



ROGERS FREE LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Minutes

March 19, 2026

A meeting of the Trustees of Rogers Free Library was held on Thursday, March 19, 2026 at Rogers Free Library, Bristol RI.

Present:

Annie Silvia - Trustee | Chairperson

Samantha Faria – Trustee

Bart Ferris – Trustee

Nancy Kellner – Trustee

Cara Cromwell – Trustee

Marie Knapman – Trustee

Eileen Dyer – Library Director

Ann Kathrin Weldy - Assistant Library Director

CALL TO ORDER/ATTENDANCE/QUORUM

- Annie Silvia called the meeting to order at 6:40 pm and noted there was a quorum.

REVIEW/AMEND/APPROVE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

- Minutes of January 15, 2026 Meeting were discussed. Samantha Faria made a motion to approve the minutes.
- Bart seconded the motion and the minutes were approved.

CHAIR REPORT

- Annie Silvia delivered her Chair Report.
- Bart Ferris has agreed to take on the role of Vice President.

LIBRARY DIRECTOR REPORT

- Eileen Dyer delivered her Director Report.

FINANCIAL REPORT - Eileen Dyer

- RFL Leadership Team Report – Ann Kathrin Weldy

OLD BUSINESS

- Friends Update – Bart Ferris
- New Trustee Process – Marie Knapman
- Strategic Plan Action Plan Update – this conversation was tabled until the next meeting

NEW BUSINESS

- Annual Meeting – June 2026

PUBLIC COMMENT

NEXT MEETING DATE – April 16, 2026

Marie made a motion to adjourn, Sam seconded, adjourned 7:53pm