

March 3, 2026 Building Committee Meeting Minutes

President Van Thompson called the meeting to order 3:30

Present: Van, Lynn, Pam

Absent: None

Also Present: Bianca Sierra

Introduction of Visitors: Jennifer Hersh and Allen Silas from MetroLink

Public Comment: None

Consent Agenda: Van made a motion to approve the meeting minutes from the September 19, 2025. Pam seconded. Motion passed.

Old Business: Representatives from MetroLink were available to answer questions about the installation of the EV chargers. The library parking lot is seeing overflow from construction on 15th Ave and the library was hoping to wait until construction was complete from 7th to 8th street before EV chargers were installed. MetroLink indicated they had a grant deadline for installation and would need to have the install completed soon.

New Business:

- a. Director shared that the city would assist the library in painting the curbs near the 16th Ave entrance/exit yellow to indicate where no parking begins. This will be done in the spring sometime. This is being done to deter individuals from parking in front of entrance and exit.
- b. Reviewed guidelines for State of Illinois security grant and identified priorities. Priorities included increased cameras, increased viewing software, after hours alarm system, panic button, walkie talkies, cyber security, and speaker system throughout the library.

Meeting adjourned at 4:03