

September 13, 2023

The Deptford Free Public Library Board of Trustees Minutes of the September 13, 2023 meeting held at the Deptford Free Public Library 670 Ward Drive, Deptford, NJ 08096 at 5:30PM.

Meeting called to order at 5:30 PM.

The Sunshine Law Statement was read.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG.

ROLL: Dina Zawadski, Dawn Troxell, Ellen Jones, Patrice D'Ottaviano, Colleen Emmons, Jenna McAndrews

ABSENT: John Merulla

MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS:

Minutes from the June 14, 2023 regular meeting were approved. Motion made by D. Troxell, seconded by P. D'Ottaviano. All in favor. Motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Motion to open to the public made by E. Jones, seconded by P. D'Ottaviano. All in favor. Motion carried. Motion to close made by E. Jones, seconded by P. D'Ottaviano. All in favor. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS:

The bathroom renovations are completed and we are moving forward with Phase 2 of the library renovations.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Our summer reading program was very successful this year. More than 11,000 patrons visited the library over the course of June, July and August this summer. We had programs for all age ranges this year.

We have several events lined up for the fall including a visit from the Cohanzick Zoo Mobile on October 9th and NJROPE (NJ Researches of Paranormal Evidence) on October 11th.

BILLS & VOUCHERS:

A motion to approve the bills and vouchers for June, July, and August 2023 was made by P. D'Ottaviano and seconded by E. Jones. All in favor. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by P. D'Ottaviano, seconded by E. Jones to adjourn the meeting at 5:39 PM. All in favor. Motion carried.

MEETING ADJOURNED 5:39 PM