

457 NORTH MAIN STREET DECATUR, ILLINOIS 62523

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

AGENDA

JUNE 17, 1966

- I CALL TO ORDER
 W. A. SAPPINGTON, PRESIDENT
- II MR. ELLIS ARNOLD, MAYOR CITY OF DECATUR
- III APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING MAY 27, 1966
- IV PRESENTATION OF AUDITOR'S REPORT
 NORMAN NALEFSKI OF SLEEPER, NALEFSKI, AND CATLIN
- V RECOMMENDATION OF BID FOR PURCHASE OF BOOKS FOR DECATUR PUBLIC LIBRARY FRANK LAMBRICK, CITY PURCHASING AGENT
- VI REPORT FROM DECATUR CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, PREPARED BY DAVID R. KIRK, SECRETARY OF THE COMMISSION
- VII CITY LIBRARIAN'S REPORT
 EDNA F. JONES, ACTING CITY LIBRARIAN

VIII COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. FINANCE
- B. POLICY
- C. PERSONNEL
- D. PROPERTIES
- IX UNFINISHED BUSINESS
- X NEW BUSINESS
- XI ADJOURNMENT

MEMBERS EXPECTED TO BE PRESENT:

MR. OLSEN

MRS. POGUE

MRS. RUSSELL

MR. SAPPINGTON

MRS. STERN

MR. TEBUSSEK

MR. WEST

DECATUR PUBLIC LIBRARY Decatur, Illinois

MINUTES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING - JUNE 17, 1966

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Decatur Public Library was held on June 17, 1966 in the Boyd Room of the Main Library.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

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OTHERS PRESENT:

Mr. W. A. Sappington
Mr. Robert Grohne
Mrs. Joseph Russell
Mr. W. L. Tebussek
Mr. Robert West
Mrs. Roger Pogue
Mrs. Erich Stern

Mr. W. L. Olsen Mr. David Pilcher Mr. Ellis Arnold
Mr. Frank Lambrick
Mrs. Mary K. Weidner
Miss Edna Jones
Miss Carola White
Mrs. Ida Redden
Mrs. Hattie Houck
Miss Mary Anne Johnson
(Decatur Herald)
Miss Nancy Williams
Mrs. Eunice Ensign
Mrs. Ozella Vogler
Mrs. Dorthia Turnbo

The meeting was called to order at 4:10 P.M. by Mr. Sappington, President.

Mr. Ellis Arnold, Mayor of the City of Decatur, presented citations to outgoing Board members, Mr. David Pilcher and Mrs. Erich Stern. Certificates of appointment to the Board were presented by Mr. Arnold to Mr. Sappington, Mr. Tebussek, and Mr. Olsen.

Minutes of the May 27, 1966 Board meeting were read and approved as presented.

Mr. Frank Lambrick, City Purchasing Agent, recommended that the lowest bid, that of Baker and Taylor, for the purchase of books be accepted. Miss Jones indicated that she concurred in the recommendation except for the purchase of children's books. She considered the bid of New Method Book Bindery for pre-bound juvenile books as the best one for the library in the long run, since juvenile books with ordinary library binding would have to be rebound sooner (and would also not be available for circulation while at the bindery) than would "pre-binds." It was pointed out that a "pre-bind" is more expensive than the same title would be if purchased with "library binding" through Baker and Taylor. Mr. Grohne indicated that it was the aim of the Board to get the most books for the library's money. A motion to accept this bid was made by Mr. Grohne; the motion was seconded and passed.

A report prepared by David Kirk, Secretary of the Civil Service Commission, was read by Mr. Sappington. During the month, four persons were hired for the Library-- Jewell Sangster, Douglas Suhonen, Mike Ellison, and Miriam Meeks. There were two resignations from the Library's staff--Marjorie Dobrinick and Marilyn Byrd. There are eight vacancies remaining on the Library Staff:

- (1) Clerk-Stenographer
- (1) Librarian III
- (3) Librarian I's
- (3) Library Clerks

In the City Librarian's report, Miss Jones noted that the last of several hundred overdue book notices dating from April and May would be sent out by the end of the next week. She indicated that after two weeks the Library would be back on its normal schedule of sending them out after books are three weeks overdue. Most of the books which were not reshelved in March and April when library pages were laid off, have been reshelved. Catherine Yamamoto, Chief of Children's Services, will attend the American Library Association Conference in New York City, July 10-16.

The Board approved acceptance of three Neighborhood Youth Corps workers to work in the Library for ten weeks beginning Monday, June 20, 1966.

Mr. Robert West, Chairman of the Finance Committee, reported that bills for May totaled \$16,738.22 of which \$14,310.21 was for salaries.

Mr. Sappington reported he had met with a representative from International Business Machines Corporation (IBM) late in May. They discussed the planned cost justification study of the Data Processes installation at Decatur Public Library.

The annual audit for the Library was not presented, in order to give the Finance Committee an opportunity to study it.

An executive session was called by Mr. Sappington to consider the applications for the position of City Librarian that have been received by the Board.

The meeting adjourned at 6 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Edna F. Jones

Acting City Librarian

SUMMARY OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURES FIRST MONTH ENDING MAY 31, 1966

ACTIVITY: 940 DECATUR PUBLIC LIBRARY

REVENUE Surplus May 1st 1966 * Tax Levy Receipts-Current Tax Levy Receipts-Prior Fines & Fees Non-Resident Fees Interest on Investments Illinois State Library Reimbursement	REVENUE 17,556.00 303,800.00 4,600.00 13,000.00 676.00 600.00	RECEIVED TO-DATE 11,226.58 48,934.88 0.00 902.83 35.00 0.00	% OF EST. 63.95 16.11 0.00 6.95 5.18 0.00
Lost & Damaged Books Reserves Memorial Books Prints Made on Copy Machine Plastic Bags Postage Rolling Prairie Libraries Miscellaneous	694.00 108.00 35.00 317.00 90.00 366.00 3,000.00 2,028.00	30.59 3.40 0.00 23.80 0.71 9.00 0.00 1.53	4.41 3.15 0.00 7.51 0.79 2.46 0.00 0.08
TOTAL REVENUE *Does not include cash on hand at Library on 5/1/66	347,270.00	61,168.32	17.61

1966 - 1967 BUDGET
ACTIVITY: 940 DECATUR PUBLIC
LIBRARY

OBJECT CODE NO.	OBJECT OF EXPENDITURES	APPROPRIATION T	0 5100	UNENCUMBERED BALANCES
940.101 940.109	Regular Salaries Temporary Salaries	200,276.94 25,415.00	13,228.68	
	CONTRACTUAL SERVICE	<u>S</u>	814,310.2	T
940.201 940.202 940.211	Advertising Printing & Binding Service to Maintain	100.00	0.00	
940.212	Buildings Service to Maintain Improvements Other	10,750.00	833.00	9,917.00
940.214	Than Buildings Service to Maintain	150.00	6.00	144.00
940.215	Office Equipment Service to Maintain	924.00	0.00	924.00
940.221 940.229	Automotive Equipment Auditing Services Other Professional	600.00	22.57	577.43 600.00
940.231 940.233 940.241 940.244 940.245	Services Electricity Telephone & Telegrap Travel Expense Freight & Cartage Postage	2,000.00 3,000.00 2,446.36 610.00 200.00 1,400.00	0.00 244.12 193.62 0.00 0.00 90.00	2,000.00 2,755.88 2,252.74 610.00 200.00 1,310.00

1966 - 1967 BUDGET ACTIVITY: 940 DECATUR PUBLIC LIBRARY

OBJECT CODE NO.	OBJECT OF EXPENDITURES	APPROPRIATION	EXPENDITURES TO-DATE	UNENCUMBERED BALANCES		
940.284 940.288 940.299	Professional & Tec Service Fees & Cos Rentals Contractual Servic Otherwise Classifi	ts 342. es Not 11,400.	00 198.	89 11,201.11		
	COMMODITIES					
940.302 940.310 940.312 940.320	Books, Publication and Maps Gas, Oil, & Anti-F Janitorial Supplie Materials to Maint Buildings and Othe	141,040. reeze 303. s 25.	00 30.	32 272.68		
940.324	Imporvements Materials to Maint	1.300.	00 211.	81 1,088.19		
940.330	Automotive Equipme Medical & Laborato	nt 600.	00 0.	00 600.00		
940.345	Supplies Office Supplies	15. 5,600.		00 15.00 25 5,478.75		
	OTHER CHARGES					
940.402 940.423	Contingencies Other Insurance	3,000. 4,500.	00 0.	3,000.00 00 4,500.00		
	TOTAL - OPERATING EXPENDITUR	ES 319,247.	80 16,738.	22 302,509.58		
940.515	Office Machinery and Equipment	2,516.	50 0.	00 2,516.50		
	TOTAL - CAPITAL OUTLAY	2,516.	50 0.	00 2,516.50		
	GRAND TOTAL	321,764.		22 305,026.08		
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ACTIVITY: 955 MUNICIPAL BAND FUND						
Tax Levy Tax Levy	May 1st 1966 Receipts-Current Receipts-Prior REVENUE	ESTIMATED REVENUE 418.00 18,200.00 300.00 18,918.00	RECEIVED TO-DATE 418.37 2,945.72 0.00	% OF EST. 100.09 16.19 0.00		
TOTAL	TED A TOTA OTO	10,710.00	3,364.09	17.78		