Divernon Township Library
Library Trustee Board Meeting
Tuesday, October 6, 2026, 6:00PM
MINUTES

Call to Order (6:00 PM)

Roll Call

Kathi Katcher, Cathy Jo Lewis, Jake Rettberg, Sue Covi, Sam Long, and Leslie Crosby were present. Linda Baer was absent.

No Public Comment

Business

The minutes from the September 1, 2026 meeting were read by Cathy Jo Lewis. A motion was made by Sue Covi, seconded by Jake Rettberg, to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's Report was read by Leslie Crosby. A motion was made by Sue Covi, seconded by Sam Long, to accept the report as read. Motion carried.

Discussion was had on increasing wages for library staff and independent contractors. A motion was made by Leslie Crosby, seconded by Cathy Jo Lewis, to approve an increase in wages, to be effective on November 1, 2026. Motion carried.

Discussion was had on switching the library's Internet Service and Phone Provider from Comcast to Conxxus. Trish will gather more information and present it to the board. Discussion tabled.

No Old Business

No Executive Session

Librarian's Report

A. October is National Library Month.
B. The shred event held by the library was a big success. Community members have already asked that this becomes an annual event.
C. The library will be closed on October 16 to give Trish and Pam time to participate in the IHLS Library Crawl.
D. Monthly Materials Checked Out: 316

Adjournment

A motion was made by Jake Rettberg, seconded by Leslie Crosby, to adjourn. Motion carried.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, November 3, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,
Cathy Jo Lewis