# MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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# BAY SHORE – BRIGHTWATERS PUBLIC LIBRARY Held October 29, 2018

## <u>Present</u>

Dr. Richard Harmond, President

Mrs. Diane Hartill, Vice-President

Mrs. Frances Bell, Secretary

Mr. Francis Pooley, Finance Officer

Mrs. Joan Mason-Dollmann, Trustee

Also present, Michael Squillante, Director; Laura Carey, Administrative Assistant; Janet Anderson, Business Manager; Al Coster of Baldessari and Coster, LLP; two audience members.

#### Call to Order

Dr. Harmond called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

There was a motion to approve the minutes of the September 24, 2018 meeting of the Board. (Bell, Pooley; unanimous)

#### Period for Public Expression

Ms. Sherrie Godfrey addressed the Board.

## Financial Report and Approval of Bills

The bills were presented and there was a motion to approve them for payment. (Bell, Pooley; unanimous)

#### Personnel Report

There was a motion to approve the Personnel Report (Dollmann, Hartill; unanimous)

#### Director's Report

The Board read the Director's Report with interest.

#### New Business

## Sexual Harassment Policy

There was a motion to approve the Sexual Harassment Policy as presented. (Harmond, Hartill; unanimous)

## 2017-18 Audit

Mr. Coster presented the 2017-2018 Audit. There was a motion to approve and accept the Audit. (Bell, Dollmann; unanimous)

## NYS Comptroller's Report

There was a motion to approve the NYS Comptroller's Report. (Pooley, Bell; unanimous)

#### Trustee Education

Mr. Squillante explained the increased likelihood of mandated annual Trustee Training, and several options for how it may be fulfilled.

## Old Business

## Martinez Estate

Mr. Squillante gave the Board an update on the progress regarding the Martinez Estate.

# HVAC/Well update

All four wells have been set and are in the process of being developed. It is anticipated that the water will begin to be supplied to our HVAC system in 7 to 10 days.

## **Security**

The Board agreed with the idea of having our security contractor assigned to a more regular schedule.

# Next Library Board meeting

Monday, November 26, 2018 at 7pm.

#### Adjournment

There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:37 pm. (Bell, Hartill; unanimous)

Respectfully submitted,

Frances Bell, Secretary

Joan Mason Dollmann