BROWN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING JANUARY 16, 2019 6:30 pm.

President Tracy opened the meeting at 6:45 (time change due to Community meeting at 5:30). **Present**: Jeremy Flynn, Heidi Scott, Margaret Scranton, Catherine Tracy, Linda Wade, Director Richard Young. Absent: Mervin Sorrells, Julie Padgett.

No public comment.

Marketing/Events (G Haschemeyer) Activities presented on attached report: busy times, with adult activity participation increasing.

Nov 14, 2018 minutes approved as printed: motion by Flynn, second by Wade. Nov 28, 2018 Personnel Comm. minutes approved as printed: motion by Scranton, second by Flynn.

January 2019 bills were unanimously approved; motion by Scott, second by Wade. November, December 2018 Financial Statement (Budget Analysis) was presented by Young.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: (Young) See attached report. Monthly Statistics: Patron numbers continue to grow!

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Finance Comm: Invested CD at Farmer's Nat'l Bank of Griggsville: \$129,835.67, 13 mo.@2.5%, (1/16/2020 maturity)

Personnel Comm: Kimberly Lichtsinn was hired on 12/6/18 as Circulation Librarian.

Building & Grounds Comm: The South/SW Cross St property acquisition was completed Dec. 13, 2018.

NEW BUSINESS

The new property (corner of South & Southwest Cross Streets) has been added to our insurance plan. Motion by Tracy, second by Scranton to advertise for bids with a minimum time of 30 days prior to opening, to sell the former IGA property on W North, with widespread advertising. Motion failed.

Motion by Tracy, second by Flynn for the building/grounds comm to investigate rules for selling the W North property; and authorize Young to approach DOT Foods with the option of leasing it. Motion carried.

Approved the digitalization of 1990-2013 yearbooks, at no cost to the library. Authorized to scan digitalization of yearbooks 1990 - 2013, at no cost to the library. Library will be closed on 3/20/19 for RSA Day in Peoria. February 2019 meeting date will be changed to Feb 27 due to conflicts.

Motion by Tracy, second by Scranton to advance \$1,000 to Hoopla Digital out of Per Capita Grant Funds. Motion carried.

Motion by Flynn, second by Scott, to approve the Reviewed Annual Financial Report for State, having been prepared by Tribby. Motion carried.

PTAX forms for tax exemption on the new property filed on 1/11/19 w/BC Supervisor of Assessments. Reviewed Concept Design proposals.

OTHER

Next meeting date - February 27, 2019 @ 6:00 pm

Meeting adjourned at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted. Margaret W Scranton Margaret W Scranton, Secretary