Cervantes: Aye
   Trustee Wilkerson: Aye
   Trustee Clark: Aye
Motion passed.

IX. Governance
Trustee Clark gauged the Board’s interest and willingness to begin having Board meetings in person at the Community Room. Although the majority of the Board was willing to meet in person, since it was not a unanimous agreement, the Board will
continue to meet virtually, until further notice.

X. **Announcements & Planning**
   a. **Correspondence**
      None.
   b. **Proposed Future Agenda Items**
      None.

XI. **Adjournment**
   a. **Adjourn Meeting**
      Trustee Clark adjourned the meeting at 7:11 pm.