

Henry C. Adams Library
Board Minutes Tuesday, June 23, 2026

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

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Secretary Connie Johnson at 7:04 PM.

Minutes: Approved as presented.

Reports: Treasurer: Elizabeth Swatos presented the financial report. Report approved.

Librarian: Amanda Burger reported around 100 kids participated in the Summer reading program with businesses and individuals donating. We are starting a Baking class for kids and a Karaoke American Idol style competition to be held weekly. United Way of Whiteside county asked us to host the Dolly Bash for next year. We have received our per Capita grant from our IPLAR report in the amount of \$3,0308.20 and they have also awarded us a Equalization Aid Grant of \$941.93.

City Council: Cheryl Turner attended in June. Cindy Sibley to attend in July.

Committees: Finance: None

Building: The bathrooms are now finished. One Way Carpet Cleaning will clean our carpets the Sunday after Summer Reading is finished.

Service & Policy: The Statements of Economic Interest are ready to be filed at the Whiteside County Clerk.

Old Business: None.

New Business: Our Librarians have been working more hours due to the increasing popularity of our programs offered. A discussion will be held next month as to how to add additional hours. Kids have been noisy playing Roblox. If the problem continues we feel the game should be removed. Motion was made by Cheryl Turner, seconded by Cindy Sibley to pay the monthly bills.

Next Meeting: 7 PM on Tuesday, July 28, 2026.

Adjourned: 7:37 PM **Respectfully submitted:** Connie Johnson, Secretary