

August 1, 2026

Grand Rapids Area Library Board Members  
Library Director Amy Dettmer  
Grand Rapids Area Library Board

Dear Grand Rapids Area Library Board Members and Director Dettmer,

Please accept this letter as my formal resignation from the Grand Rapids Area Library Board, effective August 1, 2026.

It has been an honor to serve on the Board and to contribute to the important work of supporting the library, its staff, and the community it serves. I am grateful for the opportunity to have worked alongside dedicated Board members and Library Director Amy Dettmer in furthering the mission and continued success of the Grand Rapids Area Library.

I appreciate the time, collaboration, and commitment shared by everyone involved, and I wish the Board, the Director, the library staff, and the Grand Rapids Area Library continued success in the years ahead.

Sincerely,

Cyndy Martin