



Library Board Meeting

2nd Floor Admin Office

126 E Main St

Ionia, MI 48846

February 18, 2026

Minutes

Call to Order: President Yeomans called the meeting to order at 6 PM.

Members Present: Toni Ann Buys, Amy Fuller, Nancy Miller, Kyle Ondersma, Ashley Reisbig and Gale Yeomans

Members Absent: None.

Other Attendees: Director Dale Parus and Manager of Library Operations Paula Wood

Approval of Agenda: **Motion** by Reisbig to approve the agenda, supported by Fuller. Motion carried unanimously.

Previous Minutes: **Motion** by Fuller to accept the January 21, 2026 meeting minutes, supported by Buys. Motion carried unanimously.

Financial Reports: The January 2026 financial reports were received and filed.

Public Comment: None.

Director's Report & Statistics Report: The Director's Report and the January Statistical Report were received and filed.

Committee Reports

--*Finance Committee:* No report.

--*Personnel Committee (Yeomans, Buys & Parus):* The Committee will meet after Miller returns in April for the annual policy review.

--*Policy Committee (Miller, Buys, Parus & Kerr):* No report.

--*Building and Grounds Committee (Fuller, Reisbig & Parus):* No report.

--*Grant Committee (Yeomans, Reisbig & Parus):* No report.



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Continuing Business:

--*Ionia Community Library Foundation (ICLF)*: Buys spoke at the Business and Professional Women's Galentine's Day meeting about the Foundation's new video, website and the mission.

The ICLF created business cards that may be distributed to anyone who would like to make a donation to the Foundation, or needs information on the ICLF. The cards will also be available at the ICL circulation desk.

New Business:

--*Ionia County Library Association (ICLA) 2026*: Officers were elected, future meeting dates were set and the planning process for the August millage campaign was begun.

--*Policy Review*: **Motion** by Buys, supported by Reisbig that the Library By-Laws be updated in section IV. Meetings, A. Compliance - the title of *Roberts Rules of Order* be changed to *Roberts Rules of Order Newly Revised (RONR)*, latest edition. Motion passed unanimously.

Announcements: None.

Adjournment: **Motion** to adjourn by Yeomans, supported by Miller. Motion carried unanimously. President Yeomans adjourned the meeting at 6:45 PM. The next regularly scheduled Board meeting is 6 PM Wednesday, March 18, 2026.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paula Wood
Manager of Library Operations