

<u>SUMMARY HIGHLIGHTS OF FULTON COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM</u> BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING - MARCH 26, 2025

The following is a general summary of items discussed by the Fulton County Library System Board of Trustees at their March 26, 2025, regular meeting.

<u>Members Present</u>: Mr. Paul Bolster, Mr. Damian Denson, Ms. Linda Jordan, (via Zoom), Mr. D. Chip Joyner, Paul Kaplan, Mr. Joe Piontek, Mrs. Nina Radakovich (Chair), and Ms. Beverly R. Rice (Vice Chair).

Members Absent: None

<u>Other Attendees:</u> Mrs. Gayle H. Holloman, Mrs. Audrey Clary, Mrs. Zenobia Claxton, Ms. Jennifer Culler, Mr. Hirshel Hall, Michelle Willis, and 2 webinar participants.

The Board accepted the following reports:

Doc. #25-14 Director's Report

Doc. #25-12 Monthly Financial Reports **Doc. #25-13** Monthly Usage Summary

Doc. #25-11: Board of Trustees Meeting Agenda

Motioned by Paul Kaplan and seconded by Beverly Rice to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.

Doc. #25-10: Minutes from the Regular Meeting of February 26, 2025

Motioned by Paul Kaplan and seconded by Beverly Rice to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried.

Board of Trustees Election of Officers - The board voted unanimously to elect Ms. Nina Radakovich as Library Board of Trustees Chair and Ms. Beverly Rice as Library Board of Trustees Vice Chair effective March 26, 2025. Motion carried.

Senate Bill 74: The board voted to hereby ask the Fulton County Board of Commissioners to oppose Senate Bill 74 because SB74 is harmful materials to minors: Exemption for libraries and librarians from the provisions of code Section 16-12-103, removes an exemption that previously protected libraries and librarians from the provision of code Section 16-12-103, which regulates the sales, loan or distribution of harmful materials to minors. Motion carried.

Appeal Hearing: The board voted to make a recommendation to the Library Director to modify the permanent ban issued to the plaintiff on December 11, 2024, by recommending a ban of 90 days which time has been served. The permanent ban shall be in effect only at the Northwest Library at Scotts Crossing. Motion carried.

Adjournment: Motioned by D. Chip Joyner and Beverly Rice and seconded by Paul Bolster to adjourn the Regular meeting. Motion carried, and the meeting ended at 5:35 p.m.