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READING GARDEN COMMITTEE MEETING

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH @ 5:00 PM

LIBRARY MEETING ROOM

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Introductions
- III. Topics of Discussion
 - a. Brainstorming session
 - i. area, layout, components
 - b. Funding sources
 - c. Project timeline
- IV. Next meeting date

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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Minutes

- I. The meeting was called to order by Director Heintz at 5:00 PM.
- II. Present were Director Heintz, Trustees Crawford, Banaszak, Rizzuto and Becker, Sherry Miller representing the Grand Island Rotary Club and Peg Koppman representing the Cinderella Isle Garden Club.
- III. Topics of Discussion included area, layout, components, funding, and project timeline.
Among the discussed items that will be used when planning the garden are:
 - The garden will be weatherized.
 - There will be an adult and a children's area in the garden.
 - The garden will tie into the existing tent.
 - There will be multiple seating areas.
 - The garden will be on the east side of the building.Items that were discussed and will be considered as plans are developed include:
 - The use of sails
 - Multi-color and multi-size benches and chairs
 - The use of trellises
 - A plaque honoring Dick Earne
 - A pea gravel surface
 - Possible grants
 - Fund raising possibilities
 - How the Town can assist in upgrading plansDirector Heintz will research vendors and prices before the next meeting.
- IV. Next meeting, Thursday, January 12, 2023 @ 6:00

Meeting adjourned at 5:50 PM