

Nov. 15, 2021

BELMONT PUBLIC LIBRARY – LIBRARY BUILDING COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

ATTENDANCE: Stephen Sala – Jenny Fallon – Clair Colburn
Bob Schafer - Steve Engler - Kathy Keohane - Bob McLaughlin
Heli Tomford

Time of Meeting: 6:00 PM to 6:30 PM

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DATE: February 28, 2022
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DISCUSSION

- The following Library Building Committee Meeting Minutes were approved:
June 5 2019 Sept. 19 2019 Oct. 29 2019 Nov. 12 2019
March 2 2020 July 8 2021
- Library Lawn signs promoting the project have been distributed throughout the Town.
- The Library Fund Raiser ended November 1, 2021.
- A Trustee meeting was held with the Select Board on October 4. All three Select Board members endorsed the new Library project.
- A “Library Existing Condition” promotion video was developed in October.
- An “open to the public” Library tour was conducted on October 16. A ground swell of knowledge was presented to the public.
- The New Library project will be presented to the public for a vote on a debt exclusion on the November 22, 2022 ballot.
- The Temporary Library Space required during construction is being investigated. Use of School Dept. modulars are a possibility.
- The Committee is looking at sources for additional funding. CPA funding may be available in the Fall of 2022. State, Infrastructure, and Discretionary account monies may also be available.
- Gifting and Room Naming funding opportunities are also being promoted to the public.

Respectfully submitted, Stephen J. Sala, Secretary