



FRIENDS OF THE CLEVELAND COUNTY LIBRARY

BOARD MINUTES

FEBRUARY 2, 2021

Attending the February Zoom board meeting were Liz Flowers, Jann Ford, Tamera Cox, Emily Yelton, Wright Adams and Betty Blanton. Liz called the meeting to order, the minutes were approved and Jann gave the budget report with an ending balance of \$16, 959.31.

Through the efforts of Liz and Wright, our grant to the Blanton Foundation was approved for a total of \$11, 521. Three thousand dollars will go toward the purchase of computers and printers and \$8,521 will aid in the development of the library's new maker space. The board thanked Wright and Liz for putting this together.

The Annual Meeting has been set for October 19, 2021 at the LeGrand Center with catering by Dressing on the Side. Betsy will finalize the date with our guest speaker Sandra King Conroy.

Liz reported that our first newsletter will go out in February and that our library contact will be Kallen Terry. Liz will let everyone know a date and time for getting the newsletter ready for mailing.

Betty sent a letter to the Weathers Foundation thanking them for their \$500.00 donation to the Friends.

Wright reported he is continuing interviews for the remaining library positions. He also shared information about the ongoing competition for the designs of new library cards. Winners will be announced soon. Also plans are in the works for two programs presented during Black History Month, the summer reading program and a community library survey.

Liz announced our next Zoom meeting is scheduled for March 2. With no further business Liz thanked everyone for attending and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Blanton