## GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY BOARD Grand Rapids Area Library <br> May 9 5:00 P.M. <br> DRAFT

5:00 Call to order
5:01 Roll call: Benolken Absent
5:05 A. Approval of agenda (Packet Item A)
5:10 B. Minutes. (Packet Item B)
5:12 C. Communications
Minnesota Community Foundation quarterly statement Showing net gain for first quarter of $\$ 524$
5:15 D. Financial Report (Packet Items D1-) . Roll Call Vote Required
5:20 E. Staff Reports (Packet Items E $\qquad$
5:25 F. Old Business:
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
2. Approve Contracts
a. Lake Superior Zoo $\$ 165$ June $7^{\text {th }} 2$ programs
b. Samuel Miltich/Clearwater Hot Club $\$ 400$ July $12{ }^{\text {th }}$
c. Ellen Sandbeck $\$ 250$ May $\mathbf{1 6}^{\text {th }}$
3. Approve Resolution Accepting Donations
a. Friends of the Library $\$ 294$ Book Page subscription
b. Library Foundation $\$ 1020$ Summer Saturday Story Time

Regular agenda

1. Authorization to submit grant application to Blandin Foundation for programming.
2. Appoint ad-hoc Technology Planning Committee
3. Appoint ad-hoc Budget Committee

6:00 Adjourn.

# GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY BOARD <br> REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING <br> GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY <br> April 11, 2012 

Members present: Shannon Benolken, Vicky Harding, , Dennis Jerome, Max Peters, John Soll, Cheryl Stephens, David Yankowiak

Member absent: Jemma Baker, Abby Kuschel
Non-Member present: Marcia Anderson - Director
Meeting called to order at 5:00 pm by Dennis Jerome.
A. Agenda -

Shannon Benolken made a motion to approve the agenda. John Soll seconded the motion. The motion carried.
Michelle Johnson, union steward, represented the union in a brief conversation about Saturday hours during the summer.
B. Approval of Minutes -

Cheryl Stephens made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 14, 2012 meeting. Vicki Harding seconded the motion. The motion passed.
C. Communications -

1. none
D. Financial Report -

Cheryl Stephens made a motion to accept the financial report as presented. John Soll seconded the motion. Roll call vote taken: 7 AYES, 0 NAYS. The motion carried unanimously.
INVOICES DUE ON/BEFORE 04/11/2012
AMERIPRIDE LINEN \& APPAREL 34.60
ARROWHEAD LIBRARY SYSTEM 65.88
BAKER \& TAYLOR, INC $1,875.79$
BUSY BEES QUALITY CLEANING $1,700.00$
CDW GOVERNMENT INC 76.62

COLE HARDWARE INC 114.70
DIVERSE MEDIA INC 25.44
BONNIE HENRIKSEN 15.76
JUNIOR LIBRARY GUILD 84.00
DARLA KIRWIN 118.57
LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES INC 2,090.55
NARDINI FIRE EQUIPMENT CO. INC 38.40
NORTHERN BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC 250.21
NORTHLAND MACHINES 70.00
PERSONNEL DYNAMICS, LLC 54.00
PHAROS SYSTEMS INT'L INC 939.00
PIZZA WORKS 11.99
SIM SUPPLY INC 311.11
VIKING ELECTRIC SUPPLY INC 172.20
THE VILLAGE BOOK STORE 79.93
WEST PUBLISHING COMPANY ..... 268.00
XEROX CORPORATION ..... 98.87
TOTAL 8,495.62
CHECKS ISSUED-PRIOR APPROVAL
PRIOR APPROVALMARCIA ANDERSON101.13
BLUE CROSS \& BLUE SHIELD OF MN ..... 3,779.50
DELTA DENTAL OF MINNESOTA ..... 228.15
FIDELITY SECURITY LIFE INS CO ..... 11.27
FRANTZ GRAPHIC SERVICE ..... 4,375.00
GRAND RAPIDS CITY PAYROLL ..... 36,132.54
LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE ..... 90.70
MINNESOTA ENERGY RESOURCES ..... 511.91
MINNESOTA SALES \& USE TAX ..... 38.19
NEXTERA COMMUNICATIONS LLC ..... 131.85
PAUL BUNYAN TELEPHONE ..... 244.77
PIONEER MUTUAL LIFE INS CO ..... 20.50
PITNEY BOWES ..... 143.34
P.U.C. ..... 2,823.99
TDS Metrocom ..... 234.47
VERIZON WIRELESS ..... 270.58
WASTE MANAGEMENT ..... 107.62
TOTAL PRIOR APPROVAL ..... 49,245.51
Total All Vendors ..... 57.741.13
E. Staff Reports reviewed
F. Old Business -

Brief discussion of ALS/NCLC merger. No questions or concerns raised.
G. New Business -

Consent Agenda -
Cheryl Stephens made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. John Soll seconded the motion. Roll call vote taken: 8 AYES, 0 NAYS. The motion carried unanimously.

1. Approve payment of late bills:
none
2. Approve Contracts:
none
3. Approve Resolution 2012-4 Accepting Donations:

> a. Public Utilities Commission $\$ 5000$ for Education portion of Riverfront Energy Center

## Regular agenda

1. Max Peters moved to approve Resolution 2012-5 Setting summer hours. Dave Yankowiak seconded. The motion was approved unanimously.
a. (same schedule as winter 2012 except closed May 26 and Sept. 1)

The meeting was adjourned at $5: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ to begin the annual strategic plan review.

Board member Cheryl stepheus introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-4
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:

## a. Public Utilities Commission $\mathbf{\$ 5 0 0 0}$ for Education portion of Riverfront Energy Center

Adopted this 11th day of April 2012


Dennis Jerome, President

Board member Johw Soll seconded the foregoing resolution and the following voted in favor thereof: ShRwnow Bewolkew, ViCky HARDINGG, Denvis Jerome, Max Peters, lohw Soli, Cheryl Stephens, David Yankowiak

And the following voted against same: NoNe
And the following abstained: Nowe
Whereby the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

Board member May PeteRS introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

## RESOLUTION NO. 2012-5

A resolution setting summer hours, 2012

WHEREAS, The Library Board sets the open hours for the library, and
WHEREAS, the Library Board recognizes that the hours of work of union staff members at the library are dependent upon the schedule of open hours, and

WHEARAS, the Union Contract, Section 6.8 -Additional Saturdays - Sundays states: Without waiving the Employer's authority to determine and modify employee work schedules pursuant Section 6.1, the Employer will meet and confer with the Union before scheduling bargaining unit employees to work Sundays or summer Saturdays,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, having conferred with a union representative, the Board of the Grand Rapids Area Library establishes the following hours for summer, 2012: Summer schedule will remain the same as winter schedule 2012.

Monday-Thursday: 9 adm. -7 ppm.
Friday: $\quad 9$ am. -5 p.m.
Saturday:
10 a.m. - 2 ppm.
Except Library Closed:
Saturday, May 26 (Memorial Day Weekend)
Saturday, September 1 (Labor Day Weekend)

Adopted this $11^{\text {th }}$ Day of April, 2012.


Board memberpseconded the foregoing resolution and the following voted in favor thereof:

| CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY |  |  |  |  |
| SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN REVENUE, EXPENDITURES, AND FUND BALANCE FOR THE FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 2012 With Comparative Totals for April 30, 2011 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | Percent |
|  | $2011$ <br> Actual | $\begin{gathered} \hline \hline 2012 \\ \text { Actual } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | 2012 <br> Budget | of Budget |
| Fund Balance 1/1/XX: |  |  |  |  |
| Cash Flow | 546,220 | 328,858 | 328,858 |  |
| Compensated Absences | 29,153 | 31,497 | 31,497 |  |
| Emergency/unanticipated Expenditures | 53,546 | 51,625 | 51,625 |  |
| Major Equipment Replacement | 61,195 | 14,203 | 14,203 |  |
| TOTAL FUND BALANCE 1/1/XX | 690,114 | 426,183 | 426,183 |  |
| Revenues: |  |  |  |  |
| Taxes | - | - | 524,716 | 0\% |
| Intergovernmental | - |  | 133,000 | 0\% |
| Charges for Services | 9,623 | 1,640 | 11,182 | 15\% |
| Fines \& Forfeits | 4,328 | 4,148 | 15,000 | 28\% |
| Blandin Grant | 379 |  |  | 0\% |
| GR Library Foundation | 3,930 | 5,030 | - | 0\% |
| Miscellaneous | 4,445 | 39,345 | 18,700 | 210\% |
| Other Sources-Operating Transfer | 18,309 |  | - | 0\% |
| Other Sources (Fund Balance Usage) |  |  | 34,906 | 0\% |
| TOTAL REVENUES | 41,014 | 50,163 | 737,504 | 7\% |
| Expenditures: |  |  |  |  |
| Personnel | 169,032 | 168,173 | 509,294 | 33\% |
| Supplies/Materials | 36,829 | 27,430 | 86,700 | 32\% |
| Other Services/Charges | 56,250 | 33,533 | 141,510 | 24\% |
| Blandin Grant | 1,527 |  | - | 0\% |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | 263,638 | 229,136 | 737,504 | 31\% |
| Revenues > Expenditures | $(222,624)$ | $(178,973)$ | - |  |
| Blandin Grant-Capital Grant | 100,000 | - | - | 0\% |
| Capital Outlay | 135,024 | 16,968 | - | 0\% |
| Fund Balance 4/30/XX |  |  |  |  |
| Cash Flow | 288,572 | 132,917 | 328,858 |  |
| Compensated Absences | 29,153 | 31,497 | 31,497 |  |
| Emergency/unanticipated Expenditures | 53,546 | 51,625 | 51,625 |  |
| Major Equipment Replacement | 61,195 | 14,203 | 14,203 |  |
| TOTAL FUND BALANCE 4/30/XX | \$ 432,466 | \$ 230,242 | \$ 426,183 |  |

The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund of Minnesota Foundation has a balance of $\$ 28,484$ as of $03 / 31 / 11$. This endowment is not available for current operations.

## CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS

GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY REVENUE \& EXPENDITURES YEAR TO DATE THROUGH APRIL 30, 2012

| Account Number | Account Description |  | 2012 <br> Budget |  | Year to Date | Percent of Budget |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 211-00-31-00-0100 | CURRENT | \$ | 524,716 | \$ | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-31-00-0200 | DELINQUENT |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-31-00-4055 | FISCAL DISPARITIES |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-31-00-9100 | PENALTIES \& INTEREST-DELINQUEN |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-33-00-0210 | ANNEXATION |  |  |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-33-00-4025 | MARKET VALUE HOMESTEAD CREDIT |  |  |  |  | 0\% |
| 211-00-33-00-4060 | SUPPLEMENTAL AID |  |  |  |  | 0\% |
| 211-00-33-00-4250 | STATE OF MINNESOTA |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-33-00-6300 | LIBRARY CONTRACTS |  | 133,000 |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-33-00-6310 | ALS REIMBURSEMENT |  | 6,282 |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-34-00-7960 | ALS CROSS-OVERS |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-34-00-7970 | PHOTO COPIES |  | 1,900 |  | 591 | 31\% |
| 211-00-34-00-7975 | INTERNET |  | 3,000 |  | 1,049 | 35\% |
| 211-00-35-00-1030 | LIBRARY FINES |  | 15,000 |  | 4,148 | 28\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2310 | DONATIONS |  | 2,500 |  | 9,094 | 364\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2320 | DONATIONS-MEMORIAL BOOKS |  | 1,000 |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2336 | DONATIONS-CHILDRENS LIBRARY |  | - |  | 35 | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2337 | DONATION-LIBRARY PROGRAMS |  | 200 |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2365 | ENDOWMENT FUND INCOME |  | 1,400 |  | 1,348 | 96\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2367 | GRAND RAPIDS LIBRARY FOUNDATIN |  | - |  | 5,030 | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2375 | MEETING ROOM RECEIPTS |  | 4,000 |  | 1,737 | 43\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2420 | BLANDIN GRANTS |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2421 | MIRC GRANT |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2450 | miscellaneous |  | 1,600 |  | 680 | 43\% |
| 211-00-37-00-2455 | NATURAL GAS REBATE |  | - |  | 26,250 | 0\% |
| 211-00-37-00-5100 | INVESTMENT INCOME |  | 8,000 |  | 200 | 2\% |
| 211-00-39-00-5030 | OPERATING TRANSFERS IN |  |  |  |  | 0\% |
|  | total revenue |  | 702,598 |  | 50,163 | 7\% |
| 211-00-39-00-5500 | FUND BALANCE USAGE |  | 34,906 |  |  | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-00-7200 | OPERATING TRANSFER OUT |  | - |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1010 | SALARY-FULL TIME |  | 292,654 |  | 87,464 | 30\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1030 | SALARY-PARTTIME |  | 96,493 |  | 28,550 | 30\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1050 | CONTRACTED SERVICES |  | 1,320 |  | 522 | 40\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1210 | PERA |  | 28,213 |  | 8,395 | 30\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1220 | FICA |  | 24,127 |  | 6,862 | 28\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1250 | MEDICARE |  | 5,643 |  | 1,605 | 28\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1310 | HEALTH INSURANCE |  | 56,045 |  | 31,804 | 57\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1330 | LIFE INSURANCE |  | 246 |  | 110 | 45\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1335 | DENTAL INSURANCE |  | 1,778 |  | 526 | 30\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1347 | VISION INSURANCE |  |  |  | 3 | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-10-1510 | WORKERS COMPENSATION |  | 2,775 |  | 2,332 | 84\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2010 | OFFICE SUPPLIES |  | 8,500 |  | 3,063 | 36\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2020 | COPY SUPPLIES |  | 1,000 |  | 179 | 18\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2030 | PRINTING/BINDING |  | 400 |  | 128 | 32\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2043 | BINDINGS |  | 200 |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2060 | COMPUTER SUPPLIES |  | 4,000 |  | 1,250 | 31\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2070 | COMPUTER INVENTORY |  | 2,000 |  | 1,021 | 51\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2075 | ASSETS BETWEEN \$700-\$4999 |  | 6,000 |  | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2090 | INVENTORIAL SUPPLIES |  | 1,000 |  | 908 | 91\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2095 | VOLUNTEER PRGM SUP \& MATERIALS |  | 250 |  | 281 | 112\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2100 | OPERATING SUPPLIES |  | 2,000 |  | 790 | 39\% |

## CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS

GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY REVENUE \& EXPENDITURES YEAR TO DATE THROUGH APRIL 30, 2012

| Account Number | Account Description | $\begin{gathered} 2012 \\ \text { Budget } \end{gathered}$ | Year to Date | Percent of Budget |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 211-00-75-20-2110 | BOOKS | 40,000 | 11,906 | 30\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2120 | AUDIONISUAL | 9,000 | 6,041 | 67\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2130 | NEWSPAPERS | 1,200 | 315 | 26\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2140 | PERIODICALS | 7,500 | 492 | 7\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2150 | MAINTENANCE TOOLS/SUPPLIES | 3,000 | 1,034 | 34\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2190 | OTHER SUPPLIES/MATERIALS | 350 | 22 | 6\% |
| 211-00-75-20-2210 | EQUIPMENT PARTS | 300 | . | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3000 | PROFESSIONAL SERVICES | 100 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3010 | ACCOUNTING SERVICES | 800 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3040 | LEGAL | 500 |  | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3070 | LAUNDRY | 480 | 138 | 29\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3090 | JANITORIAL SERVICES | 25,000 | 7,800 | 31\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3100 | OTHER CONTRACTED SERVICES | 2,000 | 4,041 | 202\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3210 | TELEPHONE | 7,500 | 2,376 | 32\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3220 | POSTAGE/FREIGHT | 1,000 | 56 | 6\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3230 | SEMINAR/MEETINGS/SCHOOL | 500 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3255 | STAFF TRAINING | 500 |  | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3260 | COMMUNITY ED PROMOTION | 300 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3300 | PROFESSIONAL SERV-COLLECTIONS | 500 | 240 | 48\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3310 | auto mileage/travel | 150 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3510 | PUBLISHING \& ADVERTISING | 1,000 | 25 | 3\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3610 | GENERAL INSURANCE | 11,000 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3810 | ELECTRICITY | 39,930 | 8,767 | 22\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3840 | GARBAGE REMOVAL | 1,200 | 328 | 27\% |
| 211-00-75-30-3860 | HEAT-NATURAL GAS | 10,000 | 4,106 | 41\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4000 | MAINTENANCE CONTRACTS | 4,000 | 1,700 | 42\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4010 | BUILDING MAINT/REPAIRS | 15,000 | 1,439 | 10\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4015 | GROUNDS MAINTENANCE | 1,000 | 100 | 10\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4020 | COMPUTER MAINT/REPAIR | 10,000 | 548 | 5\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4030 | ONLINE SERVICES | 5,000 | 822 | 16\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4070 | GENERAL EQUIP MAINT/REPAIR | 3,000 | 812 | 27\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4100 | EQUIPMENT LEASES | 900 | 235 | 26\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4300 | MISCELLANEOUS | 50 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4330 | DUES \& SUBCRIPTIONS | - | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-30-4545 | INTERLIBRARY LOAN CHARGES | 100 | - | 0\% |
| 211-00-75-50-5500 | 2009-11B EQPT/MACH/FURN/FIX | - | 16,968 | 0\% |
|  | TOTAL EXPENDITURES | 737,504 | 246,103 | 33\% |
|  | SURPLUS REVENUES(EXPENDITURES) | - | $(195,940)$ |  |




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DEPARTMENT SUMMARY REPORT
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INVOICES DUE ON/BEFORE 05/09/2012
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PUBLIC LIBRARY

| 0113100 | AMAZON.COM | 110.53 |
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| 0113233 | AMERIPRIDE LINEN \& APPAREL | 34.60 |
| 0118660 | ARROWHEAD LIBRARY SYSTEM | 70.91 |
| 0201428 | BAKER \& TAYLOR, INC | $1,232.66$ |
| 0221700 | BUSY BEES QUALITY CLEANING | $1,700.00$ |
| 0300200 | CDW GOVERNMENT INC | 947.59 |
| 0315455 | COLE HARDWARE INC | 0.94 |
| 0315508 | COMPUTER ENTERPRISES | 21.99 |
| 0502705 | EBSCO SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE | 294.00 |
| 0900060 | ICTV | 45.00 |
| 0920003 | ITASCA AREA SCHOOLS | 425.00 |
| 1015337 | MICHELLE JOHNSON | 49.78 |
| 1021515 | JUNIOR LIBRARY GUILD | 171.00 |
| 1205099 | LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES INC | 292.52 |
| 1205850 | LEXIS NEXIS | 128.34 |
| 1309495 | MINUTEMAN PRESS | 16.98 |
| 1415377 | NORTHERN BUSINESS PRODUCTS INC | 716.21 |
| 1605665 | PERSONNEL DYNAMICS, LLC | 214.20 |
| 1609925 | PIZZA WORKS | 11.99 |
| 1615675 | POSITIVE PROMOTIONS | 140.95 |
| 1801610 | RAPIDS PLUMBING \& HEATING INC | 416.00 |
| 1805150 | RECORDED BOOKS | 34.95 |
| 1905445 | SELCO | 25.00 |
| 1909510 | SIM SUPPLY INC | 158.83 |
| 2018680 | TRU NORTH ELECTRIC LLC | 739.67 |
| 2201170 | THE TIMBERJAY | 42.00 |
| 2209421 | VIKING ELECTRIC SUPPLY INC | 34.72 |
| 2209450 | THE VILLAGE BOOK STORE | 18.36 |
| 2305690 | WEST PUBLISHING COMPANY | 180.50 |
| 2405650 | XEROX CORPORATION | 22.92 |
| T0000199 | LAKE SUPERIOR ZOO \& | 165.00 |
| T000715 | DEB CLEVEN | 65.00 |
| T000815 | ELLEN SANDBECK | 250.00 |
|  |  | $8,778.14$ |

CHECKS ISSUED-PRIOR APPROVAL
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0212750 BLUE CROSS \& BLUE SHIELD OF MN
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GRAND RAPIDS CITY PAYROLL
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2205637
P.U.C.
VERIZON WIRELESS
WASTE MANAGEMENT
TOTAL PRIOR APPROVAL
TOTAL ALL DEPARTMENTS
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## Director's Report

May 9, 2012

## Energy Project

UPM Blandin shut down on April 13 for about 10 days so our system switched back to the gas boilers (just in time for the snow storm!) The system will remain on natural gas for the rest of the season and the heat exchange unit will be cleaned. (Note: our Natural gas bill for March was \$54)
Shawn Gillen submitted a description of the project for a "City of Excellence" Award from the League of Minnesota Cities.
Early literacy learning center (MN Children's museum)
Darla, Tracy and I had a Skype meeting with the exhibit designers from the MN Children's Museum on April 24 to talk about preliminary designs for Boat, Bait shop, tree, farmer's market cart and garden, puzzle stand, and murals. We are providing local signs and logos. The murals will have familiar animals, fish and birds. The computers in the children's area have already been moved. We will be talking about a final design on May 18. Installation is still scheduled for the last week of June and the first week of July. We are talking about an open house, or multiple invitations to different audiences.

## Collections

We have been working with Unique Management Systems to set parameters for reports. Since each of the 6 libraries in the region who are participating will have slightly different parameters, it is taking a while.

## Computer Classes

The second series of 6 beginning computer classes began in late March and continues through late May. Attendance has ranged from 4-8 people. I have been teaching the classes so far, using curricula and handouts designed by Cheryl Bocnuk. There are 2 classes remaining in May. We will not offer classes during the summer but will resume in late September or early October. Will Richter will observe Cheryl's classes during May, and will most likely teach the fall classes.

## Report to Council

I am scheduled to provide the Department Head report to the City Council on May 29. This is the twice-yearly update. I plan to focus on updating the council on the energy project, computer classes, downloadable ebooks and audiobooks, and ildren's activities. I usually go through several of the goals of the strategic plan and remind them that it was a community--ased strategic plan. I will also talk about upcoming activities and the Early Literacy Center. I hope to be able to show some pictures.

## Agenda Items

Authorization to submit application to Blandin Foundation for grant for programming. I would like to prepare and submit an application for $\$ \$$ for programming for the coming year. It would be approximately $\$ 10,000$ to cover children's and adult programming.

Technology Plan (appoint committee): I want to prepare a technology plan for the upcoming year or two (to coincide with the remaining length of our Strategic Plan). It will look at services for the public and staff needs. I would like to work with 3-4 board members on this. I anticipate one meeting to scope out the plan, a data collection period, and then a meeting to come up with goals and priorities. It should be done (or at least roughly drafted) by the end of June.

Budget Committee (appoint committee): the budget process will begin soon. I would like to have a budget committee to review draft budget after preparation. (I anticipate one meeting in late May or early June) I do not have the schedule yet.

## Teens

April was National Poetry Month. The activity for teens was to find 3 poems in the library based off a clue sheet. When the 3 poems were found the teens brought them to the reference desk and could choose a book or a prize from the prize bag. There were 12 that participated.

I shifted the YA fiction and graphic novel collections because the graphic novels were filling the shelves. Shifting gives more room for the collection.

The middle school art teacher always has her kids create forms with paper mache in the spring. She has donated 2 of the creations in the past and this year she gave us another one. It is a hybrid of a zebra, tiger, and duck. It's on top of one of the shelves in YA.

## Teen Advisory Board Minutes Meeting Tuesday April 24

Members present: Joe E. Bobby T., Jonas T., Nikki M., Paige C.

Members talked about the film contest that will take place this summer during teen summer reading. The contest will be in collaboration with ICTV and the Reif Center. There will be 2 categories: Open and Zombies Own the Night.

Members changed out the board from the Friends Booksale room. They took down the Rapids Reads information and put up some summery information.

## 'taff

I met with Bonnie and Katie Benes from the Reif to talk about films for the summer Tuesday night foreign films series. We had previously watched the films and at the meeting decided which ones would be good to show this summer.

I attended the KAXE book club in April. They were discussing The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins so I went to talk about the book and dystopian fiction in general.

Darla attended the Spotlight on Books planning committee meeting in early May. The committee is made up of a few librarians from the northern part of the state. They discussed the recently finished conference and started planning next years. The conference is always held at Ruttger's Sugar Lake Lodge.

The city has another health challenge for 6 weeks. Staff commits to exercising a minimum of 30 minutes a day, 4 times per week and keeps track on tear off sheets provided by the city. The sheets get turned in to Admin. Individuals who meet the challenge each week and turn in their sheets are entered into a drawing at the end of the 6 weeks. Will, Marcia, and I are taking the challenge!

## Operations

A display in the lobby case recently reflected the photography program to be held on Sat. May 12 at 10:30 am.

There is a gardening display on the table on the way to children's.
Marcia has been working hard to change out the shelves which house the music CDs. A library in southern Minnesota was finished using their music CD bins so we took them. Marcia has been putting the bins in. Now patrons can more easily browse the CD collection. Children's also has some of the bins for their :Ds and DVDs.

Tax form dissemination has slowed considerably. Will consolidated forms in the shelving unit in the lobby.
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## Library Volunteer and Program Report for April 2012

## April Volunteers

33 volunteers/199.5 hours. Board and Program Committee members' hours of service are included in this report

## Volunteer Activities

- Volunteers helped with routine tasks---shelving, the pull list, sorting and stocking books for the used book store, maintaining the New York Times bestseller list and entering data from program evaluations
- Susan Hayes sewed table covers for the used book sale and composed and typed job descriptions for book sale leadership team members.
- Volunteer have stamped books deleted from the collections.
- Three teen volunteers helped pass out information and greet visitors to the library booth at the Children's Fair.
- Program Committee members have been actively engaged in sub committees planning for upcoming events.
- A volunteer videotaped the Will Steger program (last in the Rapids Reads series) and had great fun doing it. He has volunteered to do future videotaping as needed.
- Library staff hosted a volunteer appreciation reception on April $25^{\text {th }}$. The event started with lunch of sloppy joes, chips and fruit and was followed by a delightful program presented by the Duluth Superior Symphony Orchestra Wind Ensemble. Twenty-one people came for all or part of the event. Those who came were given book lights in appreciation for their gift of service to the library. Festive decorations and door prizes added to the celebration. Winners of the prizes (flower centerpieces) were Elaine Wilson and Kathy McCarty. Staff member Michellle Johnson baked and decorated a sheet cake for the party.


## Board \& Program Committee Volunteers

Library Board: 6 members attended/recorded hours at the March meeting
Program Committee: $\quad 7$ members attended/recorded hours at the March meeting

## The following programs were offered in April:

- An Evening with Arctic Explorer Will Steger (held at Itasca Community College) Wednesday, April 11, 93 people
- Vikings \& Voyageurs (a Legacy funded event)—Thursday, April $19^{\text {th }}, 19$ attended
- Around the World in 45 Minutes (a Legacy funded event, also volunteer recognition) April 25, 1:00 p.m. 52 attended


## Children's Library Summary

## April 2012

April has been another busy month in the Children's Library. Saturday story times are becoming more popular every week, with an average of 30 children, plus their parents attending.

April 10, Sheila Packa, former Duluth Poet Laureate, presented a poetry writing workshop, "The Poetry of Place" for area boys and girls. Ten children and 6 adults attended. On Saturday, April 14, a Minnesota History Player presented the life of children's author, Maud Hart Lovelace, to a small but enthusiastic group. A woodwind quartet from the Duluth Superior Symphony Orchestra was here on Wednesday, April 25, to take us "Around the World in 45 Minutes." Fifty-two people of all ages attended. All of these programs are made available to us by the Legacy Fund.

District 318 Kindergarten Round-up took place on Tuesday, April 17. I was able to visit with 145 families and share information about the services provided by our library. The most "impressive" information I shared was about borrowing fishing rods, life jackets and tackle! "amily movie night, on April 26, featured "Puss in Boots." 14 people attended.

The annual Children's Fair took place at the IRA Civic Center on Saturday, April 28. Tracy, Patty, and Kate Kampa and Cinderella visited with 350 children who also decorated crowns.

Visitors this month included Ball Club and Bena Headstart classes.
The truly high point of the month was a Skype meeting with Michelle and Gregg from the Minnesota Children's Museum. Plans are moving along quickly; it is all very exciting!

Looking ahead:

- Mixi, Makesi, Musica - making your own music and creating musical instruments from the contents of your recycling bins! May 14 @ 10:30 am.
- Now I Lay Me Down to Dream- Summer reading program (Dream Big - Read!) kick- off event on May 19, at 10:30 am.
- Muppets - Family Movie Night. May 24 at 6:00 pm.
- Time to Grow! Celebrating the end of the school year. Gardening with Jenny Behm. Thursday, May 31 at 3:45 pm.

May 8, 2012

Ellen Sandbeck
4781 Emerson Rd.
Duluth MN 55803
Dear Ms Sandbeck:
I am pleased that you will be leading a presentation, "Back to Basics: Living More with Less" for the Grand Rapids Area Library on May 16 at 7:00 p.m. Please let me know if you have any audio visual or set up needs library staff should be aware of.

Many library programs are videotaped by our local public access television station. Is your program suitable for taping and will you give your permission for it to be taped and rebroadcast? If so, please sign the enclosed form. We can provide a copy of the tape for you if you would like. Do you wish to bring copies of your book to sell or would you like us to ask our local bookstore to bring books to sell?

The Library will pay you an honorarium of $\$ 250$ 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.

My e-mail is: manderso@arrowhead.lib.mn.us. Don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions or concerns about the arrangements for your program.

Sincerely,

Marcia Anderson
Library Director
Enc: ICTV release form, W-9 form, expense reimbursement form
These terms are acceptable:

Signature
Approved for the Board of Directors:

## Date

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

## RESOLUTION NO. 2012-5 <br> 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:
\$294 Friends of the Grand Rapids Area Library Book Page subscription \$1020 Library Foundation Summer Saturday Story Times

Adopted this $9^{\text {th }}$ day of May 2012

# Dennis Jerome, President 

Victoria Harding, Secretary

Board member
seconded the foregoing resolution and the
following voted in favor thereof:

And the following voted against same:
And the following abstained:
Whereby the resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.
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Grand Rapids Public Library

Ms. Marcia L. Anderson
140 N.E. Second Street
Grand Rapids, MN 55744-2826

Fund Statement(s)
January 1, 2012 - March 31, 2012
Confidential and Privileged Information
Enclosed are the statements for the following fund(s):
The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund

Visit MNIdeaOpen.org to vote for your favorite idea for working together across cultures and faiths. The three ideas that receive the most votes between May 15 and May 25 will each get a $\$ 15,000$ grant to turn their idea into reality.

For Questions Regarding This Statement:
Contact: Sophia Vazquez
Donor Relations Associate
Phone: (651) 325-4251
(800) 875-6167

Fax: (651) 224-9502
E-mail: smv@saintpaulfoundation.org
Address: 55 Fifth Street East, Suite 600
Saint Paul, MN 55101-1797

# The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund <br> of Minnesota Community Foundation <br> Fund Statement 

January 1, 2012 through March 31, 2012

Prepared For: Ms. Marcia L. Anderson
Fund\#: (5350)
Copies sent to: Ms. Barbara Baird

## Fund Activity

Beginning Balance on January 1, 2012
Contributions
Investment Activity
Investment Gain / (Loss) 1,847
Interest \& Dividends106

Disbursements
Grants Paid
Administrative Fees
Investment Expenses
Other Income (Expense)
Ending Balance on March 31, 2012
Grants Approved Not Yet Paid
Uncommitted Balance on March 31, 2012
$\$ \quad 28,032$

| Summary of Assets |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Summary |  |  |  | Investment Performance |  |  |  |
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| Asset Detail |  | \$ | \% |  | (Annualized) |  |  |
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# The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund <br> of Minnesota Community Foundation <br> Fund Statement 

January 1, 2012 through March 31, 2012

## Activity By Category

| Grants Paid (Returned) |  |  |  |
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| Pd Date | Organization Name | Amount |  |
| 02/24/12 | Grand Rapids Public Library | \$ | 1,348 |
|  |  | \$ | 1,348 |

# The Grand Rapids Public Library Endowment Fund <br> of Minnesota Community Foundation <br> Amount Available to Grant Statement 

January 1, 2012 through March 31, 2012

## Available to Grant Activity

Amount Available to Grant from Previous Year
\$

Available to Grant for 2012
Grants (Paid)/Returned in 2012

Amount Available to Grant as of March 31, 2012

Uncommitted Amount Available to Grant as of March 31, 2012
\$

To help you with your charitable planning, we have created this Amount Available to Grant Statement. You will receive this as a quarterly addendum with your regular Fund Statement. The purpose is to provide you with timely information on how much money you have available for grantmaking in the current year. Please note that the current year's available to grant amount may include an unused amount from the previous year(s).

We hope that you will find this information of value in managing your Fund. As always, if you have questions, please feel free to call the Foundation.


[^0]:    BOOKINGS \& ARRANGEMENTS HRS THIS MONTH

