GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY BOARD

Grand Rapids Area Library March 11, 2015 5:00 P.M.

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- 5:01 Roll call: absent
- 5:02 Public Comment (if anyone wishes to address the Board)
- 5:05 A. Approval of agenda (Packet Item A)
- 5:10 B. Minutes. (Packet Item B)
- 5:12 C. Communications

Minnesota Foundation 2014 report

- 5:15 D. Financial Report (Packet Items D1-).) Roll Call Vote Required
- 5:20 E. Staff Reports (Packet Items E__)
- 5:25 F. Old Business:
- 5:30 G. New Business:

Consent Agenda: (Any item on the consent agenda will be pulled from the consent agenda and moved to the regular agenda on request of any board member or member of the public.) **Roll Call Vote Required.**

- 1. Approve payment of late bills
 - a. Unique Management Services \$214.80
 - b. Rapids Process Equipment \$961.09 for replacing Heat Exchanger water filter parts
- 2. Approve Contracts
 - a. Linda LeGarde Grover \$200 honorarium March 19th presentation
 - b. Annie Humphrey \$200 honorarium March 30 presentation
 - c. Elaine Fleming \$200 honorarium April 16 presentation
- 3. Approve Resolution 2015-3 Accepting Donations

\$1284.14 distribution from the Minnesota Community Foundation for general support \$34.00 Grand Rapids Garden Club for *Northern Gardner* Magazine

Regular agenda

- 1. Authorize submission of 2014 annual report to MN Dept of Education
- 2. Accept proposal for installing AV equipment in meeting room.

6:00 Adjourn

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ORTHERN BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC		343.38
'AUL BUNYAN COMMUNICATIONS		244.32
PIZZA WORKS		9.99
P.U.C.		2,604.66
RECORDED BOOKS		1,349.31
SHOWCASES		1,478.25
SIM SUPPLY INC		145.89
VERIZON WIRELESS		112.46
VIKING ELECTRIC SUPPLY INC		93.96
XEROX CORPORATION		30.50
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Shannon Benolken moved to approve the financial report and payment of bills as submitted. A second was made by Randy McCarty. On a roll call vote the motion passed unanimously. **Staff Reports:**

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in April. Sue Ziege asked if the library will schedule discussion groups for the book. Director Marcia Anderson answered that none are scheduled by library, but there are some independent book groups that are either reading this book now or will in the near future. At the library, there are 30 copies in circulation and 10 more have been ordered.

Old Business: none to report

New Business:

- Consent Agenda:
 - 1. Approve payment of late bills
 - a. Unique Management Services \$134.25
 - 2. Approve Contracts: none
 - 3. Approve Resolution 2015 · 2 · Accepting Donations:
 - \$100 Suzanne Hageman: children's materials
 - \$75 Rosanne Ferguson & staff of PAN at Medtronic:undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$25 Joseph and Lorna Mix: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$25 Robert and Patricia Nordskog: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$25 Ronald and Maybeth Olson: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$25 Richard and Peggy Dillon: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$25 Katherine Dodge and Steve Downing: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$30 Vickie Rassmussen Wilcox: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
 - \$50 Jeff Burg and Patti Wilcox-Burg: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen
- \$50 Willard and Bernadine Backes: undesignated in memory of Bernadine Rassmussen Randy McCarty moved to approve the consent agenda as stated. A second was made by Abby Kuschel. On a roll call vote the motion passed unanimously.
 - Regular Agenda:
 - 1. Policy Discussion:
 - 19. Record Retention
 - 20. Protection of Property
 - 21. Petty Cash
 - 22. Emergencies

Assigned for review to Shannon Benolken, Abby Kuschel, and Jean MacDonell.

Abby Kuschel thought the policies were fine. Shannon Benolken agreed. Sue Ziege asked about the responsibility of the staff to ensure patrons are protected in an emergency situation according to the Emergencies in the Library policy (22). Marcia Anderson explained that the staff is instructed and/or trained in procedures that should be followed if a fire, tornado, or another emergency situation should occur. Sue also asked how the staff would deal with an "unbalanced" person coming into the library, and Marcia replied that the staff has been instructed on what to do in such a situation if it arises. There are panic buttons installed at each 'esk that go directly to dispatch, and there is a red emergency phone in staff area that works even if there is no power. Janet suggested language be changed to reflect the existence of policies on each of these.

Adjourn: The monthly board meeting was adjourned at 5:36 PM by Dennis Jerome.

Marcia Anderson 140 NE Second Street Grand Rapids, MN 55744

Fund Statement(s)

January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014

Confidential and Privileged Information

Enclosed are the statements for the following fund(s):

The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund (5350)

For C	luestions	Rea	ardin	a This	Statement:

Contact: Mariah I. Mousel

Title: Partner Relations Associate

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The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund (5350) of Minnesota Community Foundation

Fund Statement

January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014

Prepared on: 2/17/2015

Prepared for: Marcia Anderson Fund ID: 5350

Fund Activity	У	
Beginning Balance on January 1, 2014	\$	32,727
Investment Activity		
Interest & Dividends		535
Investment Gain/(Loss)		1,576
Disbursements		
Administrative Fees		(202)
Grants Paid		(1,284)
Investment Expenses		(113)
Ending Balance on December 31, 2014	\$	33,240
Approved Grants to be Paid (Returned)		-
Uncommitted Balance on December 31, 2014	\$	33,240

S	ummar	y of Ass	sets			
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The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund (5350) of Minnesota Community Foundation Fund Statement

January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014

There were no contributions during this statement period.

	Grants Paid (Returned)	
Paid Date	Organization	Amount
03/11/2014	Grand Rapids Public Library	\$ 1,284
-		\$ 1,284

There were no approved grants that were not yet paid during this statement period.

There were no other income or expenses during this statement period.

The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund (5350) of Minnesota Community Foundation

Fund Statement

January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014

Available to Grant Activity	
Amount Available to Grant Carried Forward From 2014	-
Available to Grant for 2015	1,284
Grants (Paid)/Returned	
Amount Available to Grant for 2015	1,284
	
Grants Scheduled to be paid January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015	_
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Uncommitted Amount Available to Grant for 2015	1,284

Future Year Grant Commitments

CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN REVENUE, EXPENDITURES, AND FUND BALANCE FOR THE TWO MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 2015

With Comparative Totals for February 28, 2014

·			_	Percent
	2014	2015	2015	of
	Actual	Actual	Budget	Budget
Fund Balance 1/1/XX:				
Cash Flow	383,238	401,900	401,900	
Compensated Absences	34,169	34,169	34,169	
Emergency/Unanticipated Expenditures	24,462	24,462	24,462	
Major Equipment Replacement	•		·	
TOTAL FUND BALANCE 1/1/XX	441,869	460,531	460,531	
Revenues:				
Taxes	_	_	612,716	0%
Intergovernmental	_	<u> </u>	127,000	0%
Charges for Services	- 787	813	11,082	7%
Fines & Forfeits	2,018	1,900	14,000	14%
Blandin Grant	2,010	1,505	14,000	0%
GR Library Foundation	_	_i	_	0%
Miscellaneous	1,844	2,069	14,400	14%
Other Sources-Operating Transfer				0%
Other Sources (Fund Balance Usage)		_	_	0%
TOTAL REVENUES	4,649	4,782	779,198	1%
Expenditures:				
Personnel	87,828	74,584	565,658	13%
Supplies/Materials	24,184	13,077	80,850	16%
Other Services/Charges	25,427	12,664	132,690	10%
Blandin Grant	-	-	· -	0%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	137,439	100,325	779,198	13%
Revenues > Expenditures	(132,790)	(95,544)	-	
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Library Foundation Grant-Capital Grant	-	-	-	0%
Capital Outlay	-	-	•	0%
Fund Balance 2/28/XX				
Cash Flow	250,448	281,865	377,409	
Compensated Absences	34,169	31,497	31,497	
Emergency/unanticipated Expenditures	24,462	51,625	51,625	
Major Equipment Replacement		- 1,525	,	
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TOTAL FUND BALANCE 2/28/XX	\$ 309,079	\$ 364,987	\$ 460,531	

The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund of Minnesota Foundation has a balance of \$33,240 as of 12/31/14. This endowment is not available for current operations.

CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY REVENUE & EXPENDITURES YEAR TO DATE THROUGH FEBRUARY 28, 2015

		2015	Year to	Percent
Account Number	Account Description	 Budget	 Date	of Budget
211-00-31-00-0100	CURRENT	\$ 612,716	\$ -	0%
211-00-31-00-0200	DELINQUENT	-	-	0%
211-00-31-00-4055	FISCAL DISPARITIES	-	-	0%
211-00-33-00-4060	SUPPLEMENTAL AID	-	-	0%
211-00-33-00-6300	LIBRARY CONTRACTS	127,000	-	0%
211-00-33-00-6310	ALS REIMBURSEMENT	-	-	0%
211-00-34-00-7960	ALS CROSS-OVERS	6,282	-	0%
211-00-34-00-7970	PHOTO COPIES	1,600	233	15%
211-00-34-00-7975	INTERNET	3,000	560	19%
211-00-34-00-7980	LIBRARY FEES-PROCTORING	200	20	10%
211-00-35-00-1030	LIBRARY FINES	14,000	1,900	14%
211-00-37-00-2310	DONATIONS	2,000	-	0%
211-00-37-00-2320	DONATIONS-MEMORIAL BOOKS	1,000	375	38%
211-00-37-00-2336	DONATIONS-CHILDRENS LIBRARY	-	13 4	0%
211-00-37-00-2337	DONATION-LIBRARY PROGRAMS	2,300	-	0%
211-00-37-00-2365	ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME	1,300	-	0%
211-00-37-00-2367	GRAND RAPIDS LIBRARY FOUNDATIN	-	-	0%
211-00-37-00-2375	MEETING ROOM RECEIPTS	3,400	1,128	33%
211-00-37-00-2450	MISCELLANEOUS	1,900	432	23%
211-00-37-00-5100	INVESTMENT INCOME	2,500	-	0%
211-00-39-00-5010	SALES OF GENL FIXED ASSETS	-	-	0%
211-00-39-00-5030	OPERATING TRANSFERS IN	 -	 	0%
	TOTAL REVENUE	779,198	4,782	1%
211-00-39-00-5500	FUND BALANCE USAGE	-	-	0%
211-00-75-00-7200	OPERATING TRANSFER OUT	-	-	0%
211-00-75-10-1010	SALARY-FULL TIME	322,998	42,530	13%
211-00-75-10-1030	SALARY-PARTTIME	103,724	7,744	7%
211-00-75-10-1050	CONTRACTED SERVICES	3,200	363	11%
211-00-75-10-1210	PERA	32,004	3,801	12%
211-00-75-10-1220	FICA	26,457	2,926	11%
211-00-75-10-1250	MEDICARE	6,187	684	11%
211-00-75-10-1310	HEALTH INSURANCE	66,285	15,855	24%
211-00-75-10-1330	LIFE INSURANCE	246	35	14%
211-00-75-10-1335	DENTAL INSURANCE	1,857	282	15%
211-00-75-10-1347	VISION INSURANCE	-	1	0%
211-00-75-10-1510	WORKERS COMPENSATION	2,700	361	13%
211-00-75-20-2010	OFFICE SUPPLIES	6,000	3,515	59%
211-00-75-20-2020	COPY SUPPLIES	800	315	39%
211-00-75-20-2030	PRINTING/BINDING	600	-	0%
211-00-75-20-2060	COMPUTER SUPPLIES	4,000	250	6%
211-00-75-20-2070	COMPUTER INVENTORY	3,000	-	0%
211-00-75-20-2090	INVENTORIAL SUPPLIES	1,000	-	0%
211-00-75-20-2095	VOLUNTEER PRGM SUP & MATERIALS	350	-	0%
211-00-75-20-2100	OPERATING SUPPLIES	2,000	149	7%
211-00-75-20-2110	BOOKS	42,000	5,728	14%
211-00-75-20-2120	AUDIO/VISUAL	9,000	2,007	22%
211-00-75-20-2130	NEWSPAPERS	1,000	644	64%
211-00-75-20-2140	PERIODICALS	8,000	23	0%
211-00-75-20-2150	MAINTENANCE TOOLS/SUPPLIES	2,500	446	18%
211-00-75-20-2190	OTHER SUPPLIES/MATERIALS	300	-	0%
211-00-75-20-2210	EQUIPMENT PARTS	300	-	0%

CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY REVENUE & EXPENDITURES YEAR TO DATE THROUGH FEBRUARY 28, 2015

		2015	Year to	Percent
Account Number	Account Description	Budget	Date	of Budget
211-00-75-30-3000	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	100	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3010	ACCOUNTING SERVICES	800	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3070	LAUNDRY	480	84	17%
211-00-75-30-3090	JANITORIAL SERVICES	20,400	3,400	17%
211-00-75-30-3100	OTHER CONTRACTED SERVICES	6,000	10	0%
211-00-75-30-3210	TELEPHONE	6,500	780	12%
211-00-75-30-3220	POSTAGE/FREIGHT	500	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3230	SEMINAR/MEETINGS/SCHOOL	1,000	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3255	STAFF TRAINING	500	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3260	COMMUNITY ED PROMOTION	200	238	119%
211-00-75-30-3300	PROFESSIONAL SERV-COLLECTIONS	2,500	134	5%
211-00-75-30-3310	AUTO MILEAGE/TRAVEL	60	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3510	PUBLISHING & ADVERTISING	500	-	0%
211-00-75-30-3610	GENERAL INSURANCE	9,000	1,713	19%
211-00-75-30-3810	ELECTRICITY	36,000	2,323	6%
211-00-75-30-3840	GARBAGE REMOVAL	1,800	473	26%
211-00-75-30-3860	HEAT-NATURAL GAS	4,000	781	20%
211-00-75-30-4000	MAINTENANCE CONTRACTS	6,000	-	0%
211-00-75-30-4010	BUILDING MAINT/REPAIRS	15,000	565	4%
211-00-75-30-4015	GROUNDS MAINTENANCE	1,000	-	0%
211-00-75-30-4020	COMPUTER MAINT/REPAIR	9,000	-	0%
211-00-75-30-4030	ONLINE SERVICES	3,000	-	0%
211-00-75-30-4070	GENERAL EQUIP MAINT/REPAIR	6,000	2,102	35%
211-00-75-30-4100	EQUIPMENT LEASES	1,900	61	3%
211-00-75-30-4300	MISCELLANEOUS	50	-	0%
211-00-75-30-4330	DUES & SUBCRIPTIONS	300	-	0%
211-00-75-30-4545	INTERLIBRARY LOAN CHARGES	100_	<u> </u>	0%
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	779,198	100,325	13%
	SURPLUS REVENUES/(EXPENDITURES)		(95,544)	

DATE: 03/05/2015 TIME: 11:19:51 ID: GL470004.WOW	CI' DETAILED I MONTH & YID ACTUAL FOR 2 PERIODS	TY OF GRAND RAPIDS REVENUE & EXPENSE WITH OUTSTANDING ENDING FEBRUARY	REPORT ENCUMBRANCES 28, 2015		PAGE: F-YR:	1 1 1 2
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REVENUES						
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211-00-33-00-6300 LIBRARY CONTRACTS	00.0	127,00	0.00	00.0	127,000.00	0
211-00-33-00-6310 ALS REIMBURSEMENT	0.00	0	00.0	00.00		0
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CHARGES FOR SERVICES						
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211-00-34-00-7970 PHOTO COPIES	115.31	, t	232.97	00.0	367	15
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211-00-34-00-7985 POSTAGE REIMBURSEMENTS-TESTS	00.00	0.00	00.0	0.00	00.0	0
066/-00-45-00-11			00.0			0
TOTAL TOTAL CHARGES FOR SERVICES	384.29 384.29	11,082.00 11,082.00	812.84 812.84	0.00		7 7
FINES & FORFEITS						

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TOTAL FINES & FORFEITS	21	0.000	,900.3	00.0	99.6	14
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE						
211-00-37-00-2310 DONATIONS	00.00	2.000.00	00.00	00.0	2.000.00	C
	275.00	1,000.00		0.00	525.	38
211-00-37-00-2336 DONATIONS-CHILDRENS LIBRARY	00.00		133.98	00.0	~~	100
211-00-37-00-2337 DONATION-LIBRARY PROGRAMS	0.00	300,	0.00	0.00		0
211-00-37-00-2365 ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME	0.00	1,300.00	00.00	00.0		0 0
211-00-37-00-236 BIG READ GRANT	0000	00.00	00.0	00.0	00.0	- c
211-00-37-00-2375 MEETING ROOM RECEIPTS	617.50	3,400.00	1,127.50	00.0	2,272.50	33
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OTHER SOURCES				,		
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Director's Report March

Agenda Items:

Contracts: Grover, Humphrey and Fleming are all appearing as part of the Rapids Reads program. The Library Foundation has agreed to underwrite Rapids Reads up to \$1400, a very welcome gesture of support.

Annual Report:

We are required to file an annual report with the MN Department of Education that provides details on budgets, collections and public services. A draft is attached for your approval. This has been reviewed by ALS staff to ensure all of the transfers between us and the regional library system are recorded in the proper revenue and expenditure lines. This has 2014 numbers as well as 2013. The report must be filed by April 1, so after the Library Board approves the report, I will click the "submit" button and ask DJ to sign the transmittal form. I will then email you a final version to keep. I will shortly send you a draft of the annual report brochure prepared for public use. This is in the final stages of preparation.

AV proposal: I sent a request for proposal for installing AV equipment to 2 local companies, Wicklund Productions and 21st Century Electronics. I requested that they be returned by March 9, so you have them to review at the Board meeting. I will send copies as soon as I receive them.

The Library Foundation and the Friends of the Library have pledged to support this project.

Coffee with the Mayor and Administrator

This will continue for March. It will be repeated at 11:00 am on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of March

Conversation with County re library funding issues

Jim Weikum of ALS and I are scheduled to meet with Trish Klein, Itasca County Administrator, on Weds. Feb 11 to continue the discussion I will report feedback at the board meeting. The discussion is about the discrepancy in the levels of funding by City residents and non-residents for library services.

Solar Project

Julie Kennedy, City Engineer, had a meeting with IRRRB to talk about projects the City is undertaking, and completing the solar project was on the list of topics. The small group formed to move this project forward is meeting again on Monday, March 9 to discuss future actions.

Eholt Bequest update

The attorney for the estate left a message in late February saying the sale of the house was closing. He said it would take several weeks to do a final accounting for the estate and make sure all of the claims were paid. A distribution will occur after all claims are settled.

Rapids Reads

The kick-off for Rapids Reads is a talk by the author, Linda LeGarde Grover on March 19. Other programs include songs and stories by Anne Dunn and Annie Humphrey on March 30 and a talk on

April 16 by Elaine Fleming of the Leech Lake Tribal College putting the book into historical context. We have a supply of books for check out.

Peeps Diorama returns!

We are hosting the 3rd annual peeps diorama contest through March 30. As before, it is divided into age categories.

Standardized loan periods and fines

There are now 10 libraries who have agreed to participate in these uniform policies. Changes still need to be made in the Horizon catalog before we can start to make changes at the Library level. Once the policies are in place, a bookmark will be distributed with information about the changes and the libraries participating.

Assistant Director Report March 2015

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Teen Advisory Board Tuesday, February 24

Members present: Paige C., Desiree R., Emi S.

Members found books in the YA collection they like and would recommend to teens. I will make a book display which highlights the recommendations. Members looked at lists of books and gave suggestions for titles to purchase.

Teen room drawing had 5 participants. Gabriel H. was the winner. The exciting thing about Gabriel winning is I have no idea who he is. Perhaps a new library user?

Teen winter reading finished February 14. This year saw one of the biggest number of participants. There were 41 that read 700 pages and 34 that read 1500. One of the sixth grade teachers let her students know about the program and she had quite a few participate. Last week one of her students came in to collect her prize. Her mom and brother came in, too. The mom said they had never been to the library before. All three left with library cards!

February Anime Club had 5 participants. We watched three episodes of Case Closed. The last 20 minutes we just talked which was great because those in attendance made some connections.

Operations

Will talked with Ruth Stahler and she agreed to put some of her woodcarvings in the lobby display case.

Tyill found a nice display of carving books from our collection and added to the case.

The Friends of the Library Board met on Monday, March 2. The Friends are working on a fundraiser for 2016. It is an author signature quilt. They emailed Minnesota authors to inquire if they would be interested in including their signature which will then be embroidered on a quilt square. So far 13 authors have sent their signatures including William Kent Krueger and Brian Freeman! The Friends will work with Helen from Loon Country Quilters to put all the signatures and other squares together to create a wall hanging. The Friends annual meeting will be held June 9 in the community room. The program will be about the genesis of the Friends Bookstore.

The Library Foundation Board met Thursday, Feb. 26. The Foundation is gearing up for a another great fundraiser this summer. They are ordering 300 small canvases which artists will paint. The canvases will be sold at an event in August. I'm a little murky on the details but rest assured it will be a great event and fundraiser!

Staff

Will received his Certificate of Completion NFPA 1001 FF1 & FF2 and is credentialed by Minnesota Fire Service Certification Board. Because of the credentials he was promoted from Firefighter-trainee to Firefighter. He is 1 of 4 full-time City of Grand Rapids employees serving with the Fire Department – vital to daytime response.

I am the staff liaison for the City's Arts and Culture Commission. In June 2014 the commission brought in three consultants to develop recommendations for developing arts and culture in Grand Rapids. The final aft has been completed. It will be brought to the City Council on Monday, March 9 to (hopefully) be adopted by Council.

Tracy and John are now officially full-time!

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Children's Library Summary February 2015

The winter reading program has ended and I can report that 340 boys and girls signed up to participate, with 158 completing the program and choosing a brand-new free book to keep. That is a return of about 46%, down just a bit from previous years. Our prize books are provided in part by the Friends of the Grand Rapids Area Library, supplemented by donations of quality books from some of our patrons.

Visitors in February included students from the RJEMS Special Education class. We were expecting visits from Cass Lake Headstart, and Mrs. Roy-Dahline's fourth grade from Southwest – who walk to the library; but health issues and weather kept those groups away.

Our summer reading program information is already on its way to Community Ed. The summer Youth brochure won't come out till late May, but we do get 3 chances to proofread before the final printing. I'm pleased to say that we have at least one special event/activity scheduled for each of the ten weeks of summer reading. That does not include Summer Monday Booktime or Saturday Storytimes. If you ever have questions or suggestions about our programming, please stop by the Children's library or send us an email.

On Tuesday, February 17 at 3:30p, the artists of the Creativity Tank were here to guide 30 participants as they personalized bookends with yarnbombing, glitter pens, and more!

Thursday, February 26, Tracy Kampa made a presentation to the Library Foundation board regarding desired upgrades to the Children's Library to better accommodate mid-grade patrons, or as Tracy likes to call them, "our mid-kids." New "cool" tables and chairs, along with iPads, and craft supplies are included in the plans. Rearranging existing shelving and bins to create a "mid-kid" space is also anticipated. Tracy's husband, John, has spent a few hours here, measuring existing space and furnishings to create a lovely floor plan with movable pieces to allow us to visualize our options.

Our February Family Movie Night featured "Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day!" Thirteen children and adults attended. This is a cute movie, but I hope they paid author Judith Viorst a boatload of money to use her book title, since the movie has very little to do with her picture book by the same name.

Looking Ahead:

• Thursday, March 26 @ 6:00 p, Family Movie Night presents "Big Hero 6," which just won the Oscar for Best Animated Feature. All ages are invited. Bring dinner or a snack to enjoy while you watch the movie on the big screen. Pillows are also welcome.

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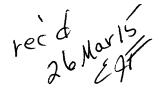
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Incorrect Addresses	:	185	Dollars in Skips	:	14,305.81	Dollars Waived	:	6,935.33
Patron Disputes/Suspends	:	0	Dollars in Dispute	:	0.00	Total Activated	:	36,154.40
Accounts in Process	:	663	Dollars in Process	:	55,280.14	% of Dollars Activated	:	65.40%

of Accounts Activated : 390
% of Accounts Activated : 58.82%



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March 11, 2015

Elaine Fleming PO Box 982 Cass Lake MN 56633

Dear Ms Fleming:

I am pleased that you will be leading a presentation: *Ojibwe, The Shining People: A Cultural and Historical Context*, for the Grand Rapids Area Library on April 16 at 6:00 pm as part of our community read project. Please let me know if you have any audio visual or set up needs library staff should be aware of.

The Library will pay you an honorarium of \$200 for your appearance. If these arrangements are agreeable, please sign below and complete and return one copy of each of the enclosed forms to help us in processing the paperwork for your payment. I understand you have agreed to allow ICTV to tape your show for playing over their cable access channels.

My e-mail is: <u>manderson@ci.grand-rapids.mn.us</u>. Don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions or concerns about the arrangements for your program.

Sincerely,

Marcia Anderson Library Director

Enc: W-9 form, ICTV release form

These terms are acceptable:

Signature

Approved for the Board of Directors:

Board President

Date

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Linda Grover 3227 Celia St. Duluth MN 55811

Dear Ms Grover:

I am pleased that you will be leading a presentation about your book Return to Sweetgrass" for the Grand Rapids Area Library on March 19 at 6:00 pm Please let me know if you have any audio visual or set up needs library staff should be aware of.

If you wish to bring copies of your book to sell please free to do so.

The Library will pay you an honorarium of \$200 for your appearance. If these arrangements are agreeable, please sign below and complete and return one copy of each of the enclosed forms to help us in processing the paperwork for your payment. I understand you have agreed to allow ICTV to tape your show for playing over their cable access channels.

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March 11, 2015

Annie Humphrey PO Box 591 Deer River MN 56636

Dear Ms Humphry:

I am pleased that you will be leading a presentation with Anne Dunn "Songs & Stories of the Ojibwe, for the Grand Rapids Area Library on Monday, March 30 at 6:00 pm as part of our community read project. Please let me know if you have any audio visual or set up needs library staff should be aware of.

Will need Small
PA system, I mic
Stand and I mic

If you wish to bring copies of your books and CDs to sell please free to do so.

The Library will pay you an honorarium of \$200 for your appearance. If these arrangements are agreeable, please sign below and complete and return one copy of each of the enclosed forms to help us in processing the paperwork for your payment. I understand you have agreed to allow ICTV to tape your show for playing over their cable access channels.

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Board President

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Board member Abby Kuschel introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-03 A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING DONATIONS

WHEREAS, Minnesota State Statutes 465.03, states that cities may accept gifts of real or personal property, including money, and use them in accordance with the terms the donor prescribes, and

WHEREAS, every such acceptance shall be by resolution of the governing body adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Library Board of the City of Grand Rapids, Itasca County, Minnesota, accepts the listed donations and terms of the donors as follows:

\$1284.14 distribution from the Minnesota Community Foundation for general support \$34.00 Grand Rapids Garden Club for *Northern Gardner* Magazine

Adopted this 11th day of March 2015

Dennis Jerome, President

Abby Kuschel, Secretary

Board member 542 Zeige seconded the foregoing resolution and the following voted in favor thereof: Janet Neuranter, Mary Helen Haarklaw Dennis Terome, Randy Mc Carty, Max Peters, Jean Mac Donnell

And the following voted against same:

And the following abstained:

Whereby the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

2015 Library Board

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Left the Board in 2014

Dave Yankowiak John Soll

Library Foundation

Kathy McCarty, President

Friends of the Library

Carol Steele, President

Bonnie Henriksen Marcia Anderson Michelle Johnson Faye Chessmen Amy Dettmer Tracy Kampa Darla Kirwin John Nalan Will Richter



Mission:

The Grand Rapids Area Library environment that builds a connected, informed and engaged community. fosters a welcoming

Funded by the City of Grand Rapids: Supported in part by the cities and

townships of:

Cohasset Arbo Harris

Blackberry

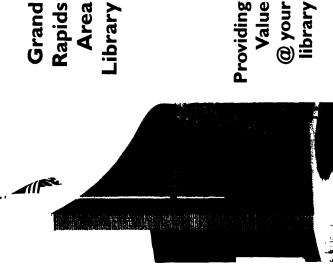
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Library Hours:

9:00 am—5:00 pm Mon.—Thurs. 9:00 am—7:00 pm 10:00 am—2:00 pm Closed Sundays and Holidays Saturday

Report to our 2014 Annual Community



Area Rapids

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Providing Value @ your library

Grand Rapids, Minnesota 55744 218-326-7640 **I40 NE 2nd Street**

www.cityofgrandrapidsmn.com/library

Major Accomplishments in 2014

Completed 2014-2017 strategic plan.

Diverse mix of Library programs for adults, teens, and children served over 10,000.

The redesigned Library webpage was the most visited on the new City of Grand Rapids website.

Hosted the kickoff for the Northern Minnesota tour of the 'Why Treaties Matter' exhibit.

Teen Anime Club established and growing.

Saturday Story Times is offered year-round and remained wildly popular. (Funding provided by the Grand Rapids Area Library Foundation.)

Held an ongoing series of beginner computer classes in conjunction with ISD 318 Community Education.

Rapids Reads Community Read was headlined by Atina Diffley, author of 'Turn Here Sweet Corn'.

Children's Summer and Winter Reading Programs, supported by the Friends of the Library, set new participation and completion records.

Participation in National Novel Writing Month encouraged writers to begin or complete a novel.

Collaborated with MacRostie Art Center to hold a series of summer art workshops for kids.

First annual Battle of the Bands (Prizes furnished by Friends of the Library.)

Summer Film Series Indies on Tuesdays was held in collaboration with the Reif Center. 10 award-winning Independent films were shown.

The MN Legacy Fund provided funding for arts and cultural programming including poetry, photography workshops, art workshops for children, and passes to local and regional events and attractions.

Riverfront Energy Center utilized wastewater heat from the UPM-Kymmene plant to heat the library.

Value of Library Services Provided in 2014

Books Borrowed	\$1,897,410
Magazines Borrowed	\$18,486
Videos/DVDs Borrowed	\$122,576
 Books on Tape/CDs Borrowed	\$62,150
eBooks/Audiobooks Downloaded	\$242,400
People Attended Adult Programs	\$25,410
People Attended Children's	\$48,816
Hours of Computer Use, e.g., Internet and MS Word	\$126,552
Museum/event passes given out	\$16,700
Reference Questions Answered	\$63,686
Total Value \$2,624,186	\$2,624,186

Total operating expenditure for the library was \$764,023

How the Library is Funded:

City of Grand Rapids \approx 77% = \$602,491 ltasca County: Surrounding cities and townships \approx 16.3% = \$127,419 Grants, donations, fines, fees \approx 6.7% = \$52,700 Library Funding Sources

City

County

2014 by the numbers

- 132,300 people visited the Grand Rapids Area Library during 2,598 open hours (an average of 51 people each hour 2,544/week),
- 10,677 children, teens and adults attended 285 library programs
- **457** community meetings or programs were held in our meeting rooms
- 14,690 residents of our service area held library cards
- 15,104 sessions on the public internet computers as well as significant use of the free wi-fi service
- 172,438 items were checked out of the library
- 16,160 ebooks and audiobooks were downloaded
- **6,608** items were added to the collection
- 1,143 children participated in the summer and winter reading programs
- **635** Baby Steps coupons were given away
- 2,996 hours contributed by Volunteers
- - The library collection consists of:
- 69,141 books and magazines
- 2,851 audio materials
- 3,012 videocassettes and DVDs
- 169 print magazine and newspaper subscriptions

Available through the Library's Web Site:

- 9,672 downloadable ebooks (Overdrive)
- 8,108 downloadable audio books (Overdrive)
- 101 electronic magazines (Zinio)
- 53 databases
- Online picture books (Tumblebooks)