

GREEN HILLS PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
February 16, 2026
Regular Meeting

The Green Hills Public Library District Board of Trustees met at the Library on February 16, 2026.

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Angelos called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m. Present were N. Angelos, C. Barry, I. Chafee, M. Klich, K. Groark, A. Mohammad, and S. Stratakos.

Also present from staff were Jane Jenkins, Library Director; Sara Horn, Deputy Director; and Roberta Richter, Head of Business Services.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Barry moved, and Angelos seconded, that the Board of Trustees approve minutes of the Regular Board Meeting held on January 26, 2026. Upon a voice vote, all Trustees present voted "aye." Motion carried.

OPERATING FUND TREASURER'S REPORT AND WARRANT

Stratakos moved, and Angelos seconded that the Operating Fund Treasurer's Report for the month ending January 31, 2026 be received and filed for audit, and that Operating Fund Warrant #8 for the month of February 2026 in the amount of \$374,485.75 be approved and authorized for disbursement. Upon a roll call vote, all Trustees present voted "aye." Motion carried.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Angelos reminded the Trustees to complete the cyber security training. Computer View, Inc. sent the training links to the Trustee's library email accounts. The due date to complete training is February 23, 2026.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The Library is working with Product Architecture on a space/capital needs assessment. This assessment is being completed in relation to the Library's Strategic Plan and should assist in enhancing the layout and workflow within the Library. Jenkins handed out copies of the community spaces survey to the Trustees and announced that there have been 25 responses from staff and 138 from the community. Jenkins explained that the managers have met with Product Architecture. The next step will be compiling the data from the staff/community surveys. Once all of the information is collected, Jenkins will present the requested updates to the Trustees.

The Library will be closed from March 9 to March 17 for the upcoming flooring project. Staff will be working during the project. The First and Ground Floor Meeting Rooms will be open during this time.

Jenkins informed the Trustees of online Trustee training available on the Library Learning (L2) website. She requested that they all sign up for an account. In the future, there may be mandatory trainings.

Jenkins shared that she spoke with the Palos Hills Police Chief and they will begin sending officers to perform random visits.

NEW BUSINESS:

ACTION ITEMS:

Mohammad moved, and Barry seconded to approve Ordinance #1235 Authorizing Public Non-Resident Cards. The fee, based on the General Mathematical Formula for the 2026-2027 fiscal year will be \$245.00. Upon a roll call vote, all Trustees present voted "aye." Motion carried.

Stratakos moved, and Klich seconded to approve the alcohol application for Wick & Wine Event on Wednesday, March 18, 2026. Upon a voice vote, all Trustees present voted "aye." Motion carried.

Barry moved, and Stratakos seconded to approve the alcohol application for Prose & Pours Event on Thursday, April 23, 2026. Upon a voice vote, all Trustees present voted "aye." Motion carried.

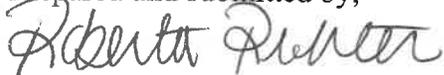
CORRESPONDENCE

No discussion.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Board, Angelos adjourned the Regular Meeting at 6:23 p.m.

Prepared and submitted by,



Roberta Richter, Recording Secretary