

Grimes Public Library

Board of Trustees



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BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING February 17, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. 200 NE Beaverbrooke Blvd., Room A

Trustees:

President David Brahn	Trustee Gary Schroeder
Vice-President Ann Haugland	Trustee Rachel Dahm
Secretary Charles Strutt	Julie Sealine, Friends President

Staff:

Library Director Cheryl Heid	Assistant Director Karalee Kerr
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- 1. Call to Order.** Following proper notice and with a quorum present, President Brahn called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.
- 2. Public Comment.** No public member appeared to speak.
- 3. Approval of Agenda.** On a motion by Schroeder, seconded by Haugland, the agenda was unanimously approved.
- 4. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes.** On a motion by Strutt, seconded by Dahm, the Minutes of the January 20, 2026 meeting were unanimously approved.
- 5. Approval of Library Claims.** On a motion by Schroeder, seconded by Haugland, the Board unanimously approved the January claims.
- 6. Friends Report.** Julie Sealine, introduced herself as the new Friends President and reported on goals for the group.
- 7. FY27 Final Budget Approval.** On a motion by Schroeder, seconded by Haugland, the FY27 Budget was unanimously approved.
- 8. Policy Renewal.** On a motion by Schroeder, seconded by Dahm, the Board unanimously approved the Behavior Policy.
- 9. Reports.** The Board viewed the following reports:
 - A. Board Continuing Education Report
 - B. Director's Report.
 - C. Budget and Finance.
 - D. Statistics
- 10. Trustee Comments.** President urged all to attend City Council meetings.
- 11. Adjournment.** There being no further business, the President adjourned the meeting at 5:27 p.m.

By

Charles Strutt, Board Secretary

Continuing Education (CE) Credit Reports

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Haugland reported a total of three hours attending ILOC 2026 virtual conference:

1 hour: You Are Worth Celebrating! Realistic Tips for Supporting Yourself and Your Community

1 hour: DIY America 250: Fun, Frugal, and Festive Ideas for Libraries

1 hour: Building the Board Culture That Your Library Deserves

Dahm reported a total of one hour attending ILCO 2026 virtual conference:

1 hour: Building the Board Culture That Your Library Deserves