

St. Mary's County Board of Library Trustees Meeting 10:00 A.M., March 20, 2023 Lexington Park Library

The public may attend the meetings but should ask the Library Director ahead of time to if they wish to speak (email mblackwell@stmalib.org or call 301-475-2151). The public may view the meeting remotely on the Library's YouTube channel: https://www.youtube.com/c/StMarysCountyLibrary.

I. Call to Order, Establish Quorum

II. Approval of February 2023 minutes

III. President's Report Michael Dunn

a. Approval of Monthly Expense Ledger: 2/10/23 – 3/15/23

IV. Treasurer's Report Tressa Setlak

V. SMRLA Report John Johnston

VI. Director's Report Michael Blackwell

a. 11 a.m. virtual meeting with Asset Strategy: review of portfolio and suggestions

b. Informational

i. Current Budget Review

ii. Orientation manuals—updates to be placed online

iii. Legislative briefing

 Art: Gallery systems for LEON and LEXI (St. Mary's County Arts Council grants) and Front Yard Community Art Project

c. Action items

i. Fund balance distribution and OPEB Contribution

ii. Mobile Library Funding Meeting days/times for the rest of 2023

iii. Policy: Promotion guidelines

iv. Local Authors: policy

v. Meeting days/times for the rest of 2023

vi. Director's Goals for Calendar Year 2023—any additions?

d. Discussion

i. Board Effectiveness Report

ii. Future OPEB management (John Walters)

VII. New Trustee business Michael Dunn

VIII. Celebrations:

a. Hip Hip Hoorays: Karen Ogletree, Rosa Nakamoto, Jill Hutchison, Catherine DiCristifaro, Kimberlé Fields, Sara Stephenson

Next Meeting: April 17, Lexington Park Library

Dates to remember: March 21, Library budget hearing (1:30 pm); April 25, Library Week Proclamation (9:00 am) and Public Budget @ Chopticon High School (6:30 pm); May 2, Budget Appeals Due; June 27th Mobile Library Ribbon Cutting (1:00 pm)