

Joseph H. Plumb Memorial Library
Trustee Meeting Minutes
August 25, 2022

Call to order at 5:35pm

Trustees in attendance: Kelley Medeiros (chair), Rhonda Reints (co-chair), Shauna Makuch (secretary), Kim Burt, Mike King

Guests: Charlene Belcher, Stanley Moszczenski Jr., Missy Farias, Bridget Farias, Jen Frasier, Janet Lane, Nancy Rocha, Michelle Lynds.

Vote to accept meeting minutes from August 18 deferred until September 8th meeting.

Next meeting will be held on August 26, 2022 at 5:30

Public Comment:

Charlene Belcher addressed the trustees and guests in attendance, introducing herself and her interest in being the new director of the library.

- Mike King asked some questions about reports and programs.
 - Answered: took some courses to become familiar with the reports and does know workflows.
- Rhonda Reints asked about technical experience and leadership.
 - Answered: very comfortable with technology and making relationships with the staff is very important in a leadership role.
- Jen Frasier asked about working alone.
 - Answered: comfortable but does not think it's a good idea for safety reasons and gave an example from a previous job.
- Missy Farias asked, What was the appeal about Rochester?
 - Answered: loves the small town feel
- Stanley Moszczenski asked, What makes you the better candidate?
 - Answered: Experience. Especially in customer service. I am a big believer in giving back to the community.
- Stanley also asked, What would you like to accomplish at Plumb?
 - Answered: everyone in town having a library card and community outreach.
- Missy Farias asked, How do you feel about kids (all ages)?
 - Answered: Loves being involved with kids and building relationships.
- Janet Lane asked, How are you going to handle changes?
 - Answered: I will observe, respect traditions and work with staff to make things better.
- Bridget Farias asked, How will you handle our library that is not quiet and full of life?
 - Answered: Has always worked in those environments and prefers them.

- Nancy Rocha asked, Will you build on the family environment?
 - Answered: Yes, building relationships is very important for all ages. We can do that through programs and community outreach.

Meeting adjourned at 6:20

