



AGENDA

Library Board

5:00 PM - Monday, July 20, 2026

Library, 1101 6th Avenue

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CALL TO ORDER

AGENDA APPROVAL

Motion to approve agenda as presented. **(Action Requested)**

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

PUBLIC FORUM

This time is set aside for comments from the public. Please understand that the Library Board of Trustees will not take any action on your comments at this time due to requirements of the Open Meetings Law but may do so at a future meeting.

You will have five minutes to address the Board.

LIBRARY SPOTLIGHT

1. June Staff Milestone Anniversaries - Erica Gehrke (One Year)
2. New Board Member Introduction: Kristen Miller

MINUTES

Motion to approve the June 2026 Meeting minutes. **(Action Requested)**

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REPORTS

1. Friends of the Marion Public Library Report
2. Marion Public Library Foundation Report
[MPL Foundation Report 7-20-2026](#)
3. Board Continuing Education

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4. Director's Report 9 - 25
- Budget Update
 - Statistics Highlights
 - General Department Updates
 - MLN Updates

[Directors Report July 20 2026](#)

[Budget Performance Report June 2026 FINAL](#)

[Open PO Report - June 2026](#)

Motion to accept all reports 1 - 4 as presented. (**Action Requested**)

REGULAR AGENDA

1. State Library Board of *Trustees Handbook* - Intro & Ch. 1 26 - 36
(*Discussion*)
[Ch. 1 - Iowa Library Trustee's Handbook](#)
2. Policy Review (*Discussion* and **Action Requested**) 37 - 45
[Distribution and Display Policy 07-2026](#)
[Internet and Computer Policy 07-2026](#)
[Laptop Tablet Loan Policy 07-2026](#)
[Photo Video Recording Policy 07-2026](#)
[Photo Release Form - All Ages 07-2026](#)
[Volunteer Policy 07-2026](#)
3. Purchase Order Approval - Metro Library Network (**Action Requested**) 46
[Purchase Approval - MLN FY27 28E Agreement](#)
4. Library Board Operation Policy (*Discussion* and Possible Action) 47 - 64
[Library Board Operation 07-2026](#)
5. Board Officer Elections (**Action Requested**)
6. Plan of Service Update (**Action Requested** - Request to Receive and File) 65 - 74
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7. Parade Work Group Update (*Discussion*)

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