DEERFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING AGENDA

920 Waukegan Road, Deerfield, IL, Meeting Room Wednesday, November 20, 2024, 6:30 PM

Residents wishing to share thoughts about any matter concerning the Library may do so by submitting an email to amy@deerfieldlibrary.org prior to the meeting.

- 1. ROLL CALL & CALL TO ORDER
- 2. OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD & CORRESPONDENCE
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - A. September 18, 2024 Executive Session (ACTION)
 - B. October 16, 2024 Regular Meeting (ACTION)
- 4. TREASURER REPORT
 - A. Monthly Financials: Balance Sheet, Revenue & Expenses (ACTION)
 - B. List of Checks and Payments for Approval (ACTION)
- LIBRARY DIRECTOR'S REPORT
 - A. Holiday Party Information
 - B. Staff Survey Information
- 6. OLD BUSINESS
- 7. NEW BUSINESS
 - A. FY2025 Per Capita Grant Requirements Discussion
- 8. OTHER
- ADJOURNMENT

MISSION STATEMENT: To provide our community with open access to the world of information and ideas, encouraging lifelong learning and personal growth in a welcoming environment.

Upcoming 2024 Library Board Meetings: December 18

*All topics on the agenda are potential action items.

DEERFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING MINUTES October 16, 2024

1. ROLL CALL & CALL TO ORDER

President Luisa Ellenbogen called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., in the Board Room, 920 Waukegan Road, Deerfield, IL.

Present Board Members: Luisa Ellenbogen - President, Ken Abosch - Secretary, Seth Schriftman - Treasurer and Stephanie Brand.

Staff: Amy Falasz-Peterson, Library Director, Melissa Stoeger, Assistant Director of Adult and Youth Services, Kelly DeCorrevont, Head of Finance and Stephanie Keough, Head of Patron Services.

- 2. OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD & CORRESPONDENCE None.
- 5. STAFF PRESENTATION: Stephanie Keough, Head of Patron Services
 Ms. Stephanie Keough provided a presentation on the Patron Services department.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. September 18, 2024 Regular Meeting (ACTION)

MOTION: Mr. Schriftman made a motion to approve the September 18, 2024 Regular Meeting minutes, seconded by Ms. Stephanie Brand.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

4. TREASURER REPORT

A. Monthly Financials: Balance Sheet, Revenues & Expenses (ACTION) Mr. Schriftman gave the financial report.

MOTION: Mr. Ken Abosch made a motion to approve the September Financials, seconded by Ms. Brand.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

B. List of Checks and Payments for Approval (ACTION)

Mr. Schriftman presented the outstanding list of checks and payments to be approved for September, which included:

-E Pay 1 ACH \$ 50.36

-AP Check Num 14574-14616, 10 ACHS \$ 100,075.45

The total amount presented for approval

100,125.81

MOTION: Ms. Ellenbogen made a motion to approve the Lists of Checks and Payments, seconded by Mr. Abosch.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

C. Proposed FY 2025 Budget & 2024 Levy Request (ACTION)

MOTION: Ms. Brand made a motion to approve the FY 2025 Budget & 2024 Levy, seconded by Ms. Ellenbogen.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

LIBRARY DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Ms. Amy Falasz-Peterson provided the report. All day staff training went well. The Haunted Library is scheduled for Friday, October 25 and we have 300 people registered! Our total circulation remains high, at over 345,000 items this year. Outreach for library card sign up with the help of Patron Services staff. Ms. Ellenbogen commented on the most recent edition of the Library Podcast featuring Richard Powers.

7. OLD BUSINESS

A. Farmers Market Recap (DISCUSSION)

Ms. Falasz-Peterson and the Board discussed takeaways. It was nice to have face to face time.

8. NEW BUSINESS

A. Employee Handbook Updates (ACTION)

MOTION: Mr. Schriftman made a motion to approve the Employee Handbook updates effective 1/1/2025 seconded by Mr. Abosch.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

B. Meeting Room Policy Update (ACTION)

MOTION: Mr. Schriftman made a motion to approve the meeting room policy update, seconded by Ms. Ellenbogen.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

9. OTHER

| 10. | ADJOURNMENT |
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At 7:58 p.m, Mr. Schriftman made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mr. Abosch.

Vote: 4 - Yes Luisa Ellenbogen, Ken Abosch, Seth Schriftman and Stephanie Brand. The motion was approved.

Ken Abosch, Secretary

Balance Sheet

As of October 31, 2024

| | TOTAL |
|---|-----------------|
| SSETS | |
| Current Assets | |
| Bank Accounts | |
| 11000 Cash and Investments - General | 0.00 |
| 11100 General Operating - WinTrust | 824,193.91 |
| 11200 Payroll - WinTrust | 233,960.66 |
| 11300 E-Pay - WinTrust | 10,064.64 |
| 11400 Deposits - Bank Financial | 49,320.22 |
| 11500 Petty Cash - Bank Financial | 2,585.00 |
| 11600 Max-Safe Wintrust | 4,563,816.34 |
| 11900 Petty Cash | 574.00 |
| Total 11000 Cash and Investments - General | 5,684,514.77 |
| 14100 PMA Financial Services | |
| 10-1410 PMA Reserve Fund | 2,282,019.74 |
| Total 14100 PMA Financial Services | 2,282,019.74 |
| Total Bank Accounts | \$7,966,534.51 |
| Accounts Receivable | |
| 15120 Property Tax Receivable - 2013 | 999.45 |
| Total Accounts Receivable | \$999.45 |
| Other Current Assets | |
| 15010 Receivables | 4.80 |
| 15100 Property Taxes Receivable | 4,607,500.00 |
| Total Other Current Assets | \$4,607,504.80 |
| Total Current Assets | \$12,575,038.76 |
| Fixed Assets | |
| 19000 Capital Assets | |
| 19050 Capital Assets -Not Depreciated | |
| 19100 Land | 65,493.00 |
| Total 19050 Capital Assets -Not Depreciated | 65,493.00 |
| 19200 Capital Assets - To Depreciate | |
| 19210 Building | 13,197,410.12 |
| 19300 Equipment | |
| 19301 Equip - Phone System | 33,636.00 |
| 19302 Equip - Automation System | 309,361.00 |
| 19303 Equip - RFID | 433,659.00 |
| • • | 23,432.00 |
| 19304 Equip - Vehicle | 20, 102.00 |

Balance Sheet

As of October 31, 2024

| | TOTAL |
|---|-----------------|
| Total 19200 Capital Assets - To Depreciate | 14,881,417.12 |
| 19220 Accumulated Depreciation | -6,239,762.00 |
| Total 19000 Capital Assets | 8,707,148.12 |
| Total Fixed Assets | \$8,707,148.12 |
| Other Assets | |
| 15110 Deferred Outflows of Resources | 1,369,971.74 |
| 15120 Deferred Outflows of Resources - OPEB | 280,991.00 |
| Total Other Assets | \$1,650,962.74 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$22,933,149.62 |
| LIABILITIES AND EQUITY | |
| Liabilities | |
| Current Liabilities | |
| Accounts Payable | |
| 21000 Accounts Payable | 52,604.82 |
| Total Accounts Payable | \$52,604.82 |
| Other Current Liabilities | |
| 22000 Payroll Liabilities | 0.40 |
| 22100 Salaries Payable | 67,367.09 |
| 22300 Withholdings | -3,124.79 |
| Total 22000 Payroll Liabilities | 64,242.70 |
| 22395 FSA Payable | -1,662.71 |
| 25000 Deferred Inflows of Resources | 50,472.44 |
| 25100 Deferred Property Taxes | 4,607,500.00 |
| Total 25000 Deferred Inflows of Resources | 4,657,972.44 |
| 25110 Unearned Property Taxes-2011a | 683,950.00 |
| 25500 Deferred Inflows of Resources - OPEB | 190,039.00 |
| 26300 Net Pension liability | 1,655,529.00 |
| Total Other Current Liabilities | \$7,250,070.43 |
| Total Current Liabilities | \$7,302,675.25 |
| Long-Term Liabilities | |
| 25300 Change in Due to Village | 455,000.00 |
| 26000 Noncurrent Liabilities | |
| 26009 Compensated Absences | 94,862.00 |
| 26100 Other Postemployment Benefits | 572,518.00 |
| 26200 Due to Village - Long Term Debt | 4,544,999.74 |
| Total 26000 Noncurrent Liabilities | 5,212,379.74 |
| Total Long-Term Liabilities | \$5,667,379.74 |
| Total Liabilities | \$12,970,054.99 |

Balance Sheet

As of October 31, 2024

| | TOTAL |
|--|-----------------|
| Equity | |
| 31000 Opening Bal Equity | -683,950.00 |
| 32000 Fund Balance, Beginning | 3,794,805.20 |
| 32100 Fund Balance 2011-A | -43,738.95 |
| 32110 Fund Balance-2013 | -36,910.41 |
| 32120 Fund Balance _ Res | 2,540,309.11 |
| 32130 Fund Balance LT Debt Acct Grp | -126,259.90 |
| 33000 Investment in Capital Assets | 9,205,858.12 |
| 33050 Debt Related to Capital Assets | -5,598,599.74 |
| Total 33000 Investment in Capital Assets | 3,607,258.38 |
| Net Income | 911,581.20 |
| Total Equity | \$9,963,094.63 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY | \$22,933,149.62 |

Budget vs. Actuals: Budget 2024 - FY24 P&L

January - October, 2024

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|--|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|
| | ACTUAL | BUDGET | OVER BUDGET | % OF BUDGET |
| Income | | | | |
| 41000 Taxes | | | | |
| 41100 Property Tax | 4,484,903.73 | 4,607,500.00 | -122,596.27 | 97.34 % |
| 41200 Replacement Tax | 50,666.32 | 75,000.00 | -24,333.68 | 67.56 % |
| 60-4110 Property Taxes - Debt Service 2021 | 689,700.00 | 689,700.00 | 0.00 | 100.00 % |
| Total 41000 Taxes | 5,225,270.05 | 5,372,200.00 | -146,929.95 | 97.26 % |
| 42000 Fees & Fines | | | | |
| 42100 Material Fees | 4,940.71 | 5,000.00 | -59.29 | 98.81 % |
| 42200 Non-Resident Fees | 9,118.87 | 5,000.00 | 4,118.87 | 182.38 % |
| 42300 Printing/Copying Fees | 5,465.59 | 4,000.00 | 1,465.59 | 136.64 % |
| Total 42000 Fees & Fines | 19,525.17 | 14,000.00 | 5,525.17 | 139.47 % |
| 43000 Investment Income | | | | |
| 43100 Interest - General | 142,931.72 | 75,000.00 | 67,931.72 | 190.58 % |
| 43200 Interest - Reserve | 81,904.82 | 25,000.00 | 56,904.82 | 327.62 % |
| Total 43000 Investment Income | 224,836.54 | 100,000.00 | 124,836.54 | 224.84 % |
| 44000 Grants | | | | |
| 44009 Other Operating Grants | 1,500.00 | | 1,500.00 | |
| 44100 State Grant | | | | |
| 44150 Per Capita Grant | 28,506.06 | 25,000.00 | 3,506.06 | 114.02 % |
| Total 44100 State Grant | 28,506.06 | 25,000.00 | 3,506.06 | 114.02 % |
| Total 44000 Grants | 30,006.06 | 25,000.00 | 5,006.06 | 120.02 % |
| 45000 Gifts and Contributions | | | | |
| 45100 General Donations | 2,837.65 | 500.00 | 2,337.65 | 567.53 % |
| 45500 Friends Contributions | 19,518.27 | 10,000.00 | 9,518.27 | 195.18 % |
| Total 45100 General Donations | 22,355.92 | 10,500.00 | 11,855.92 | 212.91 % |
| Total 45000 Gifts and Contributions | 22,355.92 | 10,500.00 | 11,855.92 | 212.91 % |
| 49000 Miscellaneous Revenue | | | | |
| 49009 Miscellaneous | 1,886.32 | 1,000.00 | 886.32 | 188.63 % |
| 49065 Sale of Surplus Materials | 320.54 | 500.00 | -179.46 | 64.11 % |
| Total 49000 Miscellaneous Revenue | 2,206.86 | 1,500.00 | 706.86 | 147.12 % |
| Total Income | \$5,524,200.60 | \$5,523,200.00 | \$1,000.60 | 100.02 % |
| GROSS PROFIT | \$5,524,200.60 | \$5,523,200.00 | \$1,000.60 | 100.02 % |
| Expenses | | | | |
| 50000 General Expenses | | | | |
| 51000 Personnel Expenses | | | | |
| 51100 Salaries | 2,465,958.25 | 2,700,000.00 | -234,041.75 | 91.33 % |
| 51200 FICA | 181,623.10 | 206,640.00 | -25,016.90 | 87.89 % |
| 51300 Health/Misc Benefits | 347,652.53 | 425,000.00 | -77,347.47 | 81.80 % |
| 51400 Pension Contribution | 165,317.77 | 221,860.00 | -56,542.23 | 74.51 % |
| 51500 Other Benefits | 6,948.34 | 9,000.00 | -2,051.66 | 77.20 % |
| 51600 Staff Enrichment | 4,303.02 | 5,000.00 | -696.98 | 86.06 % |

Budget vs. Actuals: Budget 2024 - FY24 P&L

January - October, 2024

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| | ACTUAL | BUDGET | OVER BUDGET | % OF BUDGE |
| Total 51000 Personnel Expenses | 3,171,803.01 | 3,567,500.00 | -395,696.99 | 88.91 9 |
| 52000 Facility Expenses | | | | |
| 52100 Interior Facility Maintenance | 28,334.04 | 66,000.00 | -37,665.96 | 42.93 % |
| 52200 Facility Equipment Maintenance | 121,079.86 | 100,000.00 | 21,079.86 | 121.08 9 |
| 52300 Exterior Building Maintenance | 28,686.55 | 30,000.00 | -1,313.45 | 95.62 |
| 52400 Utilities | | | | |
| 52410 Water | 3,052.14 | 4,000.00 | -947.86 | 76.30 |
| 52430 Telephone - Voice | 14,280.96 | 21,000.00 | -6,719.04 | 68.00 |
| 52440 Data Lines | 11,515.29 | 15,000.00 | -3,484.71 | 76.77 ° |
| Total 52400 Utilities | 28,848.39 | 40,000.00 | -11,151.61 | 72.12 |
| 52500 Minor Furnishings & Equipment | 33,335.97 | 25,000.00 | 8,335.97 | 133.34 |
| Total 52000 Facility Expenses | 240,284.81 | 261,000.00 | -20,715.19 | 92.06 |
| 53000 Library Materials | | | | |
| 53100 Periodicals | 6,654.37 | 15,500.00 | -8,845.63 | 42.93 |
| 53200 Adult Materials-Books | | | | |
| 53221 Books - Adult Non-Fiction | 34,419.47 | 40,000.00 | -5,580.53 | 86.05 |
| 53222 Books-Adult Fiction | 43,101.65 | 59,000.00 | -15,898.35 | 73.05 |
| Total 53200 Adult Materials-Books | 77,521.12 | 99,000.00 | -21,478.88 | 78.30 |
| 53300 Audio Visual Materials | | | | |
| 53320 Audio Visual - Adult | 42,172.78 | 59,000.00 | -16,827.22 | 71.48 |
| 53340 Audio Visual - Youth | 6,895.39 | 10,000.00 | -3,104.61 | 68.95 |
| Total 53300 Audio Visual Materials | 49,068.17 | 69,000.00 | -19,931.83 | 71.11 |
| 53400 Youth Materials-Books | | | | |
| 53241 Books - Youth & Teens | 46,959.15 | 72,000.00 | -25,040.85 | 65.22 |
| 53550 Literacy Support - Youth | 1,705.55 | 2,000.00 | -294.45 | 85.28 |
| Total 53400 Youth Materials-Books | 48,664.70 | 74,000.00 | -25,335.30 | 65.76 |
| 53501 Electronic Resources | | | | |
| 53500 E-Resources | 251,656.56 | 304,000.00 | -52,343.44 | 82.78 |
| Total 53501 Electronic Resources | 251,656.56 | 304,000.00 | -52,343.44 | 82.78 |
| 53600 Non-Traditional Resources | 8,612.70 | 14,000.00 | -5,387.30 | 61.52 |
| Total 53000 Library Materials | 442,177.62 | 575,500.00 | -133,322.38 | 76.83 |
| 54000 Library Programs | • | ŕ | , | |
| 54100 Admin Programs | 4,528.26 | 5,000.00 | -471.74 | 90.57 |
| 54150 Outreach Programs | 1,472.51 | 2,000.00 | -527.49 | 73.63 |
| 54210 Adult Programs | 25,106.67 | 25,000.00 | 106.67 | 100.43 |
| 54400 Youth Programs | 31,909.57 | 25,000.00 | 6,909.57 | 127.64 |
| 54500 MakerSpace Programs | 2,955.83 | 1,500.00 | 1,455.83 | 197.06 |
| Fotal 54000 Library Programs | 65,972.84 | 58,500.00 | 7,472.84 | 112.77 |
| 55000 Technology | , | , | , | |
| 55350 Software & Licenses | 203,358.35 | 220,000.00 | -16,641.65 | 92.44 |
| 55360 IT Support | 86,984.41 | 125,000.00 | -38,015.59 | 69.59 |
| 55400 New Projects/equip | 00,007.71 | 120,000.00 | 55,010.05 | 00.00 |

Budget vs. Actuals: Budget 2024 - FY24 P&L

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| | ACTUAL | BUDGET | OVER BUDGET | % OF BUDGET |
| 56440 IT Equipment | 35,538.69 | 60,000.00 | -24,461.31 | 59.23 % |
| Total 55400 New Projects/equip | 35,538.69 | 60,000.00 | -24,461.31 | 59.23 % |
| 55440 MakerSpace Equipment | 6,659.59 | 8,500.00 | -1,840.41 | 78.35 % |
| Total 55000 Technology | 332,541.04 | 413,500.00 | -80,958.96 | 80.42 % |
| 56000 Professional/Contractual Svcs | | | | |
| 56009 Other Office Support | 8,192.42 | 9,000.00 | -807.58 | 91.03 % |
| 56100 Insurance | 43,406.00 | 44,000.00 | -594.00 | 98.65 % |
| 56200 Postage | 5,915.43 | 7,500.00 | -1,584.57 | 78.87 % |
| 56300 Professional Printing Services | 15,164.79 | 19,250.00 | -4,085.21 | 78.78 % |
| 56500 Professional Admin Services | 27,325.91 | 25,000.00 | 2,325.91 | 109.30 % |
| 56550 Cataloging Service | 19,294.40 | 22,000.00 | -2,705.60 | 87.70 % |
| 56555 Professional Outreach Services | 8,332.45 | 8,750.00 | -417.55 | 95.23 % |
| Total 56500 Professional Admin Services | 54,952.76 | 55,750.00 | -797.24 | 98.57 % |
| 56700 Travel for Library Services | 145.39 | 500.00 | -354.61 | 29.08 % |
| Total 56000 Professional/Contractual Svcs | 127,776.79 | 136,000.00 | -8,223.21 | 93.95 % |
| 56400 Supplies | | | | |
| 56410 General Operating Supplies | 16,857.01 | 15,000.00 | 1,857.01 | 112.38 % |
| 56420 Processing Supplies | 24,157.99 | 24,500.00 | -342.01 | 98.60 % |
| Total 56400 Supplies | 41,015.00 | 39,500.00 | 1,515.00 | 103.84 % |
| 57000 Training/Development Expenses | | | | |
| 56600 Dues & Memberships | 6,163.88 | 8,000.00 | -1,836.12 | 77.05 % |
| 57100 Training & Education | 27,657.37 | 25,000.00 | 2,657.37 | 110.63 % |
| 57200 Training Travel | 2,981.05 | 6,000.00 | -3,018.95 | 49.68 % |
| Total 57000 Training/Development Expenses | 36,802.30 | 39,000.00 | -2,197.70 | 94.36 % |
| Total 50000 General Expenses | 4,458,373.41 | 5,090,500.00 | -632,126.59 | 87.58 % |
| 61000 Capital Expenses | | | | |
| 61100 Facility Improvements | 49,395.99 | 50,000.00 | -604.01 | 98.79 % |
| Total 61000 Capital Expenses | 49,395.99 | 50,000.00 | -604.01 | 98.79 % |
| 70000 Debt Service | | | | |
| 60-7010 Debt Service 2021 Interest (Payments) | 104,850.00 | 209,700.00 | -104,850.00 | 50.00 % |
| 60-7020 Debt Service 2021 Principal (Payments) | | 480,000.00 | -480,000.00 | |
| Total 70000 Debt Service | 104,850.00 | 689,700.00 | -584,850.00 | 15.20 % |
| Total Expenses | \$4,612,619.40 | \$5,830,200.00 | \$ -1,217,580.60 | 79.12 % |
| NET OPERATING INCOME | \$911,581.20 | \$ -307,000.00 | \$1,218,581.20 | -296.93 % |
| NET INCOME | \$911,581.20 | \$ -307,000.00 | \$1,218,581.20 | -296.93 % |

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Master Total Portfolio Report

Report as of 10/31/2024

PMA Financial Network 2135 CityGate Lane 7th Floor Naperville, IL 60563 Phone: 630-657-6400 Fax: 630-718-8701

Deerfield Public Library (80226-102 - Reserve Fund)

| | Settle Date | Maturity | FDIC# | Instrument | Cost | Par-Val/Mat. Val Rate | late |
|--------------|-------------|------------|-------|--|----------------|-----------------------|------|
| | 10/31/2024 | | | ISC Balance | \$51,808.02 | \$51,808,02 | |
| CD-1358956-1 | 02/20/2024 | 02/18/2025 | 57512 | Western Alliance Bank | \$225,000.00 | \$236,228.15 5.004 | 004 |
| CD-1360059-1 | 03/21/2024 | 03/21/2025 | 34742 | EagleBank | \$165,000.00 | \$173,451.30 5.122 | .122 |
| CD-1360060-1 | 03/21/2024 | 03/21/2025 | 29209 | NexBank | \$235,000.00 | \$246,707.35 4.982 | 982 |
| 3D-1366521-1 | 08/14/2024 | 05/12/2025 | 57993 | ServisFirst Bank | \$241,000.00 | \$249,916.29 4.983 | 983 |
| SEC-63364-1 | 02/21/2024 | 05/15/2025 | | US TREASURY N/B | \$50,811.72 | \$52,000.00 4.678 | .678 |
| CD-1361138-1 | 05/06/2024 | 07/30/2025 | 61093 | VIBRANT CREDIT UNION | \$234,600.00 | \$249,853.12 5.268 | .268 |
| CD-1358957-1 | 02/20/2024 | 08/11/2025 | 4185 | First Pryority Bank | \$225,000.00 | \$241,110.96 4.833 | 833 |
| CD-1366720-1 | 08/19/2024 | 08/19/2025 | 1373 | BOM Bank | \$150,000.00 | \$157,045.40 4.697 | 269 |
| CD-1360723-1 | 04/16/2024 | 10/08/2025 | 31840 | Financial Federal Bank | \$232,800.00 | \$249,883.06 4.960 | 096 |
| CD-1370288-1 | 10/22/2024 | 04/14/2026 | 3719 | American Commercial Bank & Trust, National Association | \$235,400.00 | \$249,904.36 4.172 | .172 |
| CD-1370289-1 | 10/22/2024 | 04/14/2026 | 68187 | Baxter Credit Union | \$235,600.00 | \$249,903.04 4.092 | .092 |
| | | | | Sub Totals → | \$2,282,019,74 | \$2,407,811,05 | |
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Time and Dollar Weighted Average Portfolio Yield: 4.64%

Weighted Average Portfolio Maturity: 287.07 Days

Note: Weighted Yield & Weighted Average Portfolio Maturity are calculated using "Market Value" and are only based on the fixed rate investments.

Portfolio Summary

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Cost is comprised of the total amount you paid for the investment including any fees and commissions.

Rate is the average monthly rate for liquid investments or the rate on the last business day of the month for SDA investments or the yield to worst for fixed term investments.

Face/Par is the amount received at maturity for fixed rate investments.

Market Value reflects the market value as reported by an independent third-party pricing service. Certificates of Deposit and other assets for which market pricing is not readily available from a third-party pricing service are listed at "Cost".

CD - Certificates of Deposit, CP - Commercial Paper, ISC - Investment Shares Class, MMA - Money Market Account, SEC - Government Securities, TS - Term Series

Deerfield Public Library Check Detail For Board Meeting on November 20, 2024 **Amount** Summary 11500 Bank Financial Petty Cash Check Num 773 \$51.32 11100 WinTrust General Operating Check Num 14617-14655, 10 ACHS \$87,958.43 **Total Payments to Approve** \$88.009.75 Num Vendor Memo **Amount Account Num** 11500 Bank Financial Petty Cash -1537 Mileage Reimbursement - Employment Law 11/08/2024 773 Kelly DeCorrevont 51.32 57200 Total for 11500 Bank Financial Petty Cash -1537 51.32 11100 WinTrust General Operating -2997 The New York Times 10/24/2024 Large Type Weekly Subscription Renewal Annual 182.00 53100 10/24/2024 14618 OverDrive, Inc. eBooks - October 2024 2,427.26 53500 10/24/2024 14619 1,400.00 52300 Olsson Roofing Company, Inc. Roof Maintenance Bi-Annual Fall 2024 10/24/2024 14620 54210 Rebecca Spectre Magic LLC Haunted Library Magic Shows 10/25/24 950.00 Tee Jay Service Company, Repair to Front Main Door 10/24/2024 14621 540.00 52200 10/24/2024 14622 ACCO Brands USA LLC Supplies: Laminator Rolls (4) 195.39 56410 Mileage Reimbursement - Circ Conference '24 10/24/2024 14623 Stephanie Keough Madison, WI 188.27 57200 Haunted Library Airbrush tattoo artist, balloon APF Entertainment/Another 10/24/2024 14624 Pretty Face 1,450.00 54400 twister, and photo-booth 10/25/24 Haunted Library Creature Open House (Bats, Rat, 10/24/2024 14625 Incrediblebats, Inc. Snakes, Spiders and Sloth) 10/25/24 900.00 54400 10/24/2024 1,132.14 52430 14626 Peerless Network, Inc. Phone Support Maintenance 10/15/24-11/14/24 10/24/2024 14627 Auden Granger Collage Round Table Presentation - 11/01/24 225.00 54210 10/24/2024 14628 Cintas Corporation Mats for the Library 86.24 52100 10/24/2024 14629 Anderson Pest Solutions Pest Management - October 2024 71.40 52100 Acquisitions for Wonderbooks Youth AV - October 448.92 53340 10/24/2024 14630 Plavaway Products LLC 2024 10/24/2024 14631 Madeline Dahlman Book Discussion w/Madeline Dahlman - 11/14/24 200.00 54210 Acquisitions for AV, Processing Supplies & 53320, 53340, 56420, 11/06/2024 14632 Midwest Tape 2000007021 Cataloging Service - October 2024 5,889.75 56550 Acquisitions for Books, AV, and Processing Supplies 53221, 53222, 53241 11/06/2024 14633 Ingram Library Services LLC Oct 2024 16,246.71 53320, 54210, 56420 11/06/2024 14634 eBooks - October 2024 9,941.71 53500 OverDrive, Inc 11/06/2024 56600 14635 Rotary Club of Deerfield Dues & Luncheon - Qtr 3 2024 460.00 Monthly Lease for (3) AED Devices, Refill of First 11/06/2024 14636 Cintas Corporation Aid Kit Supplies, Refill of Bathroom Supplies 1,365.07 52200, 56410 Baker & Taylor 53340 11/06/2024 14637 Youth AV - October 2024 415 42 11/06/2024 14638 ACC Business Internet Service 09/11/24-10/10/24 907.96 52440 11/06/2024 14639 Browsing Winter 2024-2025 Graphic Design 1,625.00 56555 Graphic Solutions, Inc. Today's Business Solutions, 11/06/2024 14640 214.44 55360 Fee for Public Use of Fax Machine 11/06/2024 14641 School Library Journal School Library Journal - Digital Edition Subscription 136.99 53100 11/06/2024 14642 Apple Inc Replacement I-Pads (2) 1,076.00 56440 11/06/2024 14643 Replacement Receipt Printers for Patron Services 481.38 56440 CDW Government, Inc. 11/06/2024 14644 Johnson Controls Replace ACCU-3 Slave Bridge Diode 533.51 52200 Postage Machine Quarterly Lease: 9/2/2024 -11/06/2024 56200 14645 Quadient Leasing USA, Inc. 221.67 Automation Support for Servers & Workstations & 11/06/2024 14646 Sentinel Technologies, Inc. Storage Back Up 4,665.16 55360 Complete Cleaning Company, 11/06/2024 14647 2,640.00 Monthly Cleaning Services for Library 52100 11/06/2024 14648 Judith S. Roin 75.00 54210 Mindfulness & Meditation Yoga - 11/22/24 11/06/2024 Staying Private Online Presentation - 11/25/24 14649 Very Smart People, LLC 200.00 54210

Replacement Computer - Facilities

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Lenovo Inc.

| 11/06/2024 | 14651 | Kanopy Inc. | Pay Per Use | 468.00 | 53500 |
|------------|-------|--|--|-----------|---|
| 11/06/2024 | 14652 | Midwest Tape | Hoopla Subscription - October 2024 | 4,666.55 | 53500 |
| 11/06/2024 | 14653 | Esscoe LLC | Security Software Maintenance Agreement - Annual | 882.00 | 56440 |
| 11/06/2024 | 14654 | Vogue Printers | Winter 2024-2025 Browsing Newsletter | 4,754.83 | 56300 |
| 11/06/2024 | 14655 | Demco, Inc. | Sensory Wall Activities (3) | 1,185.78 | 53550 |
| | | | | | |
| 10/25/2024 | ACH | Wex Health, Inc. | FSA Monthly Fees - October 2024 | 59.80 | 51500 |
| 10/25/2024 | ACH | Citi Credit Card | October 2024 Credit Card Payment | 6,071.49 | 20015-20016 |
| 11/01/2024 | ACH | Village of Deerfield | Water & Sewer - September 2024 | 180.33 | 52410 |
| 11/01/2024 | ACH | Village of Deerfield | Water & Sewer - September 2024 | 148.44 | 52410 |
| 11/01/2024 | ACH | De Lage Landen Financial Services, Inc. | Copier (7) and Printer (3) Lease November 2024 | 1,808.72 | 55360 |
| 11/04/2024 | ACH | Comcast Cable | Patron Internet Service 10/16/24-11/15/24 | 252.31 | 52440 |
| 11/04/2024 | ACH | Amazon | Invoice #: 1Y4D-1GRJ-Q91L | 5,169.54 | 51600, 52300, 52500, 53222, 53241, 53320, 53550, 53600, 54210, 54400, 54500, 56410, 56420, 55440, 56440 |
| 11/05/2024 | ACH | Google, Inc. | Google Apps - November 2024 | 1,254.55 | 55350 |
| 11/06/2024 | ACH | USPS | Bulk Mailing Postage for Winter Browsing 2024-2025 | 1,169.78 | 56200 |
| 11/08/2024 | ACH | First Bank Mastercard | October 2024 Credit Card Payment | 1,638.92 | 20001-20014 |
| | | | Total for 11100 WinTrust General Operating -2997 | 87,958.43 | |

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| 0000 Cred | it Cards Payable | | | | |
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| 11/07/2 | 2024 AD 10/07/24 | Amazon | Refund of Prime Membership due to ILA | -740.25 | Other Office Support |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AD 10/09/24 | MailChimp | E-Newsletter Mailing Monthly Subscription | 75.00 | Outreach Programs |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AD 10/15/24 | Spotify | Spotify for iPads Monthly Subscription | 19.99 | Youth Programming |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AD 11/02/24 | Illinois Library Association | ILA Legislative Breakfast Registration 12/4/24 | 55.00 | Training & Education |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AD 11/04/24 | Jewel-Osco | Treats for Staff on Election Day | 43.75 | Admin Programs |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AD 11/05/24 | DBR Chamber of Commerce | Attendees for 2024 Annual Holiday Luncheon (3) | 165.00 | Training & Education |
| otal for 20 | 001 Admin - 4734 | | | -381.51 | |
| 0002 Busi | ness Office - 1381 | | | | |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 BO 10/23/24 | VistaPrint | Business Cards Chase S. & Melissa S. | 37.97 | General Operating Supplies |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 BO 10/24/24 | Intuit | Quickbooks Annual Subscription | 374.11 | Other Office Support |
| 0002 Busi | ness Office - 1381 | | | 412.08 | |
| 0003 Info | Technology (IT) - 5 | 5382 | | | |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 IT 10/07/24 | Resound | Podcast Editing Service | 15.00 | Software & Licenses |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 IT 10/08/24 | Wasabi Technologies | Storage for Remote Backup | 35.77 | Software & Licenses |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 IT 11/01/24 | Google | Monthly Charge for Library Board Voicemail | 14.35 | Telephone - Voice |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 IT 11/01/24 | Liberated Syndication | Podcasting Hosting | 20.00 | Software & Licenses |
| | | | Monthly Charge for Adobe Stock Images for | | |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 IT 11/02/24 | Adobe | Communication's Use | 29.99 | Software & Licenses |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 IT 11/06/24 | Apple | Developer Account for Mobile App | 105.19 | Software & Licenses |
| otal for 20 | 003 Info Technolo | gy (IT) - 5382 | | 220.30 | |
| 0005 Patro | on Services - 8030 | | | | |
| | | | Lodging for Back in Circulation Conference - S. | | |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 PS 10/08/24 | Concourse Hotel | Keough | 302.62 | Training Travel |
| otal for 20 | 005 Patron Servic | es - 8030 | | 302.62 | |
| 0007 Adul | t Services - 2368 | | | | |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/08/24 | Disney Plus | Roku Monthly Subscription | 14.99 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/14/24 | Netflix | Roku Monthly Subscription | 22.99 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/18/24 | Target | Super Mario Nintendo Switch Games | 119.98 | Adult AV |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/19/24 | Apple | Roku Monthly Subscription - Apple TV | 9.99 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/19/24 | Apple | Roku Monthly Subscription - Apple TV | 9.99 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/23/24 | Zoom | Monthly Subscription | 63.99 | Adult Programming |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/30/24 | Target | Sales Tax Refund | -19.20 | Adult AV |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 10/30/24 | Netflix | Roku Monthly Subscription | 22.99 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 11/03/24 | Disney Plus | Roku Monthly Subscription | 16.99 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 11/03/24 | Target | Mario & Luigi Brothership-Nintendo Switch Games | 119.98 | E-Resources |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 AS 11/05/24 | PBS WTTW | Annual Roku Subscription | 60.00 | E-Resources |
| otal for 20 | 007 Adult Services | s - 2368 | | 442.69 | |
| 0009 Outre | each Coord - 5776 | | | | |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 OC 10/31/24 | Library Works | Communications & Marketing Training | 49.00 | Training & Education |
| otal for 20 | 009 Outreach Coo | rd - 5776 | | 49.00 | |
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| 11/07/2 | 2024 APC 10/07/24 | 4 Michael's | Haunted Library Supplies | 41.00 | Adult Programming |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 APC 10/10/24 | 1 Lego | Haunted Library Prizes Barn Lego Sets | 44.97 | Adult Programming |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 APC 10/11/24 | Deerfield Italian Kitchen | Food for Horror Book Discussion | 23.00 | Adult Programming |
| 11/07/2 | 2024 APC 10/25/24 | 4 Walgreens | Haunted Library Candy | 57.65 | Adult Programming |
| | 2024 APC 10/25/24 | | Haunted Library Candy | 57.65 | Youth Programming |
| | 2024 APC 10/31/24 | | Return | -23.24 | Adult Programming |
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| 11/07/2024 | YPC 10/09/24 | Oriental Trading | Learners Family Night & Haunted Library | 53.73 | Youth Programming |
| | | - | Issue with DVD working for Program so purchased | | |
| 11/07/2024 | YPC 10/12/24 | Amazon | thru Amazon Prime Video | 3.99 | Youth Programming |
| 11/07/2024 | YPC 10/16/24 | St. Gregory's Church | Haunted Library Pumpkins | 203.00 | Youth Programming |
| 44/07/0004 | VDC 40/04/04 | II O | Candy for Haunted Library Game & Snacks for | 54.54 | V |
| | YPC 10/21/24 | Jewel-Osco | YAB & Book Discussions | 54.51 | Youth Programming |
| | YPC 10/30/24 YPC 10/30/24 | Target | Supplies for Taste Test Program | 15.73 19.99 | Youth Programming |
| | | Target | Planner for M. Sanks | | General Operating Supplies |
| | YPC 10/31/24 | Teachers Pay Teachers | Digital Files for Kids Spanish Bingo Games | 15.00 | Youth Programming |
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| | FCC 10/11/24 | Home Depot | Flowers for Front of the Library | 87.16 | Exterior Excility Maintenance |
| | FCC 10/11/24 FCC 10/11/24 | Home Depot | Flowers for Front of the Library Container for Flowers for the Front of the Library | 21.94 | Exterior Facility Maintenance Exterior Facility Maintenance |
| | FCC 10/11/24 FCC 10/18/24 | Webstaurant Store | Supplies: Hot Cups, Sleeves, and Plates | 134.83 | General Operating Supplies |
| | FCC 10/16/24 FCC 10/22/24 | Costco | | 95.51 | |
| | FCC 10/22/24 FCC 10/22/24 | Costco | Food for All Staff Meeting 10/23/24 | 93.51 | Admin Programs |
| | Citi - Maintenand | | Supplies: Copier Paper (2) & Forks | 92.97 432.41 | General Operating Supplies |
| 0016 Citi - Adr | | 3e - 9094 | | 432.41 | |
| | ACC 09/25/24 | Upper Crust Bagels | Bagels for All Staff Meeting 09/25/24 | 107.52 | Admin Programs |
| | ACC 09/25/24 ACC 09/25/24 | Cafe Zupas | Food for All Staff Meeting 09/25/24 | 457.13 | Admin Programs |
| | ACC 09/25/24 | Jewel-Osco | Desserts for All Staff Meeting 09/25/24 | 25.98 | Admin Programs |
| | ACC 09/25/24 ACC 09/26/24 | Deerfield Bakery | Donuts for Staff Last Day | 41.90 | Admin Programs |
| | ACC 09/27/24 | Pinstripes | Deposit for Staff Holiday Party 01/10/25 | 900.80 | Staff Enrichment |
| | ACC 10/05/24 | Staples | Payroll Envelopes | 244.37 | General Operating Supplies |
| | ACC 10/07/24 | The Library Store | Table for Lower Level Paperback Section | 1,093.19 | Minor Furnishings |
| | ACC 10/07/24 | Demco | Chairs (4) for New Table Lower Level | 723.91 | Minor Furnishings |
| | ACC 10/14/24 | Ultimate Screen Print | Quarter Zips & Fleeces for Staff | 596.50 | Staff Enrichment |
| | ACC 10/15/24 | AT&T | Paid Adjusted Oct Invoice due to error in billing | 292.78 | Telephone - Voice |
| | ACC 10/16/24 | Headspace | Renewal of Annual Subscription | 1,065.00 | Other Benefits |
| | ACC 10/10/24 | The Library Store | Liftgate Needed for Delivery of Table | 90.00 | Minor Furnishings |
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Director's Report: November 2024

FYI

- As part of the annual Per Capita Grant application, I'll provide a brief overview of the Library's progress towards meeting the Standards for Illinois Libraries to the Board.
- I will provide an update on the completed Staff Survey.
- Articles of Interest:
 - It's that time of the year when we start seeing "Best of" Lists. Here's one for the best books of 2024.

Personnel

- In October, the library had one separation: a Patron Services Assistant on October 31.
- Two positions were filled during the month, including a Finance Associate and a Digital Communications Associate.
- By the end of October, there were no open positions at the library.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Adult Services Report

Melissa Stoeger, Assistant Director of Adult & Youth Services

- Written by Anne Jamieson, Assistant Manager of Adult Services
- The Haunted Library was a huge success! We had **402** patrons of all ages attend.
- Vicki went to the Patty Turner Center for "Digital Drop In" on 10/15 and helped **26** people with their technology questions.
- Deerfield Patch wrote an article about the DPL Podcast's interview of Richard Powers, which came out in September.
 - https://patch.com/illinois/deerfield/deerfield-library-podcast-features-pulitzer-prize-winning-author
- We had multiple positive comments from patrons regarding our tour of the Water Reclamation District, with people complimenting the wide range of programming we provide for patrons.
- Anne spoke at the Rotary Club meeting on 10/3 about veterans in the Deerfield Historical Cemetery.
- 1,557 Patron Questions
- 11 Library Lifelines and 6 One-on-Ones
- 24 Books to Go Deliveries
- 23 live programs with 626 attendees. 1 passive program with 13 participants.
- 721 Study Room Reservations
- 17 Museum Passes

Business Office Report

Kelly DeCorrevont, Head of Finance

- We completed library check runs on October 9 and October 24
- Staff Enrichment Committee met on October 3
- We processed payrolls on October 10 and October 24
- We had our annual wellness screening day on October 16 and had 10 participants
- Talent Trends HR Source webinar on October 17
- All Staff Meeting on October 23
- Tony and Kelly met Johnson Controls on October 21 to discuss our account and plans moving forward
- Completed interviews for the Finance Associate position
- Attended the awesome Haunted Library event on October 25



• Staff and Board please RSVP to the DPL Holiday Party by Monday, November 25

Communications and Outreach Report

Stephanie Scaletta, Communications & Outreach Manager



HIGHLIGHTS:

Haunted Library - Promotion and Outreach
Support: Leading up to and during the month of
October, the Haunted Library event was promoted
through outreach events, social media marketing and
printed materials including an outdoor banner. The
initiative was a success, bringing in over 400
community members and patrons. Feedback from
attendees was overwhelmingly positive, with many
citing the event as a highlight of the fall season.

In addition to bringing in a large crowd, the initiative helped raise awareness of the library's programs and services, fostering deeper connections with the community. Overall, the event not only met but exceeded expectations in terms of community engagement, participation, and outreach effectiveness, setting a strong foundation for future events and initiatives.

Community Corne

Deerfield Library Podcast Features Pulitzer Prize-Winning Author

Richard Powers, who grew up in Evanston, won the 2019 Pulitzer Prize for Fiction for "The Overstory."





Podcast: Richard Powers - Promotion and Outreach Support: The initiative has proven to be highly successful in terms of both community engagement and brand building for the library. By offering access to exclusive interviews with prominent authors like Richard Powers, we are able to foster a deeper connection between the library and the broader cultural conversation. The success of this initiative also underscores the potential of digital platforms in reaching new audiences, enhancing the library's role as a community hub for intellectual and creative exploration.

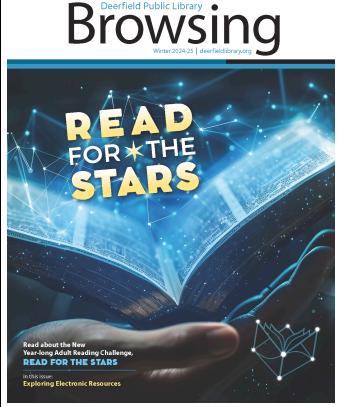
This edition of the DPL Podcast was provided to news outlets through a press release and featured in the Deerfield Patch on Friday, October 11, 2024.



Homebound Services: As part of our ongoing efforts to ensure equitable access to library resources for all members of the community, we are implementing a targeted outreach plan to engage our homebound patrons. This includes mailing a personalized survey to each individual who is currently registered as homebound, asking for their input on library services and resources they would find most beneficial. The survey will be sent with a prepaid return envelope, making it easy

and cost-free for patrons to share their preferences.

By collecting valuable feedback and providing convenient options for ongoing engagement, this initiative aims to increase homebound patron satisfaction, encourage greater participation, and build stronger connections with this important segment of our community.



Browsing Winter 2024-25: In this issue of the Deerfield Public Library Newsletter, we are excited to share a variety of initiatives and opportunities designed to enhance your library experience throughout the year. Featured prominently are:

Year-long Adult Reading Challenge: Read for the Stars

This fun and engaging challenge invites adults to explore a wide range of genres and authors as they "read for the stars" in their reading journey.

• Exploring Electronic Resources
This month, we're highlighting the library's
vast collection of electronic resources.
From e-books and audiobooks to research
databases, streaming services, and online
learning platforms, we'll show you how to
get the most out of our digital offerings.

Homebound Services

For patrons who are unable to visit the

library in person, we are spotlighting our Homebound Services, which provide a

convenient way for you to access books, movies, and more, delivered right to your doorstep. We are also launching a new initiative that includes a **survey** to gather feedback on how we can better serve our homebound patrons.

• Library Programming and Events

Our library programming continues to grow with exciting events, workshops, and guest speakers. This December, we're hosting a special podcast book discussion with Pulitzer Prize-winning author **Richard Powers**, where he discusses his new novel *Playground*.

UPCOMING PROJECTS:

- Adult Reading Challenge Read for the Stars: Promotion of the program with eye-catching printed materials to enhance engagement, including prizes and giveaways.
- **Electronic Resources** Marketing materials and supporting promotional initiatives to highlight digital resources.

IT Report

Steve Wuehr, Head of IT Current Projects

Replacement Computers

We have replaced 6 of the last 10 machines needing replacement. The remainder will be replaced in the next couple of weeks.

Firewall Replacement

We are anticipating a cutover to our new firewalls on Monday evening, 11/18, after the library closes for the day. The new hardware will replace a nearly 10 year old appliance with a new primary and failover firewall.

Replacement Cameras

There are now 9 newer, supported cameras installed and 6 remaining to be replaced.

Communico

We are working with staff on making improvements to the meeting room reservation process.

Upcoming / Ongoing Projects

RFID Gates

We continue to explore options for replacement security gates. We are discussing options on how to best proceed going forward.

Windows 11

We continue to replace aging computers with new machines running Windows 11. These replacements are necessary because the hardware will not support Windows 11 due to the age of the machines. The upgrade process has also started on newer machines capable of running Windows 11.

ADA Compliance

We continue to follow the updates to the upcoming changes to ADA compliance laws. As things become clearer in the months ahead we will gain a better understanding of what changes we will need to make to our website and other patron-facing services.

Mobile App

We are exploring options for upgrading/replacing our existing mobile app with a new option.

Switch Replacements

We will be starting the process of replacing our aging network switches with newer models.

ISP Upgrade

The library is looking into options to replace our old phone lines with a new digital solution. The existing phone lines in use are for our fax machine, elevators and area of rescue and we need to replace them with a digital solution. AT&T has a solution that would allow us to replace the old phone lines as well as one of our internet circuits with a faster grade of service at a lower overall cost. We are in the early stages of mapping out what that migration would look like.

MakerSpace Report

Ted Gray, MakerSpace Manager

- We are working on establishing a few updated rules regarding appointment times for the laser engraver. We want to create a way of scheduling appointments just for the laser engraver and how to handle any waiting lists.
- We had a great time in October celebrating Halloween! We used the actual MakerSpace much more effectively this year during the Haunted Library event. Then we had a successful MakerSpace Halloween Open House on Halloween itself.

Projects on the horizon

 The holidays are coming. We expect that over the next few weeks/months we will get busier and busier. That is our main focus at the moment. We've gone through and done some ordering of supplies to make sure we're prepared.

Neat projects

• We ran a very successful program in early October where we made sublimation cutting boards. Everyone who participated emailed us pictures beforehand. Each cutting board was unique and they all turned out fantastic!



• A homemade Dog Man costume for Halloween!



A laser engraved Chicago cutting board.



 A patron's brother bought a vineyard in Northern California. Our patron created matching glasses and a cutting board with the logo of the wine.



 This Deerfield Mom was running the Chicago Marathon. She made a custom T-Shirt and Onesie for her kids to root for her!



• An applique patch that we created for a toddler chair.



Our embroidery machine just passed a lifetime of 4 million stitches (in about a year!
 WOW). Our patrons LOVE our new embroidery machine.

Patron Services Report

Stephanie Keough, Head of Patron Services

- Keeping up with shelving is keeping us on our toes! Meeting room reservations require lots of attention! We had **24** outside groups use the meeting room last month.
- Nine members of our department (about half) celebrated October anniversaries!
- 10 curbside appointments from four patrons

Support Services Report

Pam Skittino, Head of Support Services

• The new Aspen release gave us access to a **Library Savings** feature. This feature was turned on and it will now display your approximate savings from November 2023 to present, if you have opted in to reading history!



- The Operating Systems on our hosted Sierra and Encore servers were updated
- In October, Support added **1,369** new physical items and withdrew **1,561** physical items. We also repaired 69 items.
- We recataloged/relabeled more than 183 titles this month to ensure that names and words were represented appropriately; mostly by adding diacritical marks (where missing) to our records and spine labels and to break out Early Comics from our Youth collection.

Youth Services Report

Melissa Stoeger, Assistant Director of Adult & Youth Services

- This report was written by Emily Koch, Assistant Manager of Youth Services.
- The second annual Haunted Library library program was extremely successful, with over 400 attendees. Every area of the library was utilized for the after-hours event, planned and executed by Cristina Bueno and Jasmine Hosein. There was a plethora of activities and crafts, a "not-so-spooky" storytime hosted by our Megan Sanks, a costume contest, laser engraved pumpkins in the Makerspace, and each study room was decorated by a different staff member on a unique theme. There also were very popular vendors hired, such as a photo booth photographer, a magician, a balloon artist, a face painter, and live animals from Incredible Bats. Participants were given a check list of activities when they

- entered, and if they participated in a certain number, they received a prize. The activities made up 1,146 of our active program statistics, and 212 of our passive program statistics this month! We have had more positive comments from attendees than we can count, many saying this is their favorite program of the year.
- Kary Henry hosted her annual DPS 109 Multilingual Family Night at the library. She partners with the elementary schools that we serve to invite their multilingual students and their families to enjoy an evening of library activities. This year she did activities based around being a superhero. She had 65 people attend and received comments like "Thank you so much for planning such an AMAZING event." "So far, all the students I've seen today were like 'Last night was so fun!'" and "You always do a fabulous job and I'm looking forward to next year!" from the teachers who partnered with Kary.
- Emily Koch created a new sub-section of the juvenile comic book collection: Early Comics. These comics are shorter and at an earlier reading level, similar to our Early Readers or Early Chapter Books. Emily realized they were difficult to find interspersed between the other comics, so she identified the series and then worked with Support Services to recatalog the collection. Stuart Osakada designed a new sticker to add to their spine label to denote the new sub-category. The section is at the start of the juvenile comics collection, near the juvenile magazines. It became available on October 29 and had 7 circulations in the last 3 days of October.
- Youth staff launched some new baby bundle backpacks, which are backpacks we put together with books and other resources on a certain topic. These ones are "Big Topics for Big Kids" bundles, which are geared towards kids 3+ years old, and help caregivers discuss topics in an age developmentally appropriate way. The five new kits are about climate change, race, gender, love & families, and consent. Each kit has been checked out at least once since we premiered them in October! We've gotten comments on them like "Are these new? These are so cool!" and "This will be better for when my granddaughter is a bit older, but these are wonderful."
- 981 patron questions
- 4 Personalized Picks
- 58 in-person programs with 2,217 attendees
- 9 Passive programs with 443 participation
- 28 hours of Continuing Education

























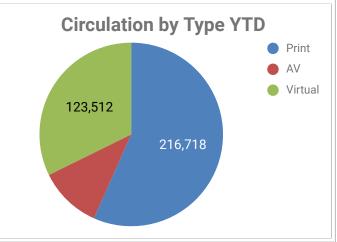


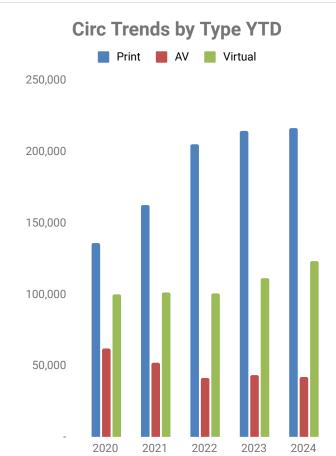


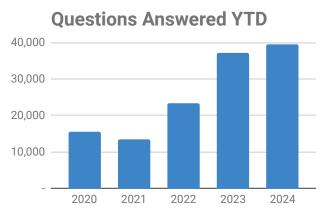
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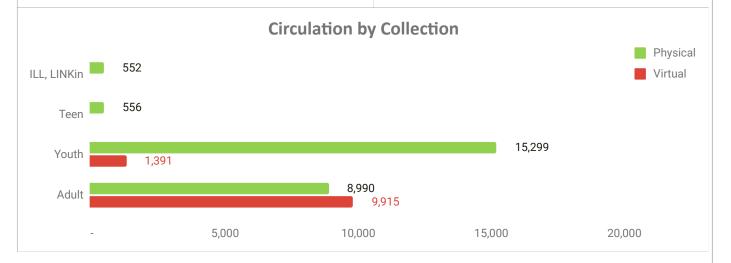




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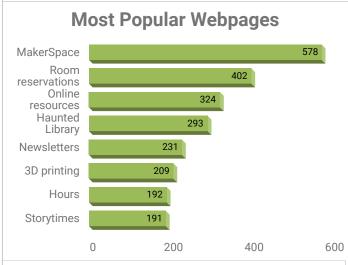


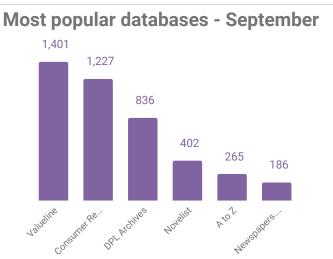
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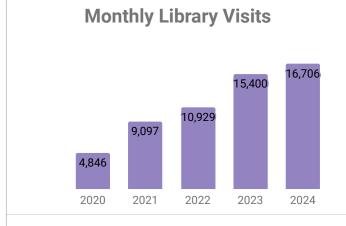
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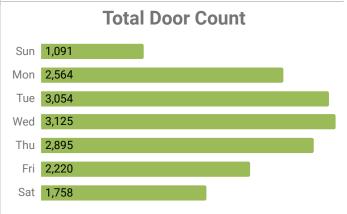
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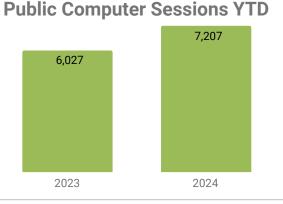


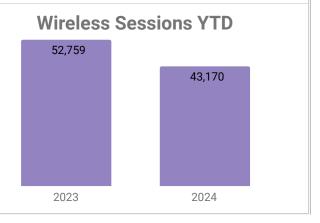














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To: Board of Trustees

Re: FY 2025 Per Capita Grant Application: Standards Review, Chapters 1-13

Date: November 20, 2024

At the October and November board meetings, we will review and discuss the Illinois Public Library Standards Checklists as part of our FY2025 Per Capita grant application. The checklists are included after this memo.

| Chapter 1 | Core Standards |
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