Buffalo & Erie County Public Library Board of Trustees Meeting (In Person at Central Library & Remote) 2/18/2021 Transcript as recorded through Zoom Board Members present via conference call: Kathleen Berens Bucki, MLS, Chair Kimberly Johnson, Vice Chair Joel C. Moore, Esq., Secretary Alan J. Bedenko, Esq., Treasurer Sheldon M. Berlow Katie Burd Lucy Candelario Carima El-Behairy Frank Gist Frank Housh, Esq. Theodore K. Johnson Sharon M. Kelly, Esq. Elaine M. Panty WEBVTT 1 00:00:58.080 --> 00:00:59.310 SheldonBerlow: Can you hear me now. 2 00:01:04.170 --> 00:01:05.100 Elaine Panty: I can hear you, Mr. 3 00:01:10.110 --> 00:01:11.400 SheldonBerlow: Jim can you hear me. 4 00:01:12.660 --> 00:01:12.930 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Yes. 5 00:01:13.320 --> 00:01:13.890 SheldonBerlow: Okay. 6 00:01:14.670 --> 00:01:15.600 There we go. 7 00:01:36.300 --> 00:01:37.830 SheldonBerlow: As the meeting started yeah.

8 00:01:38.700 --> 00:01:39.000 SheldonBerlow: yeah. 9 00:01:39.810 --> 00:01:40.560 Oh OK. 10 00:01:42.330 --> 00:01:44.460 SheldonBerlow: cuz I was a few minutes late, I want to. 11 00:01:44.460 --> 00:01:45.090 Elaine Panty: Make sure. 12 00:01:50.130 --> 00:01:50.910 Can you hear me. 13 00:01:55.410 --> 00:01:55.830 Elaine Panty: Hello. 14 00:01:56.790 --> 00:01:57.480 Mary Jean Jakubowski: We can hear you. 15 00:01:58.050 --> 00:01:58.950 Okay, great thanks. 16 00:02:02.160 --> 00:02:02.580 Elaine Panty: Lucy. 17 00:02:04.230 --> 00:02:05.460 Kimberly Johnson: That was Kim Johnson thank. 18 00:02:06.540 --> 00:02:07.170 You okay. 19 00:02:09.630 --> 00:02:10.230 Lucy Candelario: i'm here. 20 00:02:11.970 --> 00:02:12.540

Kimberly Johnson: hi Lucy. 21 00:02:12.990 --> 00:02:13.800 Lucy Candelario: hi everybody. 22 00:02:14.310 --> 00:02:15.180 Mary Jean Jakubowski: hi Lucy. 23 00:02:15.540 --> 00:02:15.990 Hello. 24 00:02:17.580 --> 00:02:18.210 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Just missing. 25 00:02:18.660 --> 00:02:19.170 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Right now. 26 00:02:43.440 --> 00:02:44.670 call the meeting to order. 27 00:02:45.990 --> 00:02:47.070 So let's see. 28 00:02:52.650 --> 00:02:54.810 In Person Audio: i'll start with the call the role. 29 00:02:55.620 --> 00:02:58.200 Kathleen B Bucki: I Kathleen Baron spock I am here. 30 00:02:59.190 --> 00:03:00.600 Kathleen B Bucki: Then vice chair. 31 00:03:00.630 --> 00:03:01.650 Kathleen B Bucki: Kimberly Johnson. 32 00:03:02.610 --> 00:03:03.030 here.

33 00:03:04.500 --> 00:03:06.000 Kathleen B Bucki: Secretary Joel more. 34 00:03:09.300 --> 00:03:10.110 Kathleen B Bucki: Sorry we're winners. 35 00:03:10.140 --> 00:03:10.920 Joel Moore: to smear. 36 00:03:12.420 --> 00:03:12.660 Kathleen B Bucki: and 37 00:03:13.920 --> 00:03:15.330 Kathleen B Bucki: Alan but danko. 38 00:03:15.390 --> 00:03:15.900 treasure. 39 00:03:23.880 --> 00:03:25.650 Kathleen B Bucki: I think you're unmuted but I don't hear you Alan. 40 00:03:26.220 --> 00:03:27.210 Alan Bedenko: Oh sorry i'm here. 41 00:03:27.480 --> 00:03:27.780 Okay. 42 00:03:28.830 --> 00:03:29.100 Kathleen B Bucki: Then. 43 00:03:29.280 --> 00:03:31.260 SheldonBerlow: sheldon barolo here. 44 00:03:32.640 --> 00:03:33.480 Kathleen B Bucki: katie bird. 45 00:03:33.810 --> 00:03:34.350

here.

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Kathleen B Bucki: Lucy Kendall oreo.

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00:03:37.500 --> 00:03:40.200 Elaine Panty: Here crema elba hari.

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00:03:41.370 --> 00:03:41.880 Elaine Panty: here.

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00:03:42.600 --> 00:03:43.410 Kathleen B Bucki: frank guest.

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00:03:43.980 --> 00:03:44.370 here.

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00:03:45.390 --> 00:03:46.170 frank house.

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00:03:49.110 --> 00:03:50.070 Elaine Panty: Ted Johnson.

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00:03:50.490 --> 00:03:51.990 Kathleen B Bucki: yeah he's not here yet.

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00:03:53.130 --> 00:03:53.550 Maybe not.

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00:03:55.740 --> 00:03:56.700 Kathleen B Bucki: Share Sharon telly.

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00:03:59.100 --> 00:04:00.270 Kathleen B Bucki: And elaine panty.

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00:04:04.110 --> 00:04:11.610 Elaine Panty: Michael dell's not here either them right I didn't hear him who do you say okay Mike armadale oh. 58 00:04:11.640 --> 00:04:13.140 Kathleen B Bucki: yeah he's not gonna be. 59 00:04:13.140 --> 00:04:13.350 here. 60 00:04:14.490 --> 00:04:14.910 Elaine Panty: Okay. 61 00:04:15.900 --> 00:04:17.040 But you're here I guess. 62 00:04:18.690 --> 00:04:23.310 Elaine Panty: I am here I am i'm here, I tried to make sure I got through okay. 63 00:04:26.100 --> 00:04:26.790 Elaine Panty: Okay, so. 64 00:04:26.940 --> 00:04:28.230 Kathleen B Bucki: We have a quorum. 65 00:04:28.590 --> 00:04:29.880 Elaine Panty: And let's see oh. 66 00:04:30.060 --> 00:04:30.930 Kathleen B Bucki: go through the. 67 00:04:35.550 --> 00:04:36.090 You know. 68 00:04:38.160 --> 00:04:38.820 Kathleen B Bucki: Rules for. 69 00:04:39.030 --> 00:04:39.390 Kathleen B Bucki: me oh. 70

00:04:39.600 --> 00:04:44.250 Kathleen B Bucki: yeah that's real, so the State of New York executive chamber. 71 00:04:44.280 --> 00:04:47.400 Kathleen B Bucki: executive order number 202 92. 72 00:04:47.400 --> 00:04:50.580 Kathleen B Bucki: issued January 27 2021. 73 00:04:50.670 --> 00:04:52.740 Kathleen B Bucki: extends previous executive orders. 74 00:04:52.890 --> 00:04:58.230 Kathleen B Bucki: Continuing temporary suspension and modification of laws relating to the disaster emergency. 75 00:04:59.730 --> 00:05:00.090 Kathleen B Bucki: says. 76 00:05:00.570 --> 00:05:02.760 Elaine Panty: Suspension of law allowing the attendance. 77 00:05:02.760 --> 00:05:05.580 Kathleen B Bucki: of meetings telephonically or other similar service. 78 00:05:05.910 --> 00:05:08.130 Elaine Panty: Through February 26 2021. 79 00:05:08.550 --> 00:05:11.130 Elaine Panty: permitting the buffalo and erie county public library. 80 00:05:11.250 --> 00:05:17.310 Kathleen B Bucki: Board of Trustees to hold today's board meeting remotely by conference call and constitute trustees as President. 81 00:05:17.790 --> 00:05:19.290 Kathleen B Bucki: allowing them to be counted for.

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00:05:19.290 --> 00:05:20.340 Elaine Panty: quorum and voting. 83 00:05:20.940 --> 00:05:25.500 Kathleen B Bucki: The public was provided dial and instructions through zoom with the ability to listen and comment. 84 00:05:26.340 --> 00:05:31.890 Kathleen B Bucki: Please be aware that a complete verbatim transcription of today's remote meeting through zoom conference call. 85 00:05:31.920 --> 00:05:33.090 Elaine Panty: will be kept on file. 86 00:05:33.600 --> 00:05:34.770 In Person Audio: By the beginning cpl. 87 00:05:35.370 --> 00:05:39.780 Kathleen B Bucki: All trustees are asked to state your full name, before speaking and making motions for the record. 88 00:05:40.410 --> 00:05:41.460 Kathleen B Bucki: And you went from the public. 89 00:05:41.460 --> 00:05:47.970 Kathleen B Bucki: Who is on this call, will have the opportunity to speak during agenda agenda item G public comment. 90 00:05:48.510 --> 00:05:50.370 Kathleen B Bucki: At that time, you will need to identify. 91 00:05:50.370 --> 00:05:52.830 Kathleen B Bucki: yourself state and spell your name for the record. 92 00:05:53.340 --> 00:05:54.150 Kathleen B Bucki: and be limited to. 93 00:05:54.180 --> 00:05:56.280 Kathleen B Bucki: Three minutes per person to speak.

94 00:05:56.550 --> 00:05:58.950 Kathleen B Bucki: Please note the Board will not comment at that time. 95 00:06:01.980 --> 00:06:02.730 Kathleen B Bucki: So let's see. 96 00:06:07.590 --> 00:06:08.640 Elaine Panty: So got. 97 00:06:09.090 --> 00:06:09.480 The. 98 00:06:12.360 --> 00:06:14.640 Kathleen B Bucki: 13 just the agenda, I do. 99 00:06:15.900 --> 00:06:16.890 Kathleen B Bucki: want to. 100 00:06:17.850 --> 00:06:19.740 Kathleen B Bucki: create an ad hoc committee but. 101 00:06:20.130 --> 00:06:22.320 Kathleen B Bucki: I need to see what the interest. 102 00:06:22.890 --> 00:06:24.750 Elaine Panty: In people joining it will be if we. 103 00:06:24.750 --> 00:06:25.080 Can. 104 00:06:26.250 --> 00:06:27.270 Elaine Panty: Get that figured out for. 105 00:06:27.270 --> 00:06:28.230 Kathleen B Bucki: Today, so.

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00:06:30.030 --> 00:06:32.010 Kathleen B Bucki: I don't know if we should add that to. 107 00:06:32.700 --> 00:06:33.990 Kathleen B Bucki: unfinished business. 108 00:06:39.810 --> 00:06:40.620 Kathleen B Bucki: Would that work. 109 00:06:44.550 --> 00:06:51.120 Elaine Panty: But works with me i'm not sure I do under new business, no, no it's not no it's something we've been related to something we already talked about so. 110 00:06:53.970 --> 00:06:55.440 Elaine Panty: yeah should be on finished, I think. 111 00:06:56.580 --> 00:06:57.990 Kathleen B Bucki: So, I guess, I will. 112 00:06:58.260 --> 00:06:58.950 Kathleen B Bucki: Add that. 113 00:07:01.110 --> 00:07:03.270 Kathleen B Bucki: So to agenda item each I guess. 114 00:07:03.420 --> 00:07:03.690 Kathleen B Bucki: We. 115 00:07:03.960 --> 00:07:04.860 Kathleen B Bucki: approve the. 116 00:07:05.580 --> 00:07:06.900 Kathleen B Bucki: agenda with that change. 117 00:07:08.550 --> 00:07:09.420 Kimberly Johnson: motion to approve. 118 00:07:10.080 --> 00:07:10.800

Kimberly Johnson: Kim Johnson. 119 00:07:12.450 --> 00:07:15.090 Elaine Panty: panty second okay all in favor. 120 00:07:15.990 --> 00:07:17.760 Elaine Panty: Aye Aye Aye. 121 00:07:19.050 --> 00:07:19.830 Kathleen B Bucki: Any opposed. 122 00:07:23.250 --> 00:07:24.180 Elaine Panty: All right, thank you. 123 00:07:24.300 --> 00:07:25.740 Kathleen B Bucki: So um. 124 00:07:27.060 --> 00:07:27.900 Elaine Panty: Is there. 125 00:07:28.350 --> 00:07:30.570 Kathleen B Bucki: A motion to approve the Minutes. 126 00:07:30.600 --> 00:07:32.250 Kathleen B Bucki: From last month's board. 127 00:07:32.250 --> 00:07:32.700 Meeting. 128 00:07:34.170 --> 00:07:34.800 SheldonBerlow: mo. 129 00:07:35.550 --> 00:07:36.180 Second. 130 00:07:38.130 --> 00:07:40.200 Lucy Candelario: kamala real okay.

131 00:07:40.260 --> 00:07:42.570 Elaine Panty: All in favor Aye. 132 00:07:44.820 --> 00:07:45.660 Elaine Panty: Any opposed. 133 00:07:46.440 --> 00:07:47.580 Kathleen B Bucki: Alright, thanks. 134 00:07:49.170 --> 00:07:54.390 Kathleen B Bucki: So for my reports for me go through. 135 00:07:55.650 --> 00:07:56.850 Elaine Panty: The committee will. 136 00:07:56.940 --> 00:07:57.300 Okay. 137 00:07:58.350 --> 00:08:00.060 Kathleen B Bucki: I just want to remind everyone that. 138 00:08:00.120 --> 00:08:01.380 SheldonBerlow: If you haven't yet. 139 00:08:01.650 --> 00:08:03.330 Kathleen B Bucki: done so please complete your. 140 00:08:03.360 --> 00:08:15.630 Kathleen B Bucki: conflict of interest disclosure statement and your contact information update form and return them to Aaron best, so the forms were sent or distributed in your January board packet if you. 141 00:08:15.630 --> 00:08:15.900 Elaine Panty: need. 142 00:08:15.930 --> 00:08:16.740 Kathleen B Bucki: New copies.

143 00:08:16.770 --> 00:08:17.850 Please let Aaron know. 144 00:08:19.560 --> 00:08:20.100 Kathleen B Bucki: So then. 145 00:08:20.130 --> 00:08:21.720 Elaine Panty: For the Committee appointments. 146 00:08:26.970 --> 00:08:28.380 Kathleen B Bucki: See i'm. 147 00:08:28.620 --> 00:08:29.730 Kathleen B Bucki: i'll let you know. 148 00:08:30.900 --> 00:08:32.490 Kathleen B Bucki: What we have for the committee's. 149 00:08:32.580 --> 00:08:33.210 Kathleen B Bucki: Right now. 150 00:08:33.240 --> 00:08:34.110 Elaine Panty: We do need. 151 00:08:34.890 --> 00:08:36.570 Kathleen B Bucki: A chair for one of them. 152 00:08:36.570 --> 00:08:37.500 Elaine Panty: Still, but. 153 00:08:38.760 --> 00:08:39.810 Kathleen B Bucki: When we get to that one i'll. 154 00:08:40.410 --> 00:08:41.370 Kathleen B Bucki: See who on the. 155 00:08:42.240 --> 00:08:43.890

Kathleen B Bucki: committee would be interested in sharing it. 156 00:08:45.270 --> 00:08:46.860 Elaine Panty: So executive committee. 157 00:08:47.010 --> 00:08:48.390 Kathleen B Bucki: which was already elected. 158 00:08:48.420 --> 00:08:52.740 Kathleen B Bucki: Is me caper and spoke, I Kim Johnson as vice chair. 159 00:08:53.790 --> 00:08:55.560 Kathleen B Bucki: sheldon barolo katie bird. 160 00:08:55.800 --> 00:09:01.770 Kathleen B Bucki: And elaine panty the budget and Finance Committee is Joe Morris. 161 00:09:01.800 --> 00:09:03.390 Elaine Panty: chair than Mike. 162 00:09:03.450 --> 00:09:08.910 Kathleen B Bucki: oma do Allan poe danko Lucy candle oreo and crema l buhari. 163 00:09:09.960 --> 00:09:11.700 Kathleen B Bucki: The building oversight committee. 164 00:09:12.720 --> 00:09:14.730 Kathleen B Bucki: Is katie bird as chair. 165 00:09:14.910 --> 00:09:16.140 Kathleen B Bucki: than frank kissed. 166 00:09:16.230 --> 00:09:18.150 Kathleen B Bucki: chill war and Ted Johnson. 167 00:09:19.260 --> 00:09:21.240 Elaine Panty: The governance committee is.

168 00:09:21.300 --> 00:09:23.730 Kathleen B Bucki: Alan but danko is chair than. 169 00:09:23.940 --> 00:09:26.190 Kathleen B Bucki: karima oh bihari frank house. 170 00:09:26.340 --> 00:09:28.230 Kathleen B Bucki: frank kissed and Sharon Kelly. 171 00:09:29.460 --> 00:09:30.690 Elaine Panty: The policy committee. 172 00:09:30.930 --> 00:09:31.350 Elaine Panty: Is with. 173 00:09:31.440 --> 00:09:34.290 Kathleen B Bucki: elaine panty his chair and Alan but danko. 174 00:09:35.100 --> 00:09:38.760 Kathleen B Bucki: Myself Kathleen baron's ball guy frank kissed and Sharon Kelly. 175 00:09:40.800 --> 00:09:42.960 Kathleen B Bucki: The buffalo library services committee. 176 00:09:43.320 --> 00:09:45.360 Kathleen B Bucki: Is katie bird frank guest. 177 00:09:45.570 --> 00:09:47.550 Kathleen B Bucki: Joel more elaine panty. 178 00:09:47.580 --> 00:09:49.050 Elaine Panty: And Ted Johnson and. 179 00:09:49.170 --> 00:09:50.520 Kathleen B Bucki: currently do not have. 180 00:09:50.640 --> 00:09:53.700

Kathleen B Bucki: A chair for that so does anyone interested in being the Chair. 181 00:09:57.150 --> 00:09:58.410 Katie Burd: I can, if you want me to get. 182 00:09:59.640 --> 00:10:00.210 Kathleen B Bucki: sure if. 183 00:10:00.510 --> 00:10:00.990 Kathleen B Bucki: If you're the one. 184 00:10:02.070 --> 00:10:03.270 Elaine Panty: yep thanks. 185 00:10:07.260 --> 00:10:07.830 Kathleen B Bucki: And then. 186 00:10:09.330 --> 00:10:10.560 Kathleen B Bucki: Development and advocacy. 187 00:10:10.560 --> 00:10:12.690 In Person Audio: committee chair. 188 00:10:12.810 --> 00:10:16.770 Kathleen B Bucki: Sharon Kelly, and then Kimberly Johnson and elaine panty. 189 00:10:17.940 --> 00:10:24.000 Kathleen B Bucki: Planning committee Mike Ahmadiyya was chair frank just lean panty and Ted Johnson. 190 00:10:24.570 --> 00:10:27.120 Elaine Panty: Special collections committee finally. 191 00:10:27.510 --> 00:10:31.320 Kathleen B Bucki: Is a Ted Johnson his chair than frank guest and elaine. 192 00:10:31.320 --> 00:10:34.050 Kathleen B Bucki: panty So is there.

193 00:10:34.620 --> 00:10:35.850 Elaine Panty: A motion to approve. 194 00:10:35.910 --> 00:10:37.200 Kathleen B Bucki: The committee assignments as. 195 00:10:37.200 --> 00:10:37.890 presented. 196 00:10:39.240 --> 00:10:40.560 Katie Burd: From okay anyway. 197 00:10:41.640 --> 00:10:42.720 Elaine Panty: Okay, this is a line out. 198 00:10:42.720 --> 00:10:44.490 Elaine Panty: Second, all in favor. 199 00:10:45.840 --> 00:10:46.290 Alan Bedenko: Aye. 200 00:10:47.790 --> 00:10:48.570 Any opposed. 201 00:10:49.770 --> 00:10:50.610 Elaine Panty: Okay, thank you. 202 00:10:51.210 --> 00:10:51.810 Kathleen B Bucki: So. 203 00:10:52.080 --> 00:10:53.700 Kathleen B Bucki: Then, for the governance. 204 00:10:53.760 --> 00:10:54.390 Elaine Panty: Committee.

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00:10:54.480 --> 00:10:56.670 Kathleen B Bucki: I gotta read another spiel. 206 00:10:56.700 --> 00:10:57.150 So. 207 00:10:58.440 --> 00:11:02.940 Kathleen B Bucki: For bylaws Article five section six all members of the governance committee. 208 00:11:02.940 --> 00:11:06.510 Kathleen B Bucki: Including the chairman of the committee must be trustees and must. 209 00:11:06.540 --> 00:11:08.610 Kathleen B Bucki: qualify as independent trustees. 210 00:11:08.940 --> 00:11:18.990 Kathleen B Bucki: as defined in the bylaws and such independence must be documented in the board minutes all trustees selected for membership on the governance committee must disclose of. 211 00:11:18.990 --> 00:11:24.540 Kathleen B Bucki: time he or she is selected to the committee at any time thereafter during his or her service. 212 00:11:24.570 --> 00:11:25.410 Elaine Panty: On the Committee. 213 00:11:25.740 --> 00:11:27.240 Kathleen B Bucki: Any circumstances which would. 214 00:11:27.240 --> 00:11:30.210 Kathleen B Bucki: disqualify him or her from serving on the. 215 00:11:30.210 --> 00:11:31.080 Elaine Panty: Governance committee. 216 00:11:31.680 --> 00:11:34.680 Kathleen B Bucki: In the event, a trustee is rendered ineligible during.

217 00:11:34.770 --> 00:11:36.330 Kathleen B Bucki: The time of his or her service.

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Kathleen B Bucki: On the governance Committee, he or she must resigned from the committee immediately, and the chairman of the board may fill the vacancy with an independent trustee subject to the.

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00:11:46.020 --> 00:11:47.130 Kathleen B Bucki: Approval of the board.

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00:11:47.130 --> 00:11:47.910 In Person Audio: And provided.

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00:11:48.030 --> 00:11:55.770 Kathleen B Bucki: The appropriate documentation of such independent trustees qualifications is included in the Minutes of the board meeting where such vacancy is filled.

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00:11:56.880 --> 00:11:59.640 Kathleen B Bucki: Independent trustee means a trustee who.

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00:12:00.120 --> 00:12:06.240 Kathleen B Bucki: Is not and has not been within the last three years, and an employee of the buffalo and erie county public library.

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00:12:06.600 --> 00:12:20.520 Kathleen B Bucki: or an affiliate of the buffalo New York county public library and does not have a relative who is or has been in the last three years, a key person of the buffalo and erie county public library or an affiliate of the i'm just going to say be any cpl.

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00:12:21.540 --> 00:12:27.960 Kathleen B Bucki: has not received and does not have a relative who has received in any of the last three fiscal years.

226 00:12:28.020 --> 00:12:30.360 Kathleen B Bucki: More than \$10,000 in direct. 227 00:12:30.360 --> 00:12:37.260 Kathleen B Bucki: compensation from the buffalo and your county public library or an affiliate of the Viennese cpl other than reimbursement. 228 00:12:37.440 --> 00:12:40.350 Kathleen B Bucki: For expenses reasonably incurred as a trustee. 229 00:12:40.710 --> 00:12:43.020 Kathleen B Bucki: or reasonable compensation for services a. 230 00:12:43.020 --> 00:12:55.110 Kathleen B Bucki: trustee or is not a current employee of or does not have a substantial financial interest in and does not have a relative, who is a current Officer of or has a substantial. 231 00:12:55.110 --> 00:12:58.170 Kathleen B Bucki: financial interest in any entity that has made. 232 00:12:58.170 --> 00:13:00.720 Kathleen B Bucki: Payments to or receive payments from. 233 00:13:01.110 --> 00:13:03.120 Kathleen B Bucki: The buffalo and erie county public library. 234 00:13:03.150 --> 00:13:05.640 Kathleen B Bucki: or an affiliate of the buffalo and erie county. 235 00:13:06.300 --> 00:13:07.170 Kathleen B Bucki: public libraries. 236 00:13:08.670 --> 00:13:10.020 Kathleen B Bucki: or services and amount. 237 00:13:10.380 --> 00:13:10.920 Elaine Panty: Which. 238 00:13:11.070 --> 00:13:12.480 Kathleen B Bucki: In any of the last three fiscal.

239 00:13:12.480 --> 00:13:13.980 Kathleen B Bucki: Years exceeds. 240 00:13:15.210 --> 00:13:22.110 Kathleen B Bucki: If the entities consolidated gross revenues were less than \$500,000 the lesser of \$10,000 or 2%. 241 00:13:22.140 --> 00:13:23.250 Elaine Panty: of such entities. 242 00:13:23.400 --> 00:13:35.760 Kathleen B Bucki: consolidated gross revenues entity, if the entities consolidated gross revenues were \$500,000 or more but less than \$10 million \$25,000 or. 243 00:13:36.240 --> 00:13:46.290 Kathleen B Bucki: If the entities consolidated gross revenues were \$10 million or more \$100,000 This is like confusing reading it out loud, it makes more sense looking at it, but. 244 00:13:47.310 --> 00:13:47.760 Kathleen B Bucki: And then. 245 00:13:48.780 --> 00:13:58.740 Kathleen B Bucki: Is not and does not have a relative, who is a current owner, whether holy or partially director officer or employee of the BBC pills. 246 00:13:58.950 --> 00:14:00.090 Kathleen B Bucki: Outside auditor. 247 00:14:00.660 --> 00:14:01.710 Kathleen B Bucki: Or, who has worked. 248 00:14:01.770 --> 00:14:03.450 Kathleen B Bucki: On the BBC pls audit. 249 00:14:03.630 --> 00:14:05.730 Kathleen B Bucki: At any time during the past three years.

250 00:14:06.990 --> 00:14:08.610 So trustees. 251 00:14:15.450 --> 00:14:15.810 Frank Housh: Please. 252 00:14:18.420 --> 00:14:19.110 Kathleen B Bucki: play it back. 253 00:14:26.010 --> 00:14:28.290 Kathleen B Bucki: trustees but danko l bihari. 254 00:14:28.320 --> 00:14:33.630 Kathleen B Bucki: house guest and Kelly, have been selected for membership on the governance committee. 255 00:14:34.020 --> 00:14:44.700 Kathleen B Bucki: And each trustees confirm that you qualify as an independent trustee for the bylaws and disclose if there are any circumstances which would disqualify you from serving on the governance committee at this time. 256 00:14:48.300 --> 00:14:50.790 Alan Bedenko: This is Alan I qualify as an. 257 00:14:50.790 --> 00:14:52.500 Alan Bedenko: Independent trustee. 258 00:14:53.730 --> 00:14:55.230 Carima El-behairy: karima I also qualify. 259 00:14:57.330 --> 00:14:59.490 Elaine Panty: I qualify this. 260 00:14:59.910 --> 00:15:02.460 Frank Housh: Step on share like that this is frank how's that qualify. 261 00:15:04.650 --> 00:15:05.130 Frank Gist: I was on.

262 00:15:06.990 --> 00:15:07.470 Kathleen B Bucki: Your own. 263 00:15:09.450 --> 00:15:09.810 Kathleen B Bucki: Okay. 264 00:15:12.060 --> 00:15:15.750 Elaine Panty: So okay okay Kathy. 265 00:15:16.860 --> 00:15:22.590 Elaine Panty: On the advocacy Committee did I get this Mr pillow on that or did I miss that on which committee. 266 00:15:22.680 --> 00:15:24.900 Elaine Panty: advocacy the advocacy yeah. 267 00:15:25.230 --> 00:15:25.920 Kathleen B Bucki: yeah I. 268 00:15:26.190 --> 00:15:27.900 Kathleen B Bucki: don't think he wanted to be this year. 269 00:15:29.310 --> 00:15:32.310 Elaine Panty: Okay, so Sharon Kelly me and who was the other one. 270 00:15:33.180 --> 00:15:34.050 Kathleen B Bucki: Kim Johnson. 271 00:15:35.250 --> 00:15:38.940 Elaine Panty: Oh Kim Johnson Okay, I must get okay all right Okay, thank you. 272 00:15:40.440 --> 00:15:41.250 Elaine Panty: Okay, so then. 273 00:15:41.580 --> 00:15:46.290 Kathleen B Bucki: committee chairs are to plan and schedule meetings for the upcoming year as needed.

274 00:15:47.610 --> 00:15:49.350 Kathleen B Bucki: So I think. 275 00:15:49.860 --> 00:15:51.630 Elaine Panty: that's all we needed to do for. 276 00:15:52.530 --> 00:15:53.490 The committee's. 277 00:15:54.600 --> 00:15:56.790 Kathleen B Bucki: For these committees anyway so. 278 00:15:58.110 --> 00:16:02.460 Kathleen B Bucki: move on to committee reports so executive committee. 279 00:16:02.550 --> 00:16:03.240 Elaine Panty: Kim could you. 280 00:16:03.990 --> 00:16:05.670 Give us that report, please. 281 00:16:08.730 --> 00:16:09.330 Elaine Panty: Can you hear me. 282 00:16:11.580 --> 00:16:13.680 Kimberly Johnson: Okay, good good all right um. 283 00:16:15.510 --> 00:16:16.140 Kimberly Johnson: The buffalo. 284 00:16:17.040 --> 00:16:19.530 Kimberly Johnson: buffalo area county public library. 285 00:16:19.800 --> 00:16:25.170 Kimberly Johnson: Board of Trustees executive committee meeting on or February 11 2021.

286 00:16:25.560 --> 00:16:31.200 Kimberly Johnson: President via zoom conference executive committee chair, Kate buckeye. 287 00:16:32.250 --> 00:16:37.440 Kimberly Johnson: Vice chair Kim Kimberly Johnson members sheldon barolo katie bird. 288 00:16:37.770 --> 00:16:39.300 Kimberly Johnson: And elaine panty. 289 00:16:40.380 --> 00:16:41.460 Kimberly Johnson: As well as. 290 00:16:41.520 --> 00:16:42.210 Elaine Panty: X open. 291 00:16:43.590 --> 00:16:44.160 Kimberly Johnson: frank how. 292 00:16:45.210 --> 00:16:46.200 Kimberly Johnson: library director. 293 00:16:46.590 --> 00:16:47.850 Kimberly Johnson: Mary Jane jacobowsky. 294 00:16:48.240 --> 00:16:49.620 Elaine Panty: chief executive officer. 295 00:16:49.620 --> 00:16:50.490 Kimberly Johnson: Can stone. 296 00:16:50.760 --> 00:16:54.750 Kimberly Johnson: Chief operating officer janine Doyle also. 297 00:16:54.960 --> 00:16:56.130 Elaine Panty: President via zoom.

00:16:56.880 --> 00:16:58.770 Kimberly Johnson: and keeping with the executive order of. 299 00:17:00.780 --> 00:17:05.010 Kimberly Johnson: issued on January 27 2021 which extended. 300 00:17:05.040 --> 00:17:06.180 Elaine Panty: Previous executive. 301 00:17:06.210 --> 00:17:07.650 Kimberly Johnson: orders regarding emergency. 302 00:17:07.650 --> 00:17:10.740 Kimberly Johnson: adjustments to the open meeting laws. 303 00:17:10.770 --> 00:17:13.470 Kimberly Johnson: In response to the colon had. 304 00:17:13.650 --> 00:17:14.640 Elaine Panty: pandemic through. 305 00:17:15.000 --> 00:17:18.690 Kimberly Johnson: February 26 2026 this meeting was. 306 00:17:18.750 --> 00:17:20.520 Kimberly Johnson: offered remotely via zoom. 307 00:17:21.030 --> 00:17:22.860 Kimberly Johnson: As required by the governor's. 308 00:17:22.890 --> 00:17:23.970 Kimberly Johnson: Order order. 309 00:17:24.780 --> 00:17:28.590 Kimberly Johnson: The public had the opportunity, or the ability to listen. 310 00:17:28.590 --> 00:17:29.910 Kimberly Johnson: To the teachings.

311 00:17:30.330 --> 00:17:31.080 Elaine Panty: Via zoom. 312 00:17:31.170 --> 00:17:33.870 Kimberly Johnson: And the meeting was recorded transcribed. 313 00:17:33.930 --> 00:17:34.800 Kimberly Johnson: and made available. 314 00:17:34.860 --> 00:17:36.390 Elaine Panty: On the library's website. 315 00:17:36.570 --> 00:17:42.810 Kimberly Johnson: This information is included in the Member make the meeting Pack was getting announcements chair book I call the meeting. 316 00:17:42.810 --> 00:17:43.560 Kimberly Johnson: To order at. 317 00:17:44.130 --> 00:17:46.440 Kimberly Johnson: 2pm after a call the road. 318 00:17:46.500 --> 00:17:47.220 Kimberly Johnson: It was noted. 319 00:17:47.700 --> 00:17:48.090 Kimberly Johnson: That. 320 00:17:48.150 --> 00:17:49.710 In Person Audio: a quorum was President. 321 00:17:50.010 --> 00:17:53.820 Kimberly Johnson: executive committee review the proposed agenda for the February. 322 00:17:53.850 --> 00:17:55.230 Kimberly Johnson: 18 meeting.

323 00:17:56.670 --> 00:17:58.200 Kimberly Johnson: trustee Board of Trustees meeting. 324 00:17:58.530 --> 00:18:00.180 Kimberly Johnson: chair book I relate. 325 00:18:00.420 --> 00:18:05.280 Kimberly Johnson: She planned to form an ad hoc committee at the February meeting. 326 00:18:05.580 --> 00:18:06.990 Kimberly Johnson: For the purposes of review. 327 00:18:06.990 --> 00:18:08.460 Elaine Panty: and administrative salary. 328 00:18:08.880 --> 00:18:11.760 Kimberly Johnson: She hoped the committee's will be able to meet. 329 00:18:12.090 --> 00:18:13.680 Kimberly Johnson: In the next month and present. 330 00:18:13.710 --> 00:18:16.950 Kimberly Johnson: Their recommendations at the board of trustees meeting. 331 00:18:17.820 --> 00:18:18.570 Elaine Panty: In March. 332 00:18:18.960 --> 00:18:23.880 Kimberly Johnson: chair buck, I will be presenting nominations for 2021 committee. 333 00:18:24.450 --> 00:18:27.000 Kimberly Johnson: appointments at the February. 334 00:18:27.330 --> 00:18:28.050 Kimberly Johnson: yeah appointments. 335 00:18:28.080 --> 00:18:30.750

Kimberly Johnson: at the February meeting she indicated committee. 336 00:18:30.750 --> 00:18:32.190 Elaine Panty: volunteer forums. 337 00:18:32.430 --> 00:18:33.900 Kimberly Johnson: had not been received. 338 00:18:33.900 --> 00:18:35.730 Kimberly Johnson: from somewhere on trustees. 339 00:18:36.000 --> 00:18:38.430 Elaine Panty: Leaving some committees, with very few. 340 00:18:38.730 --> 00:18:41.160 Kimberly Johnson: Volunteers an email follow up. 341 00:18:41.160 --> 00:18:41.520 Elaine Panty: With. 342 00:18:41.730 --> 00:18:44.310 Kimberly Johnson: has been sent to those who have not. 343 00:18:44.640 --> 00:18:46.260 Kimberly Johnson: returned their farms and director. 344 00:18:46.260 --> 00:18:47.820 Kimberly Johnson: jacobowsky says she would have. 345 00:18:48.240 --> 00:18:49.320 Kimberly Johnson: her office called. 346 00:18:49.320 --> 00:18:51.630 Kimberly Johnson: Those who did not respond by. 347 00:18:51.660 --> 00:18:53.580 Kimberly Johnson: Next week trustee house.

348 00:18:54.540 --> 00:18:54.870 Kimberly Johnson: Join. 349 00:18:54.900 --> 00:19:02.220 Kimberly Johnson: The meeting at 804 director jacobowsky report it over 120,000 hundred thousand. 350 00:19:02.490 --> 00:19:03.390 Kimberly Johnson: postcards we're. 351 00:19:04.080 --> 00:19:07.260 Kimberly Johnson: currently being sent out to committee committee. 352 00:19:08.190 --> 00:19:09.270 Kimberly Johnson: keys Kim excuse me. 353 00:19:09.690 --> 00:19:12.570 Kimberly Johnson: out to the Community advising that the. 354 00:19:12.600 --> 00:19:15.240 Kimberly Johnson: DNA cpl libraries are open. 355 00:19:15.570 --> 00:19:17.460 Kimberly Johnson: The mailing was an. 356 00:19:18.000 --> 00:19:19.050 Elaine Panty: originally planned for. 357 00:19:19.050 --> 00:19:20.580 Kimberly Johnson: The end of 2020 but. 358 00:19:21.120 --> 00:19:27.000 Kimberly Johnson: was delayed until administration was confident that libraries will remain open for further indicate. 359 00:19:27.090 --> 00:19:28.320 Kimberly Johnson: She further indicated and.

360 00:19:28.320 --> 00:19:29.340 Elaine Panty: Mass email. 361 00:19:29.640 --> 00:19:30.900 Kimberly Johnson: would be sent out. 362 00:19:31.170 --> 00:19:33.720 Kimberly Johnson: To patrons next week trustee panty brought up. 363 00:19:34.020 --> 00:19:42.330 Kimberly Johnson: The most recent issue of the riverside review incorrectly indicated the libraries were open for curbside and walk up. 364 00:19:42.390 --> 00:19:45.840 Kimberly Johnson: On the director jacobowsky said she would have. 365 00:19:45.870 --> 00:19:48.780 Kimberly Johnson: Someone follow up with the newspaper directly. 366 00:19:49.500 --> 00:19:52.050 Kimberly Johnson: Directly jacobowsky a new library will. 367 00:19:52.110 --> 00:19:53.310 Elaine Panty: be hosting its blacked. 368 00:19:53.310 --> 00:19:54.120 Kimberly Johnson: out exhibit. 369 00:19:54.390 --> 00:19:55.830 Kimberly Johnson: from February 25. 370 00:19:55.920 --> 00:19:59.790 Kimberly Johnson: To mark 13 talk to exhibit was previously. 371 00:19:59.850 --> 00:20:03.420 Kimberly Johnson: held at the leave the leroy our culture.

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00:20:03.750 --> 00:20:05.100 Elaine Panty: junior branch library. 373 00:20:05.430 --> 00:20:11.580 Kimberly Johnson: They exhibit will be spread throughout the library, to encourage social distance. 374 00:20:11.880 --> 00:20:14.670 Kimberly Johnson: As was done previously a color book. 375 00:20:14.850 --> 00:20:19.770 Kimberly Johnson: A coloring book is being created to go along with the exhibit. 376 00:20:20.790 --> 00:20:22.080 Kimberly Johnson: featuring um. 377 00:20:22.350 --> 00:20:23.430 Kimberly Johnson: Prominent local black. 378 00:20:23.430 --> 00:20:23.880 In Person Audio: Women. 379 00:20:24.090 --> 00:20:24.510 Kimberly Johnson: To be an. 380 00:20:24.540 --> 00:20:37.530 Kimberly Johnson: E CPS on assistant deputy director to render on darden will be recognized with a coloring page and bookmark the crane branch library phase one. 381 00:20:37.530 --> 00:20:38.730 Elaine Panty: construction project. 382 00:20:39.030 --> 00:20:40.710 Kimberly Johnson: is set to begin soon. 383 00:20:40.950 --> 00:20:51.420 Kimberly Johnson: A Community meeting regarding the project is plan to be held February 23 director jacobowsky will forward information about the meeting to the board once.

384 00:20:51.450 --> 00:20:53.790 Kimberly Johnson: It is finalized finally directly. 385 00:20:54.240 --> 00:20:57.720 Kimberly Johnson: Directly jacobowsky reported she had received a letter. 386 00:20:58.020 --> 00:20:59.760 Kimberly Johnson: From the erie county legislative. 387 00:20:59.790 --> 00:21:04.800 Kimberly Johnson: Minorities Caucus i'm expressing their gratitude for all the things that the Viennese. 388 00:21:04.800 --> 00:21:06.690 Kimberly Johnson: EPL has done during. 389 00:21:06.960 --> 00:21:12.480 Kimberly Johnson: The pandemic she plans to share the letter, with the full bore director jacobowsky believes the. 390 00:21:12.480 --> 00:21:13.380 Elaine Panty: Association. 391 00:21:13.440 --> 00:21:14.850 Kimberly Johnson: of contract libraries. 392 00:21:16.320 --> 00:21:22.290 Kimberly Johnson: Trust he's acted not have a report for this month, she will contact. 393 00:21:22.500 --> 00:21:23.730 Elaine Panty: The Act President. 394 00:21:24.750 --> 00:21:26.460 Kimberly Johnson: About potentially removing. 395 00:21:26.640 --> 00:21:27.930

Kimberly Johnson: The item from the agenda. 396 00:21:28.260 --> 00:21:29.580 In Person Audio: The public had no comment. 397 00:21:29.850 --> 00:21:32.400 Kimberly Johnson: After review the committee had no changes. 398 00:21:32.400 --> 00:21:34.710 Kimberly Johnson: To the proposed agenda. 399 00:21:35.100 --> 00:21:35.790 Kimberly Johnson: chair buckeye. 400 00:21:36.360 --> 00:21:49.980 Kimberly Johnson: conveyed her plan for to form an ad hoc committee to trust the House who entered the meeting after previous discussion chair buck I indicated, she would be reaching out to individual trustees in. 401 00:21:50.850 --> 00:22:01.740 Kimberly Johnson: This week about their interest in joining the committee trustee pants he asked why there was no monthly financial report on the agenda this month. 402 00:22:02.160 --> 00:22:05.400 Elaine Panty: CFO stone explain the erie county completes. 403 00:22:05.400 --> 00:22:08.670 Kimberly Johnson: Their year in calculations in mid February. 404 00:22:08.700 --> 00:22:12.750 Kimberly Johnson: So the report before December 2020 will be. 405 00:22:13.080 --> 00:22:13.770 Kimberly Johnson: distributed. 406 00:22:13.800 --> 00:22:16.800 Kimberly Johnson: Next month, the report for January. 407

00:22:17.820 --> 00:22:19.920 Kimberly Johnson: January through march each year. 408 00:22:20.400 --> 00:22:23.700 Kimberly Johnson: are similar similarly delayed based. 409 00:22:23.700 --> 00:22:27.540 Kimberly Johnson: On airy counties budget process i'm trustee panty. 410 00:22:27.570 --> 00:22:29.520 Kimberly Johnson: asked if there had been. 411 00:22:29.820 --> 00:22:49.740 Kimberly Johnson: Further masked issues with patrons director jacobowsky related staff still need to give constant reminders but there have been no significant issues to report a few patrons have been removed from the library for mask usage infractions but no recent. 412 00:22:49.770 --> 00:22:51.210 Kimberly Johnson: incidents have. 413 00:22:51.240 --> 00:22:55.260 Kimberly Johnson: arrived level of calling assistance trustee. 414 00:22:55.500 --> 00:22:56.460 Kimberly Johnson: K Johnson. 415 00:22:57.210 --> 00:23:10.620 Kimberly Johnson: asked about the water main break outside the central library CFO stone reported the break was in the lateral line running running to the central library, which is under. 416 00:23:11.130 --> 00:23:11.970 Kimberly Johnson: The Pier view. 417 00:23:12.000 --> 00:23:24.300 Kimberly Johnson: Of appear, if you have con every county and own as owners of the building the the department of public works is currently.

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00:23:24.750 --> 00:23:39.480 Kimberly Johnson: identifying what they need to do to repair the line he know that the snow on the snow melt system was not damaged by this break and this and the building did not lose water pressure, as it has. 419 00:23:39.540 --> 00:23:40.230 Kimberly Johnson: In set. 420 00:23:41.160 --> 00:23:41.640 Elaine Panty: It has. 421 00:23:41.670 --> 00:23:53.100 Kimberly Johnson: A second main line there are minor water damaged items in the New York court storage area, the New York court storage was notified immediately. 422 00:23:55.110 --> 00:24:07.650 Kimberly Johnson: Before the water was able to be turned off Washington street and its sidewalks sidewalk were blocked off, maintenance staff did a great job and keeping the area. 423 00:24:07.650 --> 00:24:09.210 Kimberly Johnson: salted and we're. 424 00:24:10.200 --> 00:24:10.890 In Person Audio: And we're. 425 00:24:11.250 --> 00:24:12.600 Kimberly Johnson: incredibly fast. 426 00:24:13.170 --> 00:24:21.390 Kimberly Johnson: and thorough them and their overall response trustee house left during this discussion at for. 427 00:24:21.720 --> 00:24:22.830 Elaine Panty: 27 years. 428 00:24:23.580 --> 00:24:27.420 Kimberly Johnson: With no further business to discuss the Executive Committee meeting.

429 00:24:27.450 --> 00:24:34.710 Kimberly Johnson: adjourned at 4:29pm on the motion by trustee K Johnson and seconded by trustee. 430 00:24:36.450 --> 00:24:37.500 Elaine Panty: respectively similarly. 431 00:24:43.950 --> 00:24:44.280 Elaine Panty: See. 432 00:24:45.360 --> 00:24:48.630 Kathleen B Bucki: we're on the report of the director so merging. 433 00:24:49.320 --> 00:24:54.510 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Madam chair, I would like to ask if vice chair Johnson, would like to enter. 434 00:24:54.540 --> 00:24:57.720 Mary Jean Jakubowski: The Minutes of the Executive Committee into the official record. 435 00:25:01.830 --> 00:25:03.120 We need a motion to do. 436 00:25:04.380 --> 00:25:06.360 Alan Bedenko: Some of this is Alan okay. 437 00:25:06.420 --> 00:25:07.230 Frank Gist: Is there a second. 438 00:25:08.220 --> 00:25:09.780 Elaine Panty: Second, I will second elaine. 439 00:25:11.250 --> 00:25:11.970 Kathleen B Bucki: All in favor. 440 00:25:16.440 --> 00:25:17.550 And you post.

441 00:25:18.660 --> 00:25:20.670 Kathleen B Bucki: Okay, thank you, thanks for the reminder. 442 00:25:20.910 --> 00:25:28.080 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Go ahead merge no problem, thank you very much, everyone i'm in addition to my written report, I know, Kim mentioned and the. 443 00:25:28.080 --> 00:25:29.610 Mary Jean Jakubowski: executive committee report. 444 00:25:29.880 --> 00:25:34.290 Mary Jean Jakubowski: about the black doll exhibit and we're very excited about this exhibit to. 445 00:25:34.290 --> 00:25:36.360 Mary Jean Jakubowski: be spread throughout the central library. 446 00:25:36.750 --> 00:25:39.210 Mary Jean Jakubowski: February 25 through march 13. 447 00:25:39.600 --> 00:25:41.160 Mary Jean Jakubowski: just want to show to you. 448 00:25:41.520 --> 00:25:43.830 Mary Jean Jakubowski: This is our very own Dr Linda. 449 00:25:43.830 --> 00:25:45.390 Mary Jean Jakubowski: darden so we're so. 450 00:25:45.390 --> 00:25:47.160 In Person Audio: excited to be. 451 00:25:48.450 --> 00:25:48.990 Elaine Panty: Amongst. 452 00:25:49.140 --> 00:25:55.800 Mary Jean Jakubowski: The prominent African American women and Western New York so

we're very excited that she has. 453 00:25:55.980 --> 00:25:57.390 Elaine Panty: been able to be involved. 454 00:25:57.900 --> 00:25:58.830 Mary Jean Jakubowski: In that. 455 00:25:59.580 --> 00:26:01.170 In Person Audio: i'd also like to. 456 00:26:01.380 --> 00:26:03.960 Mary Jean Jakubowski: remind you, as was reminded in the executive. 457 00:26:03.960 --> 00:26:04.800 Mary Jean Jakubowski: committee about the. 458 00:26:04.830 --> 00:26:13.530 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Public meeting at the crane library that's this coming Tuesday via zoom at 7pm we have some good information. 459 00:26:13.560 --> 00:26:15.240 Mary Jean Jakubowski: out to you, we can resend it if. 460 00:26:15.240 --> 00:26:15.870 Elaine Panty: You would like. 461 00:26:15.960 --> 00:26:18.480 Mary Jean Jakubowski: To send me a quick message, give us a quick call. 462 00:26:19.650 --> 00:26:23.400 Mary Jean Jakubowski: it's an important meeting, it is the public meeting on the construction. 463 00:26:23.610 --> 00:26:24.420 projects. 464 00:26:25.740 --> 00:26:46.710

Mary Jean Jakubowski: You may have received in the mail this lovely postcard reminding Members of the Community, that our libraries are open, we have notified over 120 4000 people using the postcard and we have also sent out an email message to over 240,000 individuals. 465 00:26:49.410 --> 00:27:02.310 Mary Jean Jakubowski: I would also like to just ask that this be entered into the record, I would like to read to you a little bit of the letter P from the erie county in terms of the minority Caucus. 466 00:27:03.870 --> 00:27:04.770 Mary Jean Jakubowski: volumes. 467 00:27:04.830 --> 00:27:06.570 In Person Audio: To the credit that must. 468 00:27:06.750 --> 00:27:09.180 Mary Jean Jakubowski: have been to the staff for all of the services that. 469 00:27:09.270 --> 00:27:10.590 In Person Audio: They have been providing. 470 00:27:10.830 --> 00:27:16.470 Mary Jean Jakubowski: So, if you would bear with me please the letter is dated February 4 and. 471 00:27:16.530 --> 00:27:18.720 Elaine Panty: add a second paragraph reads. 472 00:27:19.170 --> 00:27:22.080 Mary Jean Jakubowski: The services you provide became a lifeline. 473 00:27:22.080 --> 00:27:24.810 Mary Jean Jakubowski: To many in the Community during this year. 474 00:27:24.840 --> 00:27:30.510 Mary Jean Jakubowski: of isolation, a buffalo and to erie county public library system method needs.

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00:27:30.600 --> 00:27:32.490 In Person Audio: of a variety of consumers. 476 00:27:32.760 --> 00:27:33.960 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Of all ages. 477 00:27:34.320 --> 00:27:40.560 Mary Jean Jakubowski: From those who are looking for an escape to those who are looking for employment and educational assistance. 478 00:27:41.280 --> 00:27:51.570 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Although we are looking forward to the time when we can experience, all of the offerings of our local libraries, we are grateful for the resources that have been made available so many. 479 00:27:51.600 --> 00:27:53.100 In Person Audio: During this past year. 480 00:27:53.460 --> 00:27:55.260 Mary Jean Jakubowski: And that is the baton from the minority. 481 00:27:55.260 --> 00:28:01.230 Mary Jean Jakubowski: pockets of the legislature, I call it fodder for the budget hearings, but I would like to enter. 482 00:28:01.230 --> 00:28:02.100 Mary Jean Jakubowski: The full letter. 483 00:28:02.340 --> 00:28:04.320 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Again, to the Minutes, and then you will all. 484 00:28:04.320 --> 00:28:04.920 Elaine Panty: have that. 485 00:28:05.400 --> 00:28:06.750 Mary Jean Jakubowski: In your record as. 486 00:28:09.480 --> 00:28:11.280 Mary Jean Jakubowski: I just wanted to share with you.

487 00:28:11.340 --> 00:28:16.140 Mary Jean Jakubowski: So please some very good news that we received on this morning on a. 488 00:28:16.140 --> 00:28:27.060 Mary Jean Jakubowski: call that I had with the New York State Department of Education and division of library development, they have been notified and subsequently notified us. 489 00:28:27.690 --> 00:28:42.630 Mary Jean Jakubowski: The Budget Office of New York state has indicated, they will be receiving a releasing excuse me, releasing the remaining 20% of this page aid that we have yet to receive that as an equivalent. 490 00:28:42.720 --> 00:28:45.990 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Of 570 \$3,000. 491 00:28:46.440 --> 00:29:00.780 Mary Jean Jakubowski: plus a little bit more than that, but we will now be receiving those funds, and I know that I am eternally grateful for that that this is coming forth and we don't have to worry about a reduced funding. 492 00:29:01.110 --> 00:29:02.190 In Person Audio: Or at least. 493 00:29:02.400 --> 00:29:04.320 Mary Jean Jakubowski: The 2021 budget. 494 00:29:06.030 --> 00:29:10.680 Mary Jean Jakubowski: And with that that is my report for today i'll take any questions anyone have any. 495 00:29:11.880 --> 00:29:14.280 Elaine Panty: Mary Jane is the line I don't have a question. 496 00:29:16.200 --> 00:29:32.130 Elaine Panty: Number one I didn't get a postcard but that's Okay, a friend of mine did encounter kinda wanna but I got the riverside review yesterday and guess what that incorrect information was there, so I called joy again, and she said she had

emailed.

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00:29:33.210 --> 00:29:38.970 Elaine Panty: Mister Mister MAC and who is the editor and so.

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00:29:40.410 --> 00:29:43.260 Elaine Panty: She said she would email him again I said okay fine but.

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00:29:44.670 --> 00:29:55.920 Elaine Panty: I don't have email, so I just picked up the phone and I called and I spoke to him and I very nicely said, you know you had incorrect information.

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00:29:56.460 --> 00:30:13.230 Elaine Panty: In the review last week and again this week and it leads to lead people to believe that the library is the libraries are closed, and I said number one you hit we have eight branches in the city, plus the central, which makes it nine he said we had seven and I said.

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00:30:14.610 --> 00:30:20.460 Elaine Panty: it's very confusing and a lot of people read the information and they would be misinform.

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00:30:22.350 --> 00:30:33.930 Elaine Panty: He said well as soon as someone sends me something I will make sure to collect I said, thank you very much, I would appreciate that I hung up the phone and I called job she said she had already emailed him.

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00:30:35.580 --> 00:30:43.590 Elaine Panty: After I spoke to her so we're going to wait and and I did call the panty library and I mentioned, I spoke to buy.

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00:30:44.550 --> 00:30:56.970 Elaine Panty: At the i'm sorry day and I told her I said we've all have to be very careful to watch the review to make sure that it's been corrected, at which point will have to take further action but.

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00:30:59.580 --> 00:31:14.430

Elaine Panty: When I call the library is the said they've been getting a lot of calls people want to know if we're open or not, and I told him I said this affects circulation to when people would love to come and don't come as I think it's close so dance my report.

506 00:31:15.600 --> 00:31:20.100 Elaine Panty: And the riverside radio we'll see what happens after this thanks elaine and I. 507 00:31:20.160 --> 00:31:22.800 Mary Jean Jakubowski: And I know that joy assured you and I want to assure. 508 00:31:22.800 --> 00:31:23.370 Elaine Panty: Everyone. 509 00:31:23.400 --> 00:31:24.660 Mary Jean Jakubowski: We have been reaching. 510 00:31:24.690 --> 00:31:25.470 Mary Jean Jakubowski: out to them on. 511 00:31:25.500 --> 00:31:27.480 Mary Jean Jakubowski: multiple occasions. 512 00:31:27.600 --> 00:31:29.250 Mary Jean Jakubowski: And, for whatever reason, they have. 513 00:31:29.280 --> 00:31:30.570 Elaine Panty: Not made those changes. 514 00:31:30.750 --> 00:31:33.210 Mary Jean Jakubowski: I sincerely hope that elaine's kind. 515 00:31:34.740 --> 00:31:35.280 Mary Jean Jakubowski: nudge. 516 00:31:35.340 --> 00:31:36.930 Mary Jean Jakubowski: gets all done and. 517 00:31:36.930 --> 00:31:38.460 Elaine Panty: We will continue to stay up.

518 00:31:38.460 --> 00:31:39.720 Mary Jean Jakubowski: On that, so thank you very much. 519 00:31:40.650 --> 00:31:49.680 Elaine Panty: Okay, you know what, if you want to call me if there are times when there are things that are going in correctly, if you want me to I will call them and say hey what's going on here. 520 00:31:50.310 --> 00:31:52.260 Elaine Panty: If you get information, it should be correct. 521 00:31:55.410 --> 00:31:56.670 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Thank you very much for that. 522 00:32:01.020 --> 00:32:05.790 Elaine Panty: i've known him for years i've known the rebar for longer for longer than that, and there were us always been more. 523 00:32:07.800 --> 00:32:14.790 Elaine Panty: And more precise and accurate and the reporting, if this is the case and we'll just have to straighten them up a little bit that's all. 524 00:32:16.050 --> 00:32:16.980 Elaine Panty: that's what keeps. 525 00:32:17.220 --> 00:32:18.690 Mary Jean Jakubowski: You on Thank you so much. 526 00:32:19.680 --> 00:32:21.450 Elaine Panty: Okay, thanks for. 527 00:32:21.510 --> 00:32:23.940 Elaine Panty: I got another job guys yes. 528 00:32:25.860 --> 00:32:29.730 Kathleen B Bucki: yeah, thank you for your vigilance lane, and thanks for the report, Mary Dean.

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00:32:29.760 --> 00:32:30.810 or everything that you're doing. 530 00:32:32.460 --> 00:32:38.550 Kathleen B Bucki: So now we're on to public comment Is there anyone from the public on right now. 531 00:32:42.240 --> 00:32:43.290 Kathleen B Bucki: Not that I can tell. 532 00:32:47.820 --> 00:32:48.990 Mary Jean Jakubowski: We may have somebody. 533 00:32:49.320 --> 00:32:52.560 Kathleen B Bucki: In person yeah so but yeah if anybody has a. 534 00:32:52.560 --> 00:32:53.700 Kathleen B Bucki: comment now's the time. 535 00:32:59.280 --> 00:33:01.320 In Person Audio: To desire to see okay. 536 00:33:03.870 --> 00:33:06.900 Kathleen B Bucki: All right, thanks, so, then we will. 537 00:33:07.740 --> 00:33:08.340 In Person Audio: Go to. 538 00:33:08.490 --> 00:33:09.690 Kathleen B Bucki: unfinished business. 539 00:33:10.110 --> 00:33:12.120 Kathleen B Bucki: The ad hoc committee so. 540 00:33:14.520 --> 00:33:14.730 Kathleen B Bucki: I. 541 00:33:14.760 --> 00:33:18.960

Kathleen B Bucki: decided to form an ad hoc committee to talk about the. 542 00:33:18.990 --> 00:33:20.460 Kathleen B Bucki: Compensation for. 543 00:33:20.760 --> 00:33:22.350 Kathleen B Bucki: The library administration. 544 00:33:23.430 --> 00:33:24.090 Elaine Panty: So i've. 545 00:33:24.150 --> 00:33:37.740 Kathleen B Bucki: spoken to a few people who are interested in being on it, but I really want to ask there any trustees who maybe you haven't said much about it, who might want to join us, and I would say. 546 00:33:38.130 --> 00:33:40.050 Kathleen B Bucki: I would like to be on the committee, but then. 547 00:33:40.200 --> 00:33:52.230 Kathleen B Bucki: Maybe up to six more people just so that we can keep it manageable, because we do have you know another committee that maybe has been up to that size, but I just wanted to be. 548 00:33:54.060 --> 00:33:55.380 SheldonBerlow: alone to your children. 549 00:33:56.040 --> 00:33:59.550 Carima El-behairy: Okay, this is karima I would also volunteer. 550 00:34:00.270 --> 00:34:00.690 Frank Gist: People. 551 00:34:01.320 --> 00:34:06.510 Elaine Panty: I have a question, yes, anyway, oh go ahead what's the point of it. 552 00:34:07.680 --> 00:34:09.120 Kathleen B Bucki: i'm just for us to.

553 00:34:09.180 --> 00:34:10.020 Kathleen B Bucki: go through and. 554 00:34:10.320 --> 00:34:12.300 Frank Gist: We are discussing the executive session mean. 555 00:34:12.330 --> 00:34:14.370 Frank Gist: We did, but we have a folder now. 556 00:34:14.400 --> 00:34:15.030 Kathleen B Bucki: I mean you just. 557 00:34:15.420 --> 00:34:16.020 Just we didn't. 558 00:34:17.100 --> 00:34:22.530 Kathleen B Bucki: know I mean we didn't have an actual resolution so. 559 00:34:22.620 --> 00:34:23.610 Kathleen B Bucki: I mean we can. 560 00:34:24.600 --> 00:34:25.020 Just. 561 00:34:26.850 --> 00:34:27.240 Kathleen B Bucki: You know. 562 00:34:27.930 --> 00:34:28.500 What we wanted. 563 00:34:29.730 --> 00:34:30.300 Frank Gist: And a. 564 00:34:30.510 --> 00:34:31.620 little bit out of the way. 565 00:34:32.730 --> 00:34:34.440

Frank Gist: The need for ad hoc meetings. 566 00:34:35.130 --> 00:34:35.400 Elaine Panty: But that's. 567 00:34:36.390 --> 00:34:37.530 Kathleen B Bucki: What i've decided to do but. 568 00:34:37.710 --> 00:34:38.010 Kathleen B Bucki: You know. 569 00:34:38.340 --> 00:34:38.610 alright. 570 00:34:40.020 --> 00:34:40.650 Kathleen B Bucki: So. 571 00:34:41.640 --> 00:34:41.970 Elaine Panty: This is. 572 00:34:44.040 --> 00:34:44.940 Elaine Panty: Okay, thanks. 573 00:34:49.830 --> 00:34:49.980 Kathleen B Bucki: For. 574 00:34:53.850 --> 00:34:55.890 Kimberly Johnson: Kim Johnson i'll be on okay. 575 00:34:58.170 --> 00:35:01.170 Elaine Panty: This is elaine I think you heard me that I was on to before earlier right. 576 00:35:01.440 --> 00:35:02.550 Kathleen B Bucki: Okay yeah sure so. 577 00:35:02.550 --> 00:35:04.680 Kathleen B Bucki: that's that's six people there is that.

578 00:35:05.040 --> 00:35:05.910 Kathleen B Bucki: Work for everybody. 579 00:35:09.270 --> 00:35:11.340 Elaine Panty: sheldon karima Joel. 580 00:35:11.640 --> 00:35:14.130 Kathleen B Bucki: Lucy Kim and elaine. 581 00:35:15.750 --> 00:35:17.580 Kathleen B Bucki: And then I would also be on there. 582 00:35:20.430 --> 00:35:22.170 Kathleen B Bucki: So um is there. 583 00:35:23.190 --> 00:35:24.540 Kathleen B Bucki: A motion to. 584 00:35:24.600 --> 00:35:26.370 Kathleen B Bucki: approve the creation of this committee. 585 00:35:26.940 --> 00:35:27.990 Katie Burd: Okay bird. 586 00:35:29.160 --> 00:35:29.670 In Person Audio: Second. 587 00:35:32.160 --> 00:35:34.260 Elaine Panty: Second okay go ahead, Joe. 588 00:35:36.180 --> 00:35:37.320 Kathleen B Bucki: All right, all in favor. 589 00:35:38.310 --> 00:35:38.820 Aye. 590

00:35:40.470 --> 00:35:41.160 Kathleen B Bucki: opposed. 591 00:35:42.750 --> 00:35:45.150 Kathleen B Bucki: Okay, thank you so we'll. 592 00:35:46.350 --> 00:35:48.480 Kathleen B Bucki: set up a meeting time and. 593 00:35:50.250 --> 00:35:59.370 Kathleen B Bucki: If anybody else has any questions or like anything that you want us to discuss like please get in contact with me and then let's see. 594 00:35:59.430 --> 00:36:01.950 Kathleen B Bucki: I don't think there's any new business or. 595 00:36:02.340 --> 00:36:05.160 Kathleen B Bucki: Does anybody have anything else, before we adjourn. 596 00:36:06.480 --> 00:36:20.970 Elaine Panty: Oh, I just one question does anybody know when when the notices went out about the again about the libraries are being opened in there and they go to the different places like the bees and the other the suburban. 597 00:36:21.630 --> 00:36:32.970 Elaine Panty: Little local papers are they all correct, I mean, or are there, there are times when this information gets out like they did it riverside is there any way you can check out man or don't you know. 598 00:36:34.170 --> 00:36:35.730 Mary Jean Jakubowski: We receive a lot of those. 599 00:36:35.760 --> 00:36:39.930 Mary Jean Jakubowski: papers here and we will have Joyce. 600 00:36:41.040 --> 00:36:48.720 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Joyce staff, make sure and go through them on a weekly basis, because there have been many changes to.

00:36:49.710 --> 00:36:50.220 Mary Jean Jakubowski: two. 602 00:36:50.310 --> 00:36:51.810 Mary Jean Jakubowski: hours and, of course. 603 00:36:52.740 --> 00:36:55.890 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Of course we're sending them out each of the libraries is sending them out. 604 00:36:56.100 --> 00:37:03.630 Mary Jean Jakubowski: So we'll go through and make sure that they are all correct at least you know this next week and then we can do a couple of weeks, where the follow up. 605 00:37:05.070 --> 00:37:06.540 Elaine Panty: Okay i'm just checking i'm just. 606 00:37:08.370 --> 00:37:18.240 Elaine Panty: Like it's just riverside that's the one that's out of step with everybody else that I just wondered if you know if there was some way that everybody else was on the same page except riverside it's all. 607 00:37:19.890 --> 00:37:21.150 which will be corrected. 608 00:37:22.740 --> 00:37:23.820 In Person Audio: It will be corrected. 609 00:37:25.200 --> 00:37:25.560 In Person Audio: Yes. 610 00:37:29.880 --> 00:37:31.650 Kathleen B Bucki: Okay does anybody have anything else. 611 00:37:34.500 --> 00:37:36.030 Elaine Panty: Is there a motion to adjourn. 612 00:37:36.600 --> 00:37:38.700

SheldonBerlow: Tomo rural. 613 00:37:39.240 --> 00:37:40.020 Is there a second. 614 00:37:41.250 --> 00:37:41.610 Alan Bedenko: Second. 615 00:37:42.330 --> 00:37:43.620 Elaine Panty: Second okay. 616 00:37:48.330 --> 00:37:49.380 Elaine Panty: Thanks everyone. 617 00:37:49.380 --> 00:37:49.770 Mary Jean Jakubowski: Thank you. 618 00:37:52.260 --> 00:37:53.070 Elaine Panty: Okay, take care. 619 00:37:54.840 --> 00:37:55.290 Elaine Panty: bye bye.