Minutes

For the West Bloomfield Township Public Library Board of Trustees Special Meeting on November 28, 2022 Held in the Library's Meeting Room

Present: Michael Dorfman

Kari Eickemeyer

Judith Holtz (arrived 6:40 pm)

Carol Kravetz Ken Macon Raman Singh

Cathy Russ, Library Director

Jeff Crocker, Assistant Library Director Mike Bruno, Head of Support Services

Tiffany Dickerson, Assistant Circulation Supervisor

Melvin Muskovitz, Library Attorney

Former Library Employee

Call to Order

President Kravetz called the meeting to order at 6:35 PM. An attendance roll call vote was taken by Secretary Dorfman. A quorum of five Board members were present. Judith Holtz arrived at 6:40 and a quorum of six Board members were then present.

Approval of Agenda

MOTION:

MOVE TO APPROVE THE AGENDA FOR THE NOVEMBER 28, 2022 SPECIAL MEETING.

Moved: Eickemeyer Second: Macon

Ayes: Dorfman, Eickemeyer, Kravetz, Macon, Singh

Nays: None **MOTION CARRIED.**

Public Comment--none

MOTION:

MOVE TO APPROVE A CLOSED SESSION TO CONSIDER MATERIAL EXEMPT FROM DISCUSSION OR DISCLOSURE BY STATE OR FEDERAL STATUTE (OPEN MEETINGS ACT SECTION 8(1)(h)) (CLOSED SESSION #1).

Moved: Dorfman Second: Singh

Ayes: Dorfman, Eickemeyer, Holtz, Kravetz, Macon, Singh

Nays: None **MOTION CARRIED.**

The Board entered into a Closed Session at 6:38 p.m.

The Closed session ended at 6:59 p.m.; the Board returned to open session.

MOTION:

MOVE TO APPROVE A CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS A PERSONNEL MATTER PURSUANT TO OPEN MEETINGS ACT SECTION 8(1)(a) (CLOSED SESSION #2).

Moved: Singh Second: Macon

Ayes: Dorfman, Eickemeyer, Holtz, Kravetz, Macon, Singh

Nays: None **MOTION CARRIED.**

The Board entered into a Closed Session at 7 p.m.

The Closed Session ended at 8:20 p.m.; the Board returned to open session.

MOTION:

MOVE TO UPHOLD EMPLOYEE TERMINATION.

Moved: Dorfman Second: Eickemeyer

Board Comments - Board members discussed the grounds for termination provided by the Library Director.

Ayes: Dorfman, Eickemeyer, Holtz, Kravetz, Macon, Singh

Nays: None **MOTION CARRIED.**

The meeting adjourned at 8:32 PM.

Michael Dorfman, Secretary