



**Regular Board Meeting Agenda  
REMOTE MEETING**

Tuesday, January 10, 2023  
6:00 pm

Pursuant to Section 7(e) of the Illinois Open Meetings Act, the Board of Trustees will conduct its meeting remotely by audio or video conference given the Governor's Disaster Proclamation relating to public health concerns because of the COVID-19 disaster and wherein all or a part of the Library's jurisdiction is covered by the disaster area set out in the Proclamation. The Board President has determined that an in-person meeting is not practical or prudent based on localized conditions in the Library's jurisdiction because of the disaster, including concern over the spread of contagious variants. Consequently, a quorum of Board members will not be physically present for the meeting but will instead be participating remotely via an online virtual meeting platform. At least one member of the public body or the Library Director will be physically present at the regular meeting location. Members of the public can listen into the proceedings using the ZOOM link below to connect.

In lieu of in-person public comment, members of the public may submit comments in either the chat option of the Zoom virtual meeting or in advance of and during the meeting via email to the Library Director at [crumpa@bellwoodlibrary.org](mailto:crumpa@bellwoodlibrary.org). Public comments will be limited to 3,000 characters (equivalent to approximately 500 words). All public comments will be read aloud by the Library Director during the public comment portion of the meeting as designated on this Agenda. Profanity or obscene words in any public comments will not be read aloud.

**Join Zoom Meeting**

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## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Public Comment**
- 4. Treasurer's Reports & Statement of Bills**
- 5. Approval of Consent Agenda**
  - a. Review and Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes
  - b. Treasurer's Reports and Approval of Bills
- 6. Committee Reports**
  - a. Administration Committee (*Chair: Vice-President Riales*) No meeting in December.
  - b. Building and Grounds Committee (*Chair: President Clark-Smith*) No meeting in December. The asbestos abatement will be finished next week.
  - c. Finance Committee (*Chair: Treasurer Clements*) No meeting in December. The Village of Bellwood passed the library's Levy on December 21.
  - d. Planning and Development Committee (*Chair: Secretary Stewart*) No meeting in December.
  - e. Public Relations and Legislation Committee (*Chair: Trustee Perez*) No meeting in December.
  - f. Reaching Across Illinois Library Systems -- RAILS (*Chair: Trustee Horton*) No meeting in December.
- 7. Unfinished Business**
  - a. None
- 8. New Business**
  - a. Presentation from J. Rachlin of Meristem Advisors
- 9. Communications/Announcements**
  - a. Review of Patron Suggestions
- 10. Library Director's Report**
- 11. Public Comment**
- 12. Adjournment**

Next Regular Board Meeting: Tuesday, February 14, 2023 at 6:00 pm