

Notes from the Furnishings, Art and Facilities Committee – May 2026

Members of the JKPL Furnishings, Art, and Facilities Committee are Beth Gudenkauf, Beth Derr, Melissa Kane, Alycia Willenborg, Kelly Otting, and Shirley Vonderhaar.

Shirley communicated with the committee in May via email, noting that there has not been much activity during FY26 because all of the capital funds were allocated for HVAC. However, as the fiscal year is drawing to a close, there are funds remaining in the Operating Budget that are allocated for maintenance and repairs. \$8,000 was allocated and \$2,102 has been expended. Shirley advised that she planning to utilize the funds remaining as follows. Costs are estimates:

- Office / desk chairs & floor mats - \$275
- Mice & Keyboards - \$100
- Plexiglass for Storywalk & Sandwich Boards - \$450
- Surgit to fix and update Hoffman Room equipment - \$1880
- Replace BluRay player in Hoffman Room - \$189
- Reupholster worn chairs and ottomans, working with Beth Gudenkauf - \$1,000+
- Patron counter (ours is at least 15 years old; this one will track by time of day and is bidirectional so will be more accurate and document busy / quiet times) - \$795
- Sprinkler compliance issue - \$750

Committee members agreed that this was appropriate use of funds.