

**Newstead Public Library  
Board of Trustees  
Wednesday February 11, 2026 @ 7:00 pm**

**APROVED**

**Board Members Present:** Sue Sweitzer, Sue Brown, Michelle Cositore, Mary Mangan, Laura Place

**At Large:** Library Director Kristine Sutton, John Jendrowski

**Call to Order:** 7:01 pm, Motion to call to order-Sue S, Seconded Mary

**Approval of Minutes** from January 14, 2026, Motion to approve-Sue S, Seconded Laura

**Approval of Agenda** for February 11, 2026, Motion to approve- Sue S, Seconded Mary

**Public Comment:** None

**Directors Report:** Reviewed monthly program report and library statistics. January was a good month with a noticeable increase in visits, circulation, computer access and Wi-Fi. Homeschool gaming is a new program that is continuing to grow.

**Finances:** Bills were all reviewed and approved. Reviewed Monthly Financial Report, Abstract approved-Sue B, Seconded Michelle

**New Business:** Kristine attended Library Advocacy Day in Albany this past week. Assembly member Bologna and Senator Gallivan were also in attendance showing support for libraries. Reviewed Conflict of Interest Policy and signed Disclosure Statements.

**Building:** Discussed need for a pump with a float to address leak in Cultural Center due to frozen pipes. Ceiling tiles will also need replacing.

**Next meeting:** March 11, 2026 @ 7 pm

**Meeting Adjourned:** 7:42 pm, Motion to adjourn-Mary, Seconded Sue B