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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE NEW MADRID COUNTY
LIBRARY TRUSTEES
JANUARY 15, 2026 AT 2 P.M.
AT THE NEW MADRID COUNTY LIBRARY PORTAGEVILLE BRANCH

1. Meeting called to order by President, Jill Bock
2. Roll call
Present—Jill Bock, Cherie Rone, Marinda Thornbrough, Brenda Tillman
Absent—Joe Brashears
Also present—Lori Robinson, Director
3. Minutes of the December 2025 meeting and the January 2026 Agenda were presented. Motion to approve the December 2025 Minutes and the January 2026 Agenda was made by Cherie Rone; second by Marinda Thornbrough. Motion unanimously carried.
4. Revenue and expense reports for December 2025-January 2026 were presented. Motion to approve the revenue and expense reports for December 2025-January 2026 was made by Marinda Thornbrough; second by Cherie Rone. Motion unanimously carried.
5. Director's Report

LED lighting upgrade at New Madrid will begin this week.

Lori met with the Portageville High School counselor about collaborating at Open House and with the Junior and Senior students during English class to heighten awareness of the library and what it offers. Meetings with other school counselors will occur in the coming months.

Portageville branch received a new kiosk for fiction books. It has been well received by patrons.

March staff meeting will focus primarily on Summer Reading Program training.

6. Old Business

Jordan Robbins submitted a quote of \$1,375.00 for adding security cameras and more storage for footage. Discussion followed. Motion to approve the installation of cameras and more storage was made by Marinda Thornbrough; second by Cherie Rone. Motion unanimously carried.

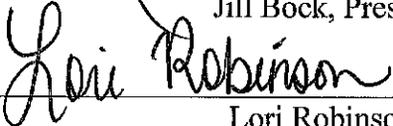
7. New Business

8. Executive Session

9. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Brenda Tillman; second by Marinda Thornbrough. Motion unanimously passed.

Presiding Officer 
Jill Bock, President

Director 
Lori Robinson