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READING GARDEN COMMITTEE MEETING THURSDAY, MARCH 2nd @ 5:00 PM LIBRARY MEETING ROOM AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Topics of Discussion
 - a. CAD Rendering of layout
 - b. Garden Components possible vendors
 - c. Little Free Library
 - i. Grant information
 - d. Library of Things tie-in
 - e. Other funding sources
 - f. Next steps
- III. Next meeting date TBD

Adjournment

**Please RSVP Bridgette Heintz, 773-7124 or heintzb@buffalolib.org if you can NOT make the meeting or if you have an agenda item to include.



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READING GARDEN COMMITTEE MEETING Thursday, March 2, 2023 @ 5:00 PM LIBRARY MEETING ROOM Minutes

- I. The meeting was called to order by Director Heintz at 5:03 PM.
- II. Present were Director Heintz, Trustees Banaszak, Person and Becker, Sherry Miller representing the Grand Island Rotary Club, Peg Koppman representing the Cinderella Isle Garden Club and John Banaszak, architect.
- III. The following took place at the meeting:

Members reviewed the CAD drawings provided by John Banaszak.

Trustee Banaszak explained the Earth Day grant proposal she is submitting to receive \$500 for expenses toward a Little Free Library.

Reviewed the Little Free Library website, considering building plans, designs and costs.

It was decided that the first year will be kept simple. The surface, furniture, trellis and Little Free Library will be the accomplishments.

In the second year shades will be considered along with landscaping. Director Heintz reported that there is currently \$600 available for the Reading Garden. Budgeting will be discussed later.

Director Heintz will look to the Town for advice and information about the surface to be used.

Members volunteered to research vendors of products to be used in the Reading Garden. Results will be discussed at the next meeting.

IV. Meeting adjourned at 6:25 PM

Next meeting Thursday, April 6, 2023 @ 4:30