



MINUTES
Regular
Azle Library Board

333 W. Main St.
Azle, TX 76020

March 11, 2025

1:00 PM

Community Room

CALL TO ORDER

Deborah Giegoldt called the meeting to order at 1:00PM.

Members Present:

Deborah Giegoldt, Karen Propp, Mary Tredennick, Nancy Lee Stevens, Lynda Scott

Members Absent:

Royal Ward, Jan Ford

Staff Present:

Curren McLane	Library Director
Victor Gonzalez	Assistant Library Director

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Curren McLane led the Pledge of Allegiance.

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

There was no citizen participation.

ACTION ITEMS

- 1. Consider any action approving the minutes from the February 11, 2025 Library Board meeting**
Lynda Scott made a motion to approve the minutes, as presented, from the February 11, 2025, Library Board meeting. Mary Tredennick seconded. The motion passed unanimously.
- 2. Vote on new officers**
Lynda Scott made a motion to accept the officer nominations: Deborah Giegoldt as chair, and Mary Tredennick as co-chair. Karen Propp seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

PRESENTATIONS

- 3. Present Library usage statistics**
Curren McLane stated that the February 2025 library statistics were on par with the February 2024 statistics.
- 4. Present information about past and upcoming programs and events**
Curren McLane stated there is a wide array of programs for Spring break. A notable upcoming event is Library Giving Day, which will take place on April 1st, 2025. Library Giving Day will be a yearly fundraiser for communities to support both their local libraries and libraries in general.

5. Present building updates

Curren stated the Library is currently looking into getting a technology update for the community room, green room and children's area and acquiring furniture for different areas of the library, such as the Assistant Library Director's office, the teen room, and green room.

6. Present budget updates

Curren said the city of Azle's budget kick-off will take place near the end of March and beginning of April.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

7. Discuss main library policy and room rental policies

Curren McLane discussed library policy and room rental policies with the library board. Any modifications will be brought up to the library board and then taken to city council for approval.

8. Discuss library strategic plan

Curren McLane stated the Azle Memorial Library is currently working on its strategic plan for the years 2025-2029. Staff have answered questionnaires. She reminded the board to turn in their questionnaires as soon as possible.

9. Discuss partnership with Weatherford ISD for Adult GED

Curren stated that the Azle Memorial Library is partnering with Weatherford ISD Adult Education to provide onsite GED classes on Mondays and Wednesdays from 1-4:30PM. The classes are funded by the Texas Workforce Commission, and they are free for anyone who registers.

BOARD COMMENTS OF LIBRARY INTEREST

No comments were made.

ADJOURNMENT

Lynda Scott made a motion to adjourn. Mary Tredennick seconded. The motion passed unanimously. The board meeting adjourned at 2:27PM.



Curren McLane, Library Director



Deborah Giegoldt, Library Board Chair