

Henry C. Adams Library
Board Minutes Tuesday, April 28, 2026

Members present: Amanda Burger, Beth Jacobs, Connie Johnson, Jana Oppendike, Heather Minssen, Cheryl Turner, Cindy Sibley, Kim Glassburn and Lori Sandrock. **Absent:** Nikki Weidel and Elizabeth Swatos.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by President Beth Jacobs at 7:00 PM.

Minutes: Approved as presented.

Reports: Treasurer: Elizabeth Swatos had turned in the financial report. Report approved.

Librarian: Amanda Burger reported around 50 people attended the Huck the Prairie Dog event. Kevin Kramer removed the old TV to be recycled. CPR classes will be offered in May by Sauk Valley CPR where community members can come to do required training for their jobs. Technology classes will continue with another Cricut class. We continue working with Whiteside County 4-H Extension for the Seed Sharing library system. We have garden seeds for the public and information about gardening and saving seeds. Looking for ideas for classes for adults such as Spanish. The audit with the City was good. Korevon Encarcion has left. We now have 3 part time employees.

City Council: Kim Glassburn to attended in April. Heather Minssen will attend in May. A sign up sheet was passed around for the future meetings.

Committees: Finance: None

Building: Windows were cleaned by Mirror Finish. Five estimates were presented for repair of the bathroom floors. It was decided to use Black Lion Epoxy of Sterling. An itemized bill will be presented at the next meeting.

Service & Policy: None

Old Business: None.

New Business: Motion was made by Cheryl Turner, seconded by Cindy Sibley to pay the monthly bills. Statements of Economic Interests were distributed and filled out by members. Jana Oppendike was thanked for her service on the board. Lori Sandrock was welcomed as the new board member.

Next Meeting: 7 PM on Tuesday, May 26, 2026.

Adjourned: 7:48 PM **Respectfully submitted:** Connie Johnson, Secretary