# Lawrence Public Library Board of Trustees Regular Meeting Monday, January 15, 2024 at 4:30 PM Hybrid: Meeting Room A or <u>Google Meet Link</u>

#### Introductions

#### Consent Agenda

All matters on the consent agenda are considered within one motion and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion on these items. If discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and will be considered separately.

- Approve Library Board meeting minutes for December 2023
- Approve Treasurer's report for December 2023
- Approve bills for December 19, 2023 to January 14, 2024
- Receive statistical report for December 2023

Library Director's Report

Monthly Departmental Reports

Friends & Foundation report

New Business

- 2024 NEKLS Library Development Grant Application **ACTION ITEM** Brad Allen, Library Director
- Policy Review:
  - Social Media Policy
    - Heather Kearns, Marketing & Patron Experience Supervisor
  - Community Bulletin Board Policy
    - Heather Kearns, Marketing & Patron Experience Supervisor

Old Business

Public Comment

**Executive Session** 

• Discussion of pending litigation

Adjournment

# DRAFT Lawrence Public Library Regular Board Meeting Date: December 18, 2023 Time: 4:30 pm

**Venue:** The meeting was conducted in person and online.

**Board Members Present:** James Pavisian (Chair), Mayor Bart Littlejohn, Kelly Hart, Mandy Leibold, Sarah Goodwin Thiel, Susan Kang, Allison Friend Mazzei. Absent: Jennifer Bonilla

**Staff Members Present:** Brad Allen, Kathleen Morgan, Erica Segraves, Aaron Brumley, Jon Ratzlaff, Heather Kearns, Tricia Karlin.

#### Friends and Foundation Members Present: Kassie Nieters (Vice-Chair)

#### Call to order

James called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m.

#### **Consent Agenda**

Allison moved approval of the consent agenda. Kelly seconded the motion. Consent agenda passed.

#### Library Acting Director's Report

- Kathleen presented the Acting Director's report.
- Strategic Plan
  - Interior Spaces
    - Safety
      - New security incident software has been installed and library staff will soon be trained on the system.
      - The ability to extend the library's policy to the lawn has worked well; behavior outside the library has been much less disruptive.
    - Reimagine common spaces
      - Heather Kearns is leading the initiative to redesign the library interior spaces, especially the lobby, atrium, quiet area, and Health Spot. 2024 will mark our 10-year anniversary since the library reopened in this location, so it's time for a refresh.
  - New staff on board in December
    - Mallory Pearson Youth Services Assistant
    - Lindin Scott Info Services
    - Mary Ann LeDosquet Accounting Specialist
- Interim Director Appreciation

- Members of the Library board applauded Kathleen for her excellent work as interim director!
- New Construction update
  - Current estimate is that library staff will be in newly renovated spaces by year-end
- Request to add signage to entrance to alert incoming patrons that security cameras are in use
  - James asked if the library could have signage on the door.
  - Brad agreed that such signage could easily be added.
  - March 2024 is the tentative date for board of trustees to review a draft policy for security camera use in the library

#### Friends and Foundation Director's Report

- Kassie presented the report for the Friends and Foundation (F&F).
- Highlights from the year
  - Book sales & fundraising exceeded budgeted goals. As of November 30, over \$552,000 was raised from book sales, gifts and grants. An additional \$2,865 came in this weekend from the Season's Readings book sale last Saturday
  - F&F hosted a very successful After Hours event in 2023, raising a total of \$73,000 for the children's picture book room and \$48,000 for library programs and services.
  - The Advocacy Committee hosted a breakfast with an accompanying educational program for area legislators.
  - Logan Isaman and Angela Hyde continue to do excellent work supporting a successful volunteer program.
  - Jack Altman is doing great work leading programs for retirees.
- Budget update
  - The projection for next year's LPLFF operating budget is \$240,000.
  - F&F need final financial reports from Douglas County Community Foundation on investment fund performance before approving cash distributions to the library. The distribution is currently tentatively set at4.5% or \$105,000.
- DCCF Grant update
  - The Winter Family Grant request was approved. The \$1,550 grant will be used to translate key library brochures into Spanish.
- Giving for Good
  - Fundraising goal: \$5,000
  - Actual amount raised: \$6,000
  - Total raised including matching gifts: \$8,500
  - Funds will be allocated to the David and Sharyn Katzman Fund at DCCF which supports retiree programs.
- Annual Campaign
  - To date, \$56,000 has been raised from the New Chapter Society.

#### **New Business**

• None

#### **Old Business**

• None

#### **Public Comments**

• None

#### **Executive Session**

Susan moved to go into executive session until 5:15 pm to discuss pending litigation & the Library Executive Director's annual evaluation. The motion was seconded by Mandy. The motion passed.

At 5:15 pm, Kelly moved to extend the executive session until 5:20 pm. The motion was seconded by Mandy. The motion passed.

#### **Regular Session**

Regular session resumed at 5:20 pm.

#### **ACTION ITEM - Legal representation**

Allison moved that the library approach the law firm of Fisher Patterson to represent the library in pending litigation. Mandy seconded the motion. The motion passed.

#### Announcements

• None.

#### Adjournment

There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 5:22 pm.

The next regular Board meeting will be held Monday, January 15, 2024.

Respectfully submitted, Tricia Karlin



#### 2023 Regular Budget Report

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Postage & Mailing       1,183.33       1,065.33       \$       1,111.09       20,307.90       \$18,000.00       112.82%       \$18,000.00         Professional Development       6,539.15       2,805.33       \$       224.34       44,762.61       \$30,000.00       149.21%       \$35,000.00         Book Van & Mileage       565.47       482.34       \$       199.32       4,692.46       \$5,000.00       93.85%       \$2,000.00         Professional Fees       2,359.59       7,638.56       \$       8,411.28       52,304.11       \$25,000.00       209.22%       \$20,000.00         Advertising & Marketing       1,029.64       290.31       \$       363.49       22,803.45       \$20,000.00       114.02%       \$20,000.00         Capital Improvements       7,500.00       \$       176,350.33       188,350.33       0       0       0         Miscellaneous       643.66       399.04       \$       14,282.38       17,537.05       0       0	Insurance						\$17,000.00	91.35%	\$16,000.00	
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Cash Reserves Checking (US Bank & KMIP) Capitol Improvement (KMIP)

1,005,236.94

174,080.46 Included in checking amount (\$50,237.56 from 2019; \$33,382.96 from 2020; \$38,282.47 from 2021, \$47,477.47 from 2023)

1,005,2

852,036.93 Transfer from Capitol Improvement will happen in January 2024

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2023 Outside Funding		1/1/2023

Carry Over Amts	Income	 Spending	Income	Spending	Income	Spending	Remaining
	\$ 353.54	\$ 20,835.60	\$ 126,996.70	\$ 38,515.25	6 16,484.65	\$ 42,031.48 \$	441,027.14
						YTD Revenue \$	610,350.60
						YTD Expense \$	532.550.99
	Carry Over Amts	 	<u> </u>				\$ 353.54 \$ 20,835.60 \$ 126,996.70 <i>\$ 38,515.25</i> \$ 16,484.65 \$ 42,031.48 \$ YTD Revenue \$

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	Jan 1, 24
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	822.052.57
MIP Operating Funds Checking	822,053.57 183,476.71
Capital Improvement at MIP	852,036.93
Total Checking/Savings	1,857,567.21
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Total Current Assets	1,857,567.21
Other Assets Petty Cash	300.00
Total Other Assets	300.00
TOTAL ASSETS	1,857,867.21
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	
Wages Payable	141,000.00
Accounts Payable	198,498.86
Total Accounts Payable	339,498.86
Other Current Liabilities	
Payroll Liabilities	
Vision Insurance - Employer	-139.58
Vision Insurance - Employee	-139.59
Group Life Insurance	125.90
Hospital & Cancer Plans	-319.00
KPERS Employee	-363.17
Total KPERS	-363.17
	000.11
KPERS Co Company	-570.79
Total KPERS Co	-570.79
OGLI	2.03
Payroll Liabilities FSA	3,429.74
Health Insurance	-21,051.04
SUI	
Company	846.03
Total SUI	846.03
Total Payroll Liabilities	-18,179.47
Total Other Current Liabilities	-18,179.47
Total Current Liabilities	321,319.39
Total Liabilities	321,319.39
Equity	

Equity

## Lawrence Public Library Balance Sheet As of January 1, 2024

	Jan 1, 24
Opening Bal Equity	300,635.22
Retained Earnings	1,240,196.70
Net Income	-4,284.10
Total Equity	1,536,547.82
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	1,857,867.21

# Lawrence Public Library Revenues & Expenses December 2023

	Dec 23	Jan - Dec 23
Ordinary Income/Expense		
Income Misc Income Tax Fund Lost and Replacement Fees NEKLS State& Federal Aid	20.06 0.00 2,226.88 5,000.00 0.00	23,602.14 5,725,000.00 25,669.06 114,665.00 27,060.66
Photocopies & Printing Meeting Room Rentals Interest	1,551.71 193.60 6,196.76	16,809.58 6,998.83 105,706.77
Outside&Private Funding Income	16,484.65	596,589.96
Total Income	31,673.66	6,642,102.00
Gross Profit	31,673.66	6,642,102.00
Expense Payroll Expenses	450,914.17	3,949,538.60
Payroll Taxes	45,765.58	582,154.16
Utilities - Electric	9,347.43	88,324.21
Building Supplies	2,847.87	21,137.50
Building Repairs & Maintenance Library & Office Supplies	1,083.12 642.84	65,360.86 19,965.38
Books & Materials	116,233.44	725,077.88
Processing Supplies	5,418.99	54,722.48
Equipment Technology	0.00 10,873.73	88.80 276,416.78
Insurance	0.00	15,530.10
Postage & Mailing Professional Development	1,111.09 224.34	20,307.90 44,762.61
Vehicles, Mileage, Maintenance Professional Fees	199.32 8,411.28	4,692.46 52,304.11
Marketing-General	363.49	22,803.45
Capital Improvement Expenditure	176,350.33	188,350.33
Miscellaneous	14,796.88	18,051.55
Outside & Private Funding	41,381.48	531,900.99
Total Expense	885,965.38	6,681,490.15
Net Ordinary Income	-854,291.72	-39,388.15
Net Income	-854,291.72	-39,388.15

# Lawrence Public Library Vendor Balance Summary As of January 12, 2024

	Jan 12, 24
Amazon Capital Services, Inc	4,977.22
Arsenal	2,380.00
ASI	56.00
B.A. Green Construction	51,380.00
Baker & Taylor, Inc.	-156.27
Bamboo HR	697.61
Center Point Large Print	131.15
Century Business Technologies	2,197.07
Conley Sprinkler, Inc.	470.00
Cottin's Hardware & Rental	231.42
Denise Berkley	4,150.00
Downtown Lawrence Inc.	480.00
EBSCO	4,694.00
eRate Solutions, L.L.C.	975.76
Evergy	9,347.43
Floyds Drain Cleaning of Lawrence, INC	115.00
Gale/Cengage Learning	123.15
Ingram Library Services	15,516.44
Jayhawk Tropical Fish	330.00
Jungle House	120.00
Kansas City Star	1,621.64
Kindred CPA	1,601.01
Laura Green	35.00
	476.00
Lawrence Rotary Club	25.00
Mary Kirkendoll Mass Street Music	6.50
Mass Street Music Michael Doubrava	2,500.00
Michael Doublava Midcontinent Communications	
	572.18 6,385.50
Midwest Tape	
New Directions	700.00
OCLC, Inc.	74,285.51
Ogden Publications, Inc. OverDrive	585.00
	28,410.16
Pro Print Inc.	263.32
Pur-O-Zone, Inc.	1,752.65
R&R Communications, Inc.	5,308.67
Rabble LLC	4,440.00
Schendel Services	112.04
Schwickert's Tecta America	1,920.00
Sloan Law Firm	30.00
Springshare LLC	1,161.00
Tai Amri Spann-Ryan	100.00
U.S. Bank - Mastercard	30,913.09
United Parcel Service	52.28
Watson Label Products	3,261.22
WP Company LLC	3,767.68
Y.N.F.W.C.	10,000.00
DTAL	278,501.43

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#### Lawrence Public Library Check Detail January 2024

			January 2024		
Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check		01/01/2024	Encumbrances	Checking	
General Journal TOTAL	4755BP	12/30/2023	Encumbrances	Wages Payable	0.00
Bill Pmt -Check		01/01/2024	Encumbrances	Checking	
General Journal General Journal TOTAL	4754BP 4756BP	12/29/2023 12/30/2023	Encumbrances Encumbrances	Accounts Payable Accounts Payable	0.00 0.00 0.00
Bill Pmt -Check	Electronic	01/15/2024	ASI	Checking	
Bill	A00004412	12/31/2023		Professional Fees	-56.00
TOTAL	A00004412	12/01/2020			-56.00
Bill Pmt -Check	Electronic	01/15/2024	Bamboo HR	Checking	
Bill	INV01799357	12/29/2023		Professional Fees	-697.61
TOTAL					-697.61
Bill Pmt -Check	Electronic	01/15/2024	Evergy	Checking	
Bill	December 2	12/31/2023		Utilities - Electric	-9,347.43
TOTAL					-9,347.43
Bill Pmt -Check	Electronic	01/15/2024	Midcontinent Communications	Checking	
Bill	157407601	12/26/2023		Internet & Telephone	-572.18
TOTAL					-572.18
Bill Pmt -Check	Electronic	01/15/2024	U.S. Bank - Mastercard	Checking	
Bill	DEC 2023	12/29/2023		Books & Materials Books & Materials Building Supplies Building Repairs & Main Library & Office Supplies Processing Supplies Operations IT Software & Subscripti Internet & Telephone Postage & Mailing Vehicles, Mileage, Maint Professional Fees Marketing-General Capital Improvement Ex Miscellaneous Block Grant	-24.99 -22.99 -20.79 -31.29 -11.47 -468.00 -81.91 -121.50 -81.70 -563.19 -177.49 -2,511.82 -1,581.00 -180.42 -1,023.55 -132.01 -354.00 -363.49 -386.66 -15,810.26 -2,190.83

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#### Lawrence Public Library Check Detail January 2024

Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
				YS Programs (Children)	-866.53
				Teen Services Program	-18.97
				Sound & Vision	-13.77
				MIDCO/Peterson Marketing	-2,997.00 -681.02
Bill	JAN 20203	01/01/2024		Books & Materials	-13.99
	0/ 11 20200	01/01/2021		Books & Materials	-13.99
				Books & Materials	-14.99
				Books & Materials	-14.99
				Books & Materials	-49.75
				Books & Materials	-31.77
				Books & Materials	-12.77
				Books & Materials Books & Materials	-14.24 -29.95
TOTAL					-30,913.09
Bill Pmt -Check	Electronic	01/15/2024	United Parcel Service	Checking	
Bill	0000506AE	12/29/2023		Postage & Mailing	-52.28
TOTAL				5 - 5	-52.28
TOTAL					-52.20
Bill Pmt -Check	29593	01/15/2024	Amazon Capital Services, Inc	Checking	
Bill	1744-FF69	12/18/2023		YS Programs (Children)	-25.75
Bill	1YM7-M3M	12/19/2023		Public Tech Supplies	-29.13
Bill	1TT7-Q6PF	12/19/2023		Public Tech Supplies	-1,248.39
Bill Bill	1FXK-HXPL 14LM-J14W	12/19/2023 12/19/2023		YS Programs (Children) Library & Office Supplies	-264.54 -12.99
Bill	1FNG-P36	12/19/2023		Library & Office Supplies	-22.39
Bill	1HXJ-3714	12/19/2023		Building Supplies	-113.02
Bill	1T4X-1TVY	12/19/2023		YS Programs (Children)	-41.54
Bill	1XLR-4PJV	12/19/2023		Books & Materials	-86.61
Bill	1H6J-RHL9	12/19/2023		Books & Materials	-15.98
Bill	1M4V-PVX	12/19/2023		Books & Materials	-99.34
Bill Bill	1KNN-MWJ 1XK6-6XRP	12/19/2023 12/19/2023		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-59.75 -373.72
Bill	1NNP-PX96	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-169.64
Bill	1C79-VRTF	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-203.58
Bill	1PY3-F9C	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-15.95
Bill	1YJ6-VQ3Y	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-234.47
Bill	1WHJ-PC7	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-76.91
Bill	1PTW-VYJ	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-39.98
Bill	1GR7-LXJP	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-307.93
Bill Bill	1M1R-XQ1 16HJ-HJ3C	12/26/2023 01/03/2024		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-527.73 -59.88
Bill	1PDM-G1C	01/03/2024		Books & Materials	-29.95
Bill	1YX6-76DC	01/03/2024		Books & Materials	-111.77
Bill	16DJ-JWC	01/03/2024		Books & Materials	-89.98
Bill	1YLP-MJPV	01/03/2024		Books & Materials	-198.90
Bill	11L6-HVQT	01/03/2024		Books & Materials	-14.99
Bill	17RL-PMFF	01/03/2024		Books & Materials	-153.06
Bill Bill	1HGF-GML 1XX6-HWH	01/03/2024 01/10/2024		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-187.15 -162.20
Bill	1770-110011	01/10/2024			-102.20

TOTAL

-4,977.22

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Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	29594	01/15/2024	Arsenal	Checking	
Bill	1229230001	12/29/2023		Internet & Telephone	-2,380.00
TOTAL					-2,380.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29595	01/15/2024	B.A. Green Construction	Checking	
Bill	23-045-05	12/29/2023		Capital Improvement Ex	-51,380.00
TOTAL					-51,380.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29596	01/15/2024	Center Point Large Print	Checking	
Bill Bill	2063716 2068333	12/26/2023 01/03/2024		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-24.67 -106.48
TOTAL					-131.15
Bill Pmt -Check	29597	01/15/2024	Century Business Technologies	Checking	
Bill Bill Bill Bill	698190 700060 700061 700257	12/26/2023 01/09/2024 01/09/2024 01/09/2024		IT Software & Subscripti IT Software & Subscripti IT Software & Subscripti IT Software & Subscripti	-835.84 -835.84 -188.30 -337.09
TOTAL					-2,197.07
Bill Pmt -Check	29598	01/15/2024	Conley Sprinkler, Inc.	Checking	
Bill	13824	12/27/2023		Building Repairs & Main	-470.00
TOTAL					-470.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29599	01/15/2024	Cottin's Hardware & Rental	Checking	
Bill	Dec 2023	12/29/2023		Building Repairs & Main	-231.42
TOTAL					-231.42
Bill Pmt -Check	29600	01/15/2024	Denise Berkley	Checking	
Bill	600	01/01/2024		Professional Fees Friends & Foundation F	-3,850.00 -300.00
TOTAL					-4,150.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29601	01/15/2024	Downtown Lawrence Inc.	Checking	
Bill	000150	01/09/2024		Professional Fees	-480.00
TOTAL					-480.00

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Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	29602	01/15/2024	EBSCO	Checking	
Bill	100022083	01/02/2024		Books & Materials	-4,694.00
TOTAL					-4,694.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29603	01/15/2024	eRate Solutions, L.L.C.	Checking	
Bill	4033	12/29/2023		Professional Fees	-975.76
TOTAL					-975.76
Bill Pmt -Check	29604	01/15/2024	Floyds Drain Cleaning of Lawren	Checking	
Bill	1815161	01/09/2024		Building Repairs & Main	-115.00
TOTAL					-115.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29605	01/15/2024	Gale/Cengage Learning	Checking	
Bill Bill Bill	83075777 83046406 83046250	12/26/2023 12/26/2023 12/26/2023		Books & Materials Books & Materials Books & Materials	-18.89 -81.87 -22.39
TOTAL					-123.15
Bill Pmt -Check	29606	01/15/2024	Ingram Library Services	Checking	
Bill	79348617	12/19/2023		Books & Materials	-832.97
Bill	79348618	12/19/2023		Storytime at Home Processing Supplies	-10.25 -122.89
Bill	79334278	12/19/2023		Processing Supplies	-31.88
Bill	79533497	12/26/2023		Storytime at Home Books & Materials	-10.82 -284.18
Bill	79393303	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-177.24
Bill	79513750	12/26/2023		Books & Materials Storytime at Home	-1,016.90 -4.59
Bill	79543185	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-41.35
Bill Bill	79449863 79449864	12/26/2023 12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-2,280.61
Bill	79393304	12/26/2023		Processing Supplies Processing Supplies	-229.34 -16.93
Bill	79513751	12/26/2023		Processing Supplies	-129.30
Bill Bill	79543186 79533498	12/26/2023 12/26/2023		Processing Supplies Processing Supplies	-0.75 -36.33
Bill	79334277	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-311.59
Bill	79556185	01/02/2024		Processing Supplies	-26.93
Bill Bill	79556187 79594545	01/02/2024 01/02/2024		Processing Supplies	-2.75 -156.85
Bill	79605326	01/02/2024		Processing Supplies Processing Supplies	-240.02
Bill	79629081	01/02/2024		Processing Supplies	-0.50
Bill	79629079	01/02/2024		Processing Supplies	-41.23
Bill Bill	79594544 79556186	01/02/2024 01/02/2024		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-1,251.07 -165.49
Bill	79556183	01/02/2024		Books & Materials	-102.56
Bill Bill	79556184 79605325	01/02/2024 01/02/2024		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-266.31
Bill	79605325 79629080	01/02/2024		Books & Materials	-2,203.85 -34.18
Bill	79629077	01/03/2024		Processing Supplies	-34.54
Bill Bill	79629078 79629076	01/03/2024 01/03/2024		Books & Materials Books & Materials	-428.68 -393.28
Bill	79649316	01/03/2024 01/04/2024		Processing Supplies	-393.28 -29.50

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Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Bill Bill Bill Bill Bill Bill Bill	79712841 79732039 79649315 79712840 79732041 79732043 79701916 79760319 79732040 79732040 79732040 79732042 79701915 79760318 79732044 79732046 79732045	01/04/2024 01/04/2024 01/04/2024 01/04/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024 01/10/2024		Processing Supplies Processing Supplies Books & Materials Books & Materials Processing Supplies Processing Supplies Processing Supplies Books & Materials Books & Materials Books & Materials Books & Materials Books & Materials Books & Materials Salkind Gift Storytime at Home Storytime at Home Salkind Gift	-116.65 -158.72 -340.81 -983.96 -31.22 -40.80 -26.37 -21.72 -1,333.70 -295.69 -482.59 -388.33 -271.31 -89.14 -10.59 -1.24 -7.94
TOTAL					-15,516.44
Bill Pmt -Check	29607	01/15/2024	Jayhawk Tropical Fish	Checking	
Bill	116126	12/28/2023		Aquarium Maintenance	-330.00
TOTAL					-330.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29608	01/15/2024	Jungle House	Checking	
Bill	1260	01/09/2024		Plant & Foliage Mainten	-120.00
TOTAL					-120.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29609	01/15/2024	Kansas City Star	Checking	
Bill	KCM-40007	01/02/2024		Books & Materials	-1,621.64
TOTAL					-1,621.64
Bill Pmt -Check	29610	01/15/2024	Kindred CPA	Checking	
Bill	INV202023	12/31/2023		Professional Fees	-1,601.01
TOTAL					-1,601.01
Bill Pmt -Check	29611	01/15/2024	Laura Green	Checking	
Bill	Seed Library	01/02/2024		Seed Library	-35.00
TOTAL					-35.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29612	01/15/2024	Lawrence Rotary Club	Checking	
Bill Bill	130996 131139	12/19/2023 01/01/2024		Professional Development Professional Development	-245.00 -231.00
TOTAL					-476.00

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Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	29613	01/15/2024	Mary Kirkendoll	Checking	
Bill	Yoga on 12/	12/29/2023		Kansas Health Foundati	-25.00
TOTAL					-25.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29614	01/15/2024	Mass Street Music	Checking	
Bill	220000174	01/03/2024		Sound & Vision	-6.50
TOTAL					-6.50
Bill Pmt -Check	29615	01/15/2024	Michael Doubrava	Checking	
Bill	Damage Re	12/21/2023		Miscellaneous	-2,500.00
TOTAL					-2,500.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29616	01/15/2024	Midwest Tape	Checking	
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Bill Pmt -Check	29617	01/15/2024	New Directions	Checking	
Bill	INV-31335	12/30/2023		Professional Fees	-700.00
TOTAL					-700.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29618	01/15/2024	OCLC, Inc.	Checking	
Bill	1000348474	01/02/2024		Collections & Public Ser	-74,285.51
TOTAL					-74,285.51

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Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	29619	01/15/2024	Ogden Publications, Inc.	Checking	
Bill	178728	01/09/2024		Marketing-General	-585.00
TOTAL					-585.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29620	01/15/2024	OverDrive	Checking	
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Bill Pmt -Check	29621	01/15/2024	Pro Print Inc.	Checking	
Bill	6166	01/02/2024		Library & Office Supplies	-263.32
TOTAL					-263.32
Bill Pmt -Check	29622	01/15/2024	Pur-O-Zone, Inc.	Checking	
Bill Bill	884972 887287	12/29/2023 12/29/2023		Building Supplies Building Supplies	-950.99 -801.66
TOTAL					-1,752.65
Bill Pmt -Check	29623	01/15/2024	R&R Communications, Inc.	Checking	
Bill	2023443	12/28/2023		Capital Improvement Ex	-5,308.67
TOTAL					-5,308.67
Bill Pmt -Check	29624	01/15/2024	Rabble LLC	Checking	
Bill	1197	12/26/2023		Books & Materials	-4,440.00
TOTAL					-4,440.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29625	01/15/2024	Schendel Services	Checking	
Bill	30440015	01/11/2024		Building Repairs & Main	-112.04
TOTAL					-112.04

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			January 2024		
Туре	Num	Date	Name	Account	Paid Amount
Bill Pmt -Check	29626	01/15/2024	Schwickert's Tecta America	Checking	
Bill Bill	S510120433 S510120431	01/09/2024 01/09/2024		Building Repairs & Main Building Repairs & Main	-375.00 -1,545.00
TOTAL					-1,920.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29627	01/15/2024	Sloan Law Firm	Checking	
Bill	74616	12/19/2023		Professional Fees	-30.00
TOTAL					-30.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29628	01/15/2024	Springshare LLC	Checking	
Bill	23-R6163	12/29/2023		Collections & Public Ser	-1,161.00
TOTAL					-1,161.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29629	01/15/2024	Tai Amri Spann-Ryan	Checking	
Bill	Black Histor	01/02/2024		YS Programs (Children)	-100.00
TOTAL					-100.00
Bill Pmt -Check	29630	01/15/2024	Watson Label Products	Checking	
Bill Bill	103001 103000	12/28/2023 12/28/2023		Processing Supplies Processing Supplies	-2,344.80 -881.16
וווכ	103000	12/20/2023		Postage & Mailing	-35.26
TOTAL					-3,261.22
Bill Pmt -Check	29631	01/15/2024	WP Company LLC	Checking	
Bill	2024	01/10/2024		Books & Materials	-3,767.68
TOTAL					-3,767.68
Bill Pmt -Check	29632	01/15/2024	Y.N.F.W.C.	Checking	
Bill	2401	01/01/2024		Building Repairs & Main	-10,000.00
TOTAL					-10,000.00

# Monthly Statistical Summary--December 2023

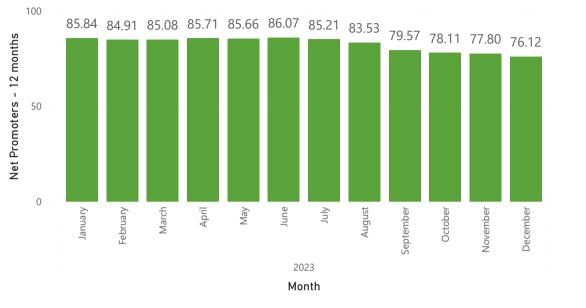
	December	December	% Change	YTD	YTD	% Change	Charts
	2023	2022	2023-2022	2023	2022	2023-2022	
SUMMARY RATIOS	_						
Service Area Population based on data from Census bureau see	05 704	05 272	00/				
explanation below	95,794		0%				
% of Lawrence Residents Registered (current month)	45%		4%				
Net Promoter Score (NPS) see definition below	76.12	N/A	#VALUE!				NPS Score Chart
OUTPUT MEASURES							
Physical Checkouts, Renewals & Autorenewals Adult Audience	38,162	39,816	-4%	498,821	501,975	-1%	
Physical Checkouts & Renewals Teen Audience	2,259		-10%	33,309	34,157	-2%	
Physical Checkouts & Renewals Children's Audience see explanation below	21,284	,	-10%	320,855	330,150		
Total Physical Checkouts	61,705		-6%	852,985	866,282		
Digital Checkouts & Renewals Adult & General Audience	17,662		22%	193,420	181,069		
Digital Checkouts & Renewals Teen Audience	2,077	,	29%	23,486	20,302	16%	
Digital Checkouts & Renewals Children's Audience	3,146		37%	35,412	30,920		
Total Digital Checkouts & Renewals	22,885		24%	252,318	232,291	9%	
Total Physical & Digital Checkouts & Renewals	84,590		0%	1,105,303	1,098,573	1%	Circulation Charts
Checkouts & Renewals Dottie	140	42	233%	2,980	932	220%	
Checkouts & Renewals Lockers	721	844	-15%	11,247	11,398	-1%	
Checkouts & Renewals Home Delivery & Retirement Communities	719	640	12%	9,976	9,860	1%	
Checkouts & Renewals Main Library	38,687	42,948	-10%	558,709	578,225	-3%	
Digital Checkouts, Online Renewals, Auto Renewals	44,323	39,797	11%	522,391	498,158	5%	
Total Physical & Digital Checkouts & Renewals	84,590	84,271	0%	1,105,303	1,098,573	1%	
Service Interactions	4,401	5,327	-17%	76,621	81,418		Service Interaction Charts
Visits to 707 Vermont St.	29,260	29,833	-2%	430,308	360,764	19%	User Visits Charts
LPL Web Site Visits (Google Analytics has implemented new metrics; we are using their new metric of "Engaged Sessions")	77,402	N/A	#VALUE!	855,450	#VALUE!	#VALUE!	
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Physical Holdings Added	1,562		-17%	24,263	26,738		
Physical Holdings Withdrawn	1,580		-22%	24,919	33,031	-25%	
Physical Holdings Total	192,105	194,394	-1%				
Digital Holdings Added	1,052	294	258%	8,635	9,595	-10%	
Digital Holdings Leases Expired	107		-26%	1,604	1,634	-2%	
Digital Holdings Total (includes leased titles)	36,490		27%				
New Cards created (includes online applications)	605		26%	8,929	7,394	21%	
	14 667	13,871	6%				
Active Cardholders Current Month see definition below Active Cardholders Last 3 Years see definition below	14,667 43,247		5%				

Adult Programs (Includes programs for retirees)	22	31	-29%	401	426	-6%	
Teen Programs	4	3	33%	98	81	21%	
Children's Programs (includes programs for all ages)	26	36	-28%	514	465	11%	
Total Programs	52	70	-26%	1,013	972	4%	
Total Program Attendance	1,911	2,350	-19%	35,303	30,043	18%	Program Statistics Charts
Patron Bookings of Library Spaces	813	768	6%	11,514	8,309	39%	Reservable Room Booking S
Public Computer Sessions	2,566	2,555	0%	37,518	30,254	24%	Computer Session Charts
Total Paid Staff (FTE)	69.66	68.08	2%				
Total Number of Employees	86	90	-4%				
Total Library Volunteer Hours***	492	559.5	-12%	6,816	6,073	12%	

Service area population: previous year population estimates were provided by city staff. The latest numbers from the City were: Aug 2021 estimate: 103,351 and Aug 2022 est: 105,295 Checkouts & renewals for children's audience: this total includes checkouts of movies, TV shows, and video games for children Active cardholder: activities counted include (but are not limited to) checking out physical & digital items; placing holds; returning items: paying bills; placing holds; verifying library card status to register for a library event, gain access to a public computer or to use digital resources such as the digital NY Times or Consumer Reports online. Net Promoter Score (NPS) is based on responses to a survey in the last 6 months 1)emailed to a percentage of randomly selected cardholders who have been active in the past 2 weeks 2) Beginning July 2023, library users who fill out a survey available in the Fiction Loop of the library and 3)Beginning August 2023, attendees at select events. Cardholders are asked "On a scale from 0 (not at all likely) to 10 (very likely, how likely are you to recommend the library to others?" and a reason for their score.

NPS score calculation explained here

#### Rolling 12-Month Average NPS Score



# What NPS survey respondents said in December:

#### Safety concerns

"I'm not sure I feel safe around the library. Sometimes it's fine other times not so much."

#### Favorite family spot

"I go constantly. Book clubs, events, take my kids, get tons of books checked out. One of my favorite spots!

NPS Survey Summary -

Rolling 12 Month

76.12

1424

1180

96

**Total Responses** 

**Total Promoters** 

**Total Detractors** 

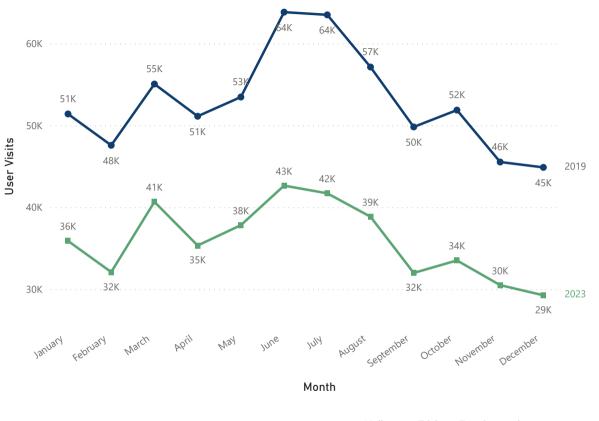
NPS

#### A beautiful place

"Love this library! Enjoy the atmosphere, friendly & helpful staff, the ability to look at & reserve books online, other services you offer, the children's department is great & it's a very beautiful place."

#### Total User Visits: Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

#### Year ●2019 ■2023



#### LPL ComiCon on March 10 & 11, 2023 had an estimated attendance of 901

Halloween Trick-or-Treating at the Library on Oct 31, 2023 had an estimated attendance of 563

-32.26%

#### YTD User Visits 2019-2023

Year	User Visits	% Growth Year Over Year
± 2019	635,231	-0.13%
± 2020	227,953	-64.11%
± 2021	252,594	10.81%
± 2022	360,764	42.82%
± 2023	430,308	19.28%

#### Month on Month: Dec Visits 2019-2023

Year	User Visits	% Growth Month Over Month
± 2019	44,880	-1.55%
± 2020	15,456	-65.56%
± 2021	25,403	64.36%
± 2022	29,833	17.44%
± 2023	29,260	-1.92%



#### Total Circulation (Digital+Physical) Trend: Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

#### YTD % change Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

# -10.40%

#### YTD Circulation 2019-2023

Year	Circulation	% Growth Year on Year
± 2019	1,233,549	2.55%
± 2020	972,826	-21.14%
± 2021	1,104,439	13.53%
± 2022	1,098,611	-0.53%
± 2023	1,105,304	0.61%

# Month on Month: Dec Circulation 2019-2023

Year	Circulation	% Growth Month on Month
± 2019	92,122	2.11%
± 2020	91,398	-0.79%
∃ 2021	87,291	-4.49%
± 2022	84,271	-3.46%
± 2023	84,590	0.38%

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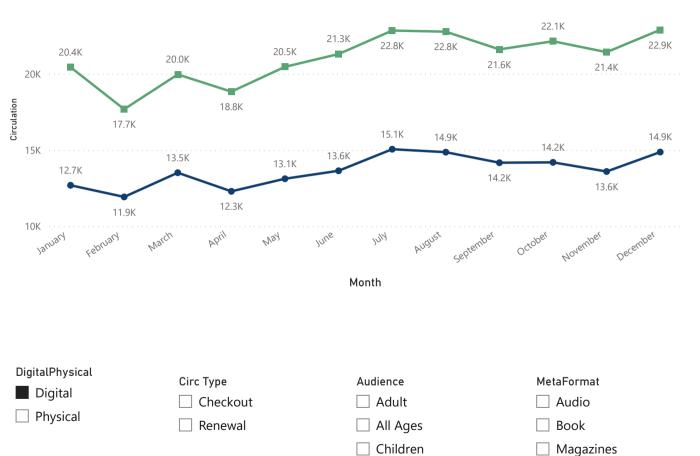
Au	Audience				
	Adult				
	All Ages				
	Children				
	Teen				

# MetaFormat Audio Book ILL Items Kits LibOfThings

Magazines

#### Digital Circulation Trend: Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

#### **Year** ●2019 ■2023



Teen

Video

YTD % change Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

# 53.93%

YTD Circ	YTD Circulation 2019-2023				
Year	Circulation	% Growth Year on Year			
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· ± 2019	163,922	98.36%			
± 2020	253,173	54.45%			
∃ 2021	237,680	-6.12%			
± 2022	232,329	-2.25%			
± 2023	252,319	8.60%			

Month on Month: Dec Circulation 2019-2023

Year	Circulation	% Growth Month on Month
± 2019	14,868	95.16%
± 2020	21,320	43.39%
± 2021	19,160	-10.13%
± 2022	18,393	-4.00%
± 2023	22,885	24.42%

#### Physical Circulation Trend Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

Year ●2019 ■2023



MetaFormat DigitalPhysical Circ Type, Circulation Audience 🗌 Audio Digital ✓ ▲ Auto Renewal Adult Book Physical ✓ Checkout Children ILL Items ∨ Renewal Teen  $\square$ 🗌 Kits LibOfThings Magazines

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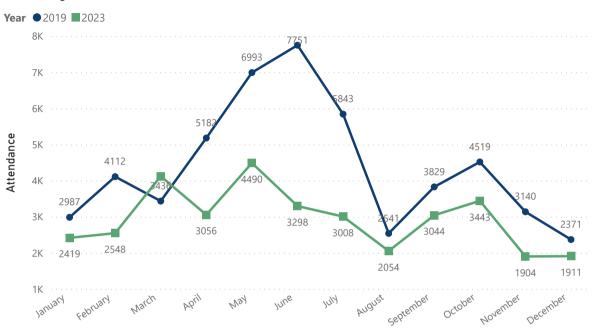
YTD % change Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

# -20.25%

YTD Circulation 2019-2023		
Year	Circulation	% Growth Year on Year
<b></b>		
± 2019	1,069,627	-4.52%
± 2020	719,653	-32.72%
± 2021	866,758	20.44%
· ± 2022	866,281	-0.06%
· ± 2023	852,985	-1.53%

Month on Month: Dec Circulation 2019-2023

Year	Circulation	% Growth Month on Month
± 2019	77,254	-6.47%
± 2020	70,078	-9.29%
± 2021	68,131	-2.78%
± 2022	65,878	-3.31%
± 2023	61,705	-6.33%



Month

#### Total Program Attendance: Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

-33.03%

#### YTD Program Attendance 2019-2023

Year	Attendance	% Growth Year on Year
± 2019	52704	-6.91%
∃ 2020	44486	-15.59%
∃ 2021	37093	-16.62%
± 2022	29547	-20.34%
± 2023	35298	19.46%

#### Month on Month: Dec Program Attendance 2019-2023

Year	Attendance	% Growth Month on Month
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± 2019	2371	2.29%
± 2020	1665	-29.78%
± 2021	2778	66.85%
± 2022	2350	-15.41%
± 2023	1911	-18.68%

#### LPL ComiCon on March 10 & 11, 2023: Estimated attendance of 901

Summer Reading Kickoff Party on May 26, 2023: Estimated attendance of 750

Halloween Trick-or-Treating at the Library on October 31, 2023: Estimated attendance of 563



#### Total Programs Presented: Pre- vs Post-Pandemic

**Year** ● 2019 ■ 2023



Month

#### Filter By Audience



# -23.02%

#### YTD No. of Programs Presented 2019-2023

Year	Total Programs Presented	% Growth in No. of Programs Presented Year On Year
± 2019	1316	3.62%
± 2020	1118	-15.05%
± 2021	1234	10.38%
± 2022	972	-21.23%
± 2023	1013	4.22%

#### Month on Month: Dec No. Of Programs Presented

Year	Total No. of Programs Presented	F	6 Growth No Programs Aonth on Aonth
± 2019		73	12.31%
± 2020		75	2.74%
± 2021		89	18.67%
± 2022		70	-21.35%
± 2023		52	-25.71%

#### Service Interactions: Pre- vs Post-Pandemic



**Online + Phone Directional** 

- **Readers Services**

NonChk Sum Interact

# -40.85%

#### YTD Service Interactions 2019-2023

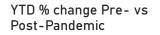
Year	YTD Service Interactions	% Growth Year on Year
± 2019	129530	-9.68%
± 2020	58607	-54.75%
± 2021	76926	31.26%
· ± 2022	81418	5.84%
± 2023	76621	-5.89%

#### Monthly: Dec Service Interactions 2019-2023

Year	Current Month Service Interactions	NonChk MO % Growth Month on Month
± 2019	8528	-15.98%
± 2020	4880	-42.78%
± 2021	6369	30.51%
± 2022	5327	-16.36%
± 2023	4401	-17.38%

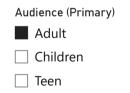


# Adult Computer Sessions Pre- vs Post-Pandemic



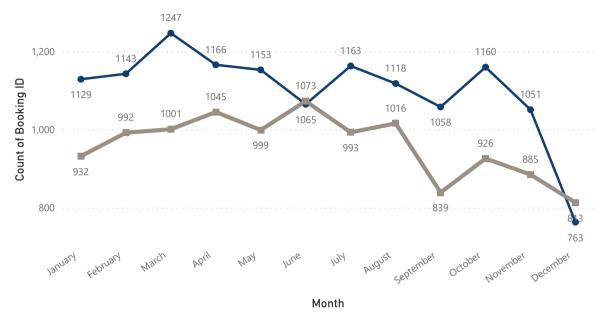
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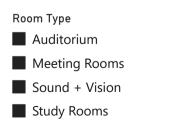


#### Public Usage of Reserveable Rooms Trend: Pre- vs. Post-Pandemic

#### Year ●2019 ■2023



Meeting Rooms reopened in June 2021



# -12.88%

YTD Boo	YTD Bookings 2019-2023		
Year	Bookings	% Growth Year On Year	
· ± 2019	13216	Infinity	
± 2020	3336	-74.76%	
± 2021	3227	-3.27%	
· ± 2022	8309	157.48%	
± 2023	11514	38.57%	

# Month on Month: Dec Bookings 2019-2023

Year	Bookings	% Growth Year On Year
± 2019	763	Infinity
± 2020	17	-74.76%
∃ 2021	393	-3.27%
± 2022	768	157.48%
± 2023	813	38.57%

# Library Director's Report for January 2024

It was so nice seeing you all at last month's meeting, my first day back at the library. It's been a busy month getting caught up and brought up to speed on what has been going on while I was away.

My sabbatical was restful and useful. I had time to read and reflect. I was able to visit some libraries in Iowa and Minnesota. I attended a National Humanities Conference. I traveled to Toronto for some in-depth work with the folks at BiblioCommons. Perhaps what was most useful to me was getting some distance from our physical plant and using our library as someone who doesn't work downtown. I got outside of the box–literally–and it helped me see things from a different perspective. I am looking forward to taking what I've learned and applying it to our path forward as a library.

My first day back coincided with the first day of our new Accountant Mary Ann LeDosquet. We are incredibly fortunate to have our retired bookkeeper Denise Berkley training Mary Ann. Things are going great. Mary Ann is an experienced accountant and has picked up how we do things around here quickly.

As you will see from our December financials, we ended the fiscal year well with revenues exceeding expenses. We will transfer money from our Capital Improvement Fund to cover most of the expenses from our Main Level Office renovations. We were able to transfer \$47,441 into our cash reserves. The rise in interest rates significantly increased the amount of interest we are earning through the Kansas Municipal Investment Pool.

2024 marks the 10th anniversary of our reimagined library. We reopened on July 26, 2014. I am looking forward to celebrating this anniversary with a refresh of some of the library's interior spaces. I am ready for a productive year achieving the goals our board has set out for me as well as moving forward our strategic plan.

Respectfully submitted by Brad Allen, January 12, 2024

# Accounts:

Standard desk, phone, book van, operations continue. Outreach was much reduced with Dottie's mechanical problems.

# Cataloging & Collection Development:

Fairly quiet end of the year. The Selectors wound up right on budget for 2023, and fiscal rollover went smoothly. Funds have been allotted to their specific lines for 2024 by the Acquisitions Technician, Dano and we're raring to go for the new year. Many of the Catalogers took some much needed time off the end of the year while things were slow. In January we'll meet to discuss the projects we'd like to tackle in 2024. Of note, we've changed our Book Club in a Bag managing platform. The new reservation and discovery system is now in operation and will be continually improved upon as our Catalogers update it.

# Collections & Technology:

Tricia attended a webinar on NPS (Net Promoter Score) presented by RIPL (Research Institute for Public Libraries) and OrangeBoy, the vendor that supports the library's NPS survey. Jacksonville Public Library presented a fantastic overview of the philosophy behind the NPS, how their library surveys its community, and how they work to convert library detractors into library promoters.

She also worked on preparing next year's statistical reports, and is coordinating with the Data Team on a new 1-page format for presenting monthly statistical data to the library board in each monthly board packet.

# Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion:

Received training on new library software in early January. Continue to map out all staff training for the year. In the new year staff interested in continuing to learn Spanish will practice with each other, but classes with Plymouth have ended.

# Facilities:

The end of the year wrap up of the Upper Level construction in the staff area did not in fact wrap up. We're very close though! Hoping B.A. Green can get us provisional occupancy in the very near future and then we can start moving in, even with a handful of odds and ends left to complete.

Took the Big Red and lil red vans in for their regular oil changes. Big Red got a clean bill of health, but lil red has some extra repair work scheduled to be done in the near future. Now we're gearing up for the new year, and hoping we don't have too much snow and salt to clean up in the coming months.

# Human Resources:

We have two new team members to celebrate - Mary Ann LeDosquet, our new Accountant, and Lindin Scott, our new Information Services Assistant. Apart from onboarding the new employees, the remaining work this past month focused on readying payroll and our HRIS system for the new year. We also received \$5,000 from NEKLS to help our employees attend PLA in Columbus, OH in April.

# Information Services:

This month Info Services happily welcomed Lindin Scott to our team. Lindin is currently a student at Haskell, and has previously worked at the Tommaney Library. We also bid a fond farewell to Yilan Zhao, who retired after 24 years of dedicated service at LPL. One notable event this month was a well-received Narcan distribution and CPR training event that Marc coordinated with DCCCA and Lawrence-Douglas County Fire & Medical.

# Information Technology:

Lending Key has launched replacing KitKeeper as our book club in a bag solution. Kim continues to work on the rollout of Quipu PITS. One training for staff has taken place and a second is scheduled for 1/17. Two new rolling AV carts have been set up for incidental programming use,

re-using 55" televisions formerly in use in the Teen Zone. A second IPEVO 360 degree camera has been ordered and will be added to the one already available at the Public Tech desk for hybrid meeting use. Coordination with R&R Communications continues related to additional security cameras and wiring work for the newly renovated office area. Sean has completed configuring three new iPad catalog stations for use in the Non-Fiction stacks. They will be put in place on or about 1/18/24. Eight additional Mitel IP phones have been ordered for use in the new office area, at desks where IP phones are required, and to allow several spare phones for future use.

# Marketing & Communications (M&C):

The Newsfeed addition to the website is gelling with three new articles synthesizing library resources in a narrative way: <u>Holiday Fun for Everyone</u>, <u>Library Legacy: Linda Clay</u>, and <u>LPL Con:</u> <u>Cosplay, Connect, and Create</u>. Newsfeed articles allow digital archiving of Library events inside the news article like outlinking to YouTube videos of <u>Kwanzaa Storytime</u>, <u>Ms. Linda's Last</u> <u>Storytime</u>, and last year's <u>LPL Con trailer</u> as part of the Strategic Plan of strengthening our website (one of the arguably most important of digital spaces.) The Spring 2024 *Reader* is in the works, aligned with the 2023 Annual Report. The theme is "LPL Yearbook." Social media is as fun as ever with fun promotions of <u>LPL Con</u> and <u>skits</u>. The LPLFF Fundraiser of "After Hours At The Library" hosts were photographed (Kevin Willmott and Deja Brooks) and the marketing and communications roll-out is in beginning stages. The planning of marketing the upcoming 10-year building anniversary in July is going well, with a completed draft of a video celebrating the history of LPL paired with compelling images of the current story we tell, hashtags, and more to help advocate for the library for years to come.

After about 5 years of using Orange Boy's Savannah direct email product, we're switching to BiblioEmail because it affords us more useful data for analysis, increased efficiency, improved personal patron information (PII) management, and total integration with our website, catalog, and events calendar as they are all part of the same Biblio "universe". Implementation will take 20 weeks and we begin the process on Wednesday, January 17, 2024. We also packaged feedback from both staff and library patrons about improving the in-house experience and reached out to Steve Vukelich at Multistudio (formerly Gould Evans, our building architects) to see if they could take on the project. The answer is yes and we meet Tuesday, January 16 to begin the process of making the entrance, lobby, and atrium more inviting and functional ahead of our 10-year anniversary on July 26.

# Materials Handling:

Lots of vacations and sickness this time of year, but the sorting cycle continues.

# Outreach:

Even with Dottie out of commission, outreach has been going strong. We had 205 interactions with folks this month, compared to 220 last month. This is with half the stops that we would typically have. Our biggest event was tabling at the Inclusive Holiday Market where we spoke with over 60 people and issued several library cards. Dottie will be going into the shop this month and will hopefully be back on the road again in February.

# **Readers Services:**

It was a relatively quiet month in terms of programming, as some of the book clubs were on holiday hiatus. We have had several finishers for the 2023 Book Squad Reading Challenge come in, with more to come over the next month. Finishers were pleased with the new Book Squad and Challenge Finisher stickers that we had on offer for prizes, plus so much lovely feedback about the year of guided reading and the assistance in finding something good to read. The 2024 challenge is on the shelves and the accompanying lists have been created in Bibliocommons.

# Security

One of our New Year's resolutions is to streamline our Lost and Found procedure. Inevitably, no one comes back for most of the items that are lost but this should make it much easier for staff to help patrons that do ask about lost items plus clearly lay out how we handle the different types of Lost and Found.

The first training for the Patron Incident Tracking System (PITS) has taken place (huge thanks to IT's Kim & Aaron!) and we have a bit more work to do before the next training on the 17th, but we're still shooting to implement it starting January 29th.

# Youth Services:

Since our last report we held our annual gingerbread house building program, celebrated the retirement of Linda Clay and the graduation of three new librarians on the Youth Services staff (Grace Pratte, Anita Patel, and Hannah Parks), welcomed our newest staff member (Mallory Pearson), and held a couple of programs for teens over the winter break. We took our typical break a majority of programs, but are starting back up again this week with storytimes and our weekly Teen Zone Expanded on Wednesdays. We're looking forward to Lauren Taylor returning this week from her parental leave and prepping for our second annual fandom convention, LPL Con, to be held in April.

# LPL Friends & Foundation Director's Report – January 12, 2024

**Preliminary Year-End Fundraising Report.** We're excited to report that the Friends & Foundation ended 2023 with strong book sale and fundraising results. Here are a few preliminary highlights:

- Book sales and fundraising brought in \$670,000 in 2023. Of that total, \$197,000 was through online and on-site book sales, and \$473,000 was through fundraising events, merchandise sales, and gifts.
- New Chapter Society gifts totaled \$88,000 in 2023. These donors give \$1,000 or more to the library.
- The year-end fundraising campaign kicked off on October 15<sup>th</sup> and brought in \$161,000 in restricted and unrestricted gifts. Preliminary reports show that December was particularly strong, with \$96,000 in donations.
- We're pleased to report that 695 donors gave to the library in 2023. Of that total, 175 were new donors and 147 were "recaptured" donors, meaning that they gave in 2021, did not give in 2022, and returned and made gifts in 2023.
- The number of donations was significantly higher in 2023, with 1,744 gifts (the total was 1,486 in 2022.) The increase is a reflection of our campaign to encourage donors to give monthly.
- We are fortunate to have very loyal donors: 54 have given for 10+ consecutive years and 145 have given consecutively for 6+ years.

**Massive Music Sale.** Get ready for another fabulous Friends & Foundation sale, this time with music! The Massive Music Sale happens on Friday, January 19 from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm, and Saturday, January 20, from noon to 4 pm in the library auditorium. Please be sure to come check out the thousands of CDs that will be for sale. All proceeds benefit your public library!

**Save the Date! LPLFF Fundraiser.** The Friends & Foundation will host its annual After Hours at the Library Fundraiser on Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> at 7 pm. We are delighted that Kevin Willmott, Lawrence's Academy Award winner, will co-host the evening with library storytime star Deja Brooks. This year's theme is "Explore Your Library." Guests will be encouraged to check out multiple areas of the building, including the SOUND+VISION Studio, the book sorter, children's activity space, and even the staff lounge -- all while enjoying live music and bites from local restaurants. In addition, we will host our famous themed basket fundraiser, as well as a special fund-a-need for a new Memory Lab in the Local History Room.

**Board Positions.** I am pleased to report that beginning this month, I will serve on the board of the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce. It will be a great opportunity to connect the library with business leaders from around Lawrence. Melissa Fisher Isaacs and I already have a meeting scheduled next week with Joshua Falleaf, the Chamber's Economic Development Director, to explore partnership possibilities. In addition to the Chamber, I will continue my role as the Chair of the 2024 Kansas Book Festival. This annual celebration of Kansas writers happens on September 28<sup>th</sup> at Washburn University in Topeka. (You don't want to miss it!)

# 2024 Library Development Grant Application *submission deadline: Friday, March 1, 2024*

We hereby apply for a Northeast Kansas Library System Library Development Grant for the year 2024 at the accreditation level indicated below.

Gateway Library	Major Service Center Level I
Linking Library	Major Service Center Level II
Service Center Level I	Major Service Center Level III
Service Center Level II	Major Resource Library

We certify that:

- 1. The library is a legally established, tax supported city or township public library located in a taxing county of the Northeast Kansas Library System.
- 2. The library meets requirements for receipt of State of Kansas grant-in-aid funds.
- 3. The library is a member of the Northeast Kansas Library System and provides service without charge to all system residents.
- 4. The library is accredited by the Northeast Kansas Library System at the level indicated in this application, and continues to meet all applicable Library Development standards, except where a waiver has been approved by the Northeast Kansas Library System.
- 5. The library board will complete a written library plan, or review an existing plan, during 2024.
- 6. This Library Development Grant application was discussed and approved at a library board meeting with a quorum of board members present.
- 7. The library has a good faith intent to meet, during the agreed time, any standard that has been waived by the Northeast Kansas Library System for 2024.

## **CERTIFIED BY:**

Library Board President

Date

Library Director

Date

Library Name

#### LIBRARY DEVELOPMENT GRANT SERVICE LEVELS

The goal of the Library Development Grant program is to strengthen library service by:

- 1. Recognizing attainment of the standards for service in the Library Development Accreditation program of the Northeast Kansas Library System.
- 2. Providing extended tax support from rural areas to municipal public libraries serving those areas.

Libraries that are accredited by the Northeast Kansas Library System and meet other eligibility requirements may qualify for the grant amount corresponding to the level of accreditation attained by the library. Therefore, a library's grant may increase or decrease in any given year. The accreditation and standards program will be reviewed regularly by the Executive Board of the Northeast Kansas Library System and revised as needed.

Gateway Library Linking Library Service Center I Service Center II Major Service Center I Major Service Center II Major Service Center III Major Resource Library

#### SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

This is the last year for the current accreditation cycle.

- (1) Review the library's service level with the library board. Determine which service level is appropriate for your library and indicate this selection on the grant application.
  - If your service level remains unchanged, you need <u>ONLY to submit this grant</u> <u>application</u> in order to apply for a 2024 Library Development Grant.
  - If you seek to move up a service level for 2024, you will need to submit this grant application <u>plus</u> the completed accreditation application. Please contact Jessi Harris at <u>jharris@nekls.org</u> if you wish to apply to move up a service level.
- (2) The library board president and library director must sign the grant application.
- (3) Scan and email the completed (and signed) 2024 Library Development Grant Application to Megan Mentzer at <u>mmentzer@nekls.org</u>



#### MEMO

To:Lawrence Public Library Board of TrusteesFrom:Heather Kearns, Marketing & Patron Experience SupervisorDate:January 10, 2024Subject:Social Media Patron Use and Community Bulletin Board Policies

To date, Lawrence Public Library has relied solely on general guidelines for both our Social Media and Community Bulletin Board practices. As discussions around the parameters of limited public forums have grown clearer, I'm recommending to the Library Board of Trustees these new public-facing policies for review. Both would live on the library's website <u>here</u>.

#### Highlights

- Common to both policies is a much-needed geographic scope that aligns with our service area — Lawrence and Douglas County. Prioritizing local audiences, content, information, and feedback helps us maximize finite bulletin board space and better serve our online community.
- The Community Bulletin Board Policy was written with the help of resources provided by the American Library Association, specifically <u>User-Initiated Exhibits, Displays, and Bulletin Boards: An Interpretation of the Library Bill of Rights</u> which states, "Libraries should have written policies that are content-neutral (do not pertain to the content of the display or to the identity, beliefs, or affiliations of the sponsors), clearly defined, and applied equally, and that address any time, place, and manner restrictions. Policies should be inclusive rather than exclusive. For example, a policy that the library's space is 'open to organizations engaged in educational, cultural, intellectual, or charitable activities' is an inclusive statement about the limited uses of the space."
- The Social Media Patron Use Policy was written with the help of resources provided by the American Library Association, specifically <u>Social Media Guidelines for Public and</u> <u>Academic Libraries</u> where it recommends defining our service area and provides insight into navigating First Amendment rights in a limited public forum setting.

#### Attachments

Social Media Patron Use Policy Community Bulletin Board Policy



# **Social Media Patron Use Policy**

Presented to the Board of Trustees: 1/15/2024. Proposed review date: 1/15/2027.

## Introduction

Lawrence Public Library (LPL) believes that robust civic engagement leads to an informed citizenry and a healthy society. For this reason, LPL engages patrons through many digital outlets, including blogs, social media sites, online networks, account-related material ratings and reviews, and other communication tools to demonstrate the value of their public library.

While we welcome anyone to engage on library-sponsored social media platforms, our primary target audiences reside in our service area of Lawrence, Kansas and the surrounding Douglas County, Kansas region.

#### **Purpose & Channels**

LPL social media platforms provide a public forum to facilitate the sharing of ideas, opinions and information about library-related subjects and issues. LPL social media platforms are intended to create a welcoming and inviting online space where users will find useful and entertaining information and can interact with LPL staff and other LPL users.

LPL-hosted social media includes blogs, podcasts, social networking sites, and other authorized channels.

## Disclaimer

Public comments expressed on LPL-hosted social media platforms do not reflect the views or positions of Lawrence Public Library, its officers, or its employees. Users should exercise their own judgment about the quality and accuracy of any information presented through social media.

## **Moderation & Engagement**

While LPL encourages an open forum, posts and comments are moderated by LPL staff. LPL reserves the right, within its sole discretion, not to post and to remove submissions or

comments that are unlawful or violate this policy. While comments will not be edited by LPL personnel, a comment may be deleted if it violates the comment policy described here.

#### **Patron Usage Agreement**

When engaging with LPL over social media, patrons agree to the following:

- 1. Comments should be related to the posted topic for LPL's social media page or post.
- 2. LPL social media accounts are not open to comments promoting or opposing any person campaigning for election to a political office, or promotion or advertisement of a business or commercial transaction.
- 3. LPL may refer to public comments made on its social media channels and/or use them for promotional purposes, however, it will not collect, sell, or knowingly transfer to any third party any personally identifiable information related to social media engagement with the library.
- 4. The use of obscene, threatening, libelous, defamatory, or harassing language is prohibited.
- 5. Imminent or true threats against the library, library staff, or other users are prohibited.
- 6. Personal attacks of any kind or comments that target or disparage any ethnic, racial, age, religious group, gender, sexual orientation, or disability status are prohibited.
- 7. Comments advocating illegal activity or copyright violations are prohibited.
- 8. You are subject to the Terms of Service (TOS) of the host site; information (photos, videos, etc.) you share with or post to official LPL pages is also subject to the TOS of the host site and may be used by the owners of the host site for their own purposes. For more information, consult the host website's TOS.
- 9. Patrons may appeal and challenge the removal of their content by contacting the LPL Executive Director and/or Deputy Director.



# **Community Bulletin Board Policy**

Presented to the Board of Trustees: 1/15/2024. Proposed review date: 1/15/2027.

# Introduction

In its goal to help meet the informational needs of the Lawrence, Kansas community, Lawrence Public Library (LPL) provides public bulletin board space for the exchange of information particular to Douglas County, Kansas as a service for the public. Posting of notices does not indicate LPL endorsement of the ideas, issues, or events promoted by those notices, nor will LPL accept responsibility for the accuracy of the statements made in such materials. LPL reserves the right to remove posts that are in violation of this policy; concerns regarding the submission process or bulletin board content should be directed to the LPL Marketing & Patron Experience Supervisor or the LPL Executive Director.

#### **Acceptable Materials**

The library supports the posting or passive distribution of materials produced by organizations that support civic engagement, cultural enrichment, nonprofit services and resources, intellectual or interpersonal development, and employment and volunteer opportunities.

## **Service Area**

To ensure content is relevant and tailored to foster community connection and engagement for the library's service area, materials are limited to information particular to Lawrence, Kansas and its surrounding Douglas County region.

# **Unacceptable Materials**

- Out of service area
- Endorsing or opposing the election of any candidate for public office
- Endorsing or opposing the adoption of federal, state, or local legislation
- Advocating fraud and unlawful actions
- Obscene content
- Threatening or harassing language, personal attacks, or messaging that targets or disparages any ethnic, racial, age, gender, religion, sexual orientation, or disability status