Pease Public Library Board of Trustees

Date: December 18, 2024 4:00pm

- I. Call to Order @ 4:01- Motion-James, 2nd-Joyce, All in favor
 - a. Roll call...Becky, Jim, Joyce, Ann, Charlene, Abby
 - b. Accept the minutes from the November meeting...Motion-Joyce, 2nd-Charlene, All in favor
 - c. Public Comment...None

II. Reports

- a. Financial (James/see statements), still a healthy budget, new laptop for Treasurer :-)
 - i. Motion to accept Financial Report...Motion-*Joyce, 2nd-Charlene*, All in favor
- b. Director's Report- Becky
 - i. Circulation Statistics- 4308 total
 - ii. Programming Life-Sized Trouble, Tech Workshops
 - iii. Maintenance -
 - 1. Fireplace not turning on, master switch works, wall switch doesn't...will get that fixed
 - 2. New color printer...old one broke due to wrong toner. Cheaper to end lease early and get a new lease, than to fix it
 - iv. Personnel Continuing to receive applications for Youth Services Librarian
- III. Action Items: those needing motions and vote
 - a. Will the Trustees vote to accept \$100 in donations? YES...Motion-Joyce, 2nd-James, All in favor
 - b. Will the Trustees approve funding of 6 hotspots from Mobile Beacon for \$654? YES...Motion-James, 2nd-Charlene, All in favor

IV. New Business-

- a. Town IT RFP (Request For Proposal)...see more info in Director's Report
- b. Update on the Solar Panels
 - i. Joyce met with Sandra Jones-read it at 6400KW one day, 6401KW next, so 1 panel is still functioning. Expect a 6-8KW increase w/sun. Mauchly Electric will come do an evaluation and they'll give a report at/for our January meeting

- V. Summary List of decisions made, directives and actions to be completed with deadlines
 - a. James will bring new budget over to accountant
 - b. Becky will send Jim the amount paying for color printer lease
 - c. Becky will ask Scott what would the library's share be on the new budget for the new IT?
- VI. Next Meeting Date: January 15, 2025 @ 4:00 pm.
- VII. Adjournment @ 4:29