Library Commission



REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Date: 9/14/2015
Time: 6:30 p.m.
Menlo Park Library
800 Alma St., Menlo Park, CA 94025

Chair Cebrian called the meeting to order at 6:41 p.m.

Roll Call

Present: Bramlett, Cebrian, Leep, Lemons, Nelson

Absent: Manuel

Staff: Nick Szegda, Librarian III

A. Public Comment

There was no Public comment

B. Regular Business

B1. Review results of the Library Customer Survey

ACTION: Commissioners reviewed survey results with the objective of identifying issues for future focus group discussions. Each commissioner will bring five issues from the survey to the next meeting so that a set of issues for focus group discussion can be finalized. Commissioner Leep requested that a link to the survey be posted to the library's Facebook page.

B2. Review quarterly Commission update for September 29th City Council meeting

ACTION: Commissioners Bramlett and Lemons will make the presentation to the City Council on the 29th of September. The presentation will focus on the Commission's work plan and on highlighting library events that have occurred since the last Council update. Motion and second (Nelson/Leep) to present the reviewed Commission's work plan to the City Council, passed 6-0-1, with Commissioner Manuel absent.

B3. Discuss community use of Little Free Library model for sharing books.

ACTION: Chair Cebrian tabled this item until next meeting. Chair Cebrian would like time to gather more information on how other cities are using the Little Free Library model.

B4. Accept the Library Commission meeting minutes for August 11, 2015

ACTION: Motion and second (Leep/Nelson) to approve the meeting minutes of August 11, 2015 without changes, passed 6-0-1, with Commissioner Manuel absent..

C. Informational Items

C1. Commissioner reports

Commissioner Bramlett shared an article from the Daily Post on the Commission's previous meeting in the Belle Haven neighborhood.

C2. Staff reports

Nick Szegda reminded Commissioners of the Project Read Anniversary celebration on September 20 and the Friends of the Library book sale on September 19 and September 20. Szegda informed the Commission about changes to the turn restrictions at the Alma and Ravenswood intersection near the library (right turns from eastbound Ravenswood onto southbound Alma are now allowed).

D. Adjournment

Chair Cebrian adjourned the meeting at 8:04 p.m.