

Edward Chipman Public Library Minutes

126 N. Locust St. Momence, Illinois

March 24, 2026

7:00 pm.

I. Call to order: In Maldonado's absence, Lund called the regular session meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. Roll call was taken with board members: Graves, Johnson, Lovell, and Lund as well as director Perkins were present.

II. Public Comments: None

III. Secretary's report: The secretary's report for February was reviewed. Lund motioned for the report to be accepted. Graves seconded the motion. The secretary's report was approved.

IV. Treasurer's Report: The treasurer's report for January was reviewed. Graves motioned that the treasurer report be accepted. Lovell seconded the motion. The treasurer's report was accepted.

V. Librarian's Report:

1. In February 420 people attended events.
2. 1047 books were in circulation.
3. 10 new library cards were issued in February.
4. \$277.56 was received for copies and for the credit card machine.
5. The sign language class is going well.
6. The Battle of the Books also went well.
7. The Spice Club will be taking a break through the summer.
8. The seed library is up and running for this season.
9. In April there will be an adult paint pouring class.
10. The book club will meet on April 14th.
11. The library trifold brochure has been updated.
12. Wagner Clock cleaned the clock and now it is working.
13. The library fared well during the storm. There was no visible leaking or damage. Someone will be coming to look at the roof.
14. ILEAD is the trustee training site.

Johnson motioned that the Librarian's report be accepted. Graves seconded the motion.

VI. Old Business:

1. Statement of Economic Interest: All present trustees have completed the statement. Those who were not present may still need to. This must be completed by May 1.

VII. New Business

None

VIII. Closed Session: None

IX. Adjourn: Lund motioned that the meeting be adjourned. Lovell seconded the motion. The meeting ended at 7:18 pm.

Submitted by:

Jodi Lovell

Edward Chipman Public Library Board Secretary