MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE KIMBERLY PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD October 18, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 5:02pm by Library Board President Corinne Herro.

The meeting was held in Meeting Room 1 of the James J. Siebers Memorial Library with an option to attend via Zoom.

Members present: Corinne Herro, Rose Vander Velden, Phil Yunk, Barb Wentzel, and Dave Hietpas

Members Absent: none

Others present: Holly Selwitschka

Motion by Vander Velden, seconded by Yunk to approve the minutes of the September 27, 2021 meeting. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Motion by Wentzel, seconded by Hietpas to approve the current 2021 bills and financial report. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Holly highlighted some items on the director's report including updates on grant proposals that she has been working on. There was a discussion about when to return to in-person programming for children under the age of 12. There was general consensus among library board members to follow Holly's recommendation to wait until a vaccine is made available for children.

The library board reviewed the library's 2022 budget proposal.

Motion by Wentzel, seconded by Vander Velden to approve the 2022 Kimberly Public Library Budget. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

There was a brief discussion about the Library of Things policy. Herro requested that the library keep track of how often the collection gets used to be sure it is a valuable service.

Motion by Vander Velden, seconded by Wentzel to approve the Library of Things Policy.

No new or unfinished business was discussed.

The next meeting will be Monday, November 15 at 5:00pm in the James J. Siebers Memorial Library Meeting Room 1.

Motion by Hietpas, seconded by Wentzel, to adjourn at 5:45 pm. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Submitted by: Holly Selwitschka, Library Director