

# South Hadley Public Library

2 Canal Street  
South Hadley, MA 01075  
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Monday -Wednesday: 9:30 am - 8 pm  
Thursday - Friday: 9:30 am - 6 pm  
Saturday: 9 :30 am - 1 pm Closed Sunday



## Board of Library Trustee – Meeting Minutes for 2/6/23

**PRESENT:** Bob Berwick, Susan Crowther, Barbara Merchant, David Morrell, Mitch Resnick, Gail Scanlon, Lanette Sweeney, Timna Tarr, Gillian Woldorf. Library Director Joe Rodio.

**ABSENT/EXCUSED:** n/a

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting Called to Order at 7:00pm by Chair Morrell.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Minutes were approved for the Trustees' meeting held 1/9/23. (Merchant, Sweeney).

**DISPOSITION OF BILLS:** Motion was approved unanimously to pay the library's bills if found to be in order (Woldorf, Resnick).

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** None.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:** None.

### LIBRARY DIRECTORS REPORT:

The Library Director gave his report; a written copy was distributed to the Board. Among the topics discussed: Teen Room circulation has increased 31% since the manga and graphic novel collections were expanded. The library's network server is being replaced in early February. The library has received a \$62,790 grant from the MA Cultural Council. Hybrid meeting technology was installed in the Trustees Room.

**GAYLORD UPDATE:** Wine Down returns on 2/10. A book donation bin is now located in the rear parking lot. GML Adult Services Librarian Amber Ladley has given her notice and the town will internally post the position ASAP.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Crowther asked if library wanted more American Girl dolls. Rodio will check.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting adjourned at 7:50 pm (Resnick, Crowther).