



City of Riverside

Board of Library Trustees

Riverside Library
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City of Arts & Innovation

Agenda

Meeting Date: Monday, March 9, 2026
Publication Date: Wednesday, March 4, 2026

5:00 PM

City Hall - Art Pick Council Chamber
3900 Main Street, Riverside
Live Webcast at:
www.RiversideCA.gov/Meeting

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VIA TELEPHONE:

Call (951) 826-8688

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VIA ZOOM:

Use the following link: <https://zoom.us/j/92696991265>

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Public comments are limited to 3 minutes.

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PLEASE NOTE--The numerical order of items on this agenda is for convenience of reference. Items may be taken out of order upon request of the Board Members.

5 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER - President

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

PUBLIC COMMENT

Audience participation is encouraged. Public comments are limited to 3 minutes.

- 1 To comment on any matters within the jurisdiction of the Board of Library Trustees, you are invited to participate in person or call at (951) 826-8688. Press *9 to be placed in the queue to speak. Individuals in the queue will be prompted to unmute by pressing *6 when you are ready to speak.

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CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed under the CONSENT CALENDAR are considered routine by the Library Board of Trustees and may be enacted by one motion in the form listed below. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless, before the Library Board of Trustees votes on the motion to adopt, Members of the Library Board of Trustees or staff request specific items be removed from the Consent Calendar for separate action.

2 Minutes of February 9, 2026

Attachments: [Minutes](#)

3 Accept trust fund expenditures report of \$5,720.90 for purchase of library books, periodicals, and other library materials from January 1, 2026, through January 31, 2026

Attachments: [Report](#)

4 Accept gift fund donations report of \$25,000 from January 1, 2026, through January 29, 2026

Attachments: [Report](#)

5 Summary of incident reports from January 2026

Attachments: [Report](#)
[RMC Chapter 9.75](#)

6 Excuse absence of Trustee Ellstrand from February 9, 2026, Board of Library Trustee meeting

Attachments: [Report](#)

7 Accept \$49,288 State Library grant for FY 25/26 adult and family literacy.

Attachments: [Report](#)

8 Accept \$14,760 grant for Zip Books Project materials

Attachments: [Report](#)

9 Accept furniture donation from Love Riverside

Attachments: [Report](#)

10 Serving with a Purpose Conference

Attachments: [Report](#)

DISCUSSION AND ACTION CALENDAR

Audience participation is encouraged. Public comments are limited to 3 minutes.

11 Receive and file ByLaws

Attachments: [Report](#)
[By Laws - June 27, 2016](#)
[City Charter Sections 802, 804, 805, and 808](#)

12 Receive and file Board of Library Trustees Workplan 2026

Attachments: [Report](#)
[Presentation](#)
[Outlined Work Plan](#)

13 Receive and file report on the Riverside Reads 2026 Program

Attachments: [Report](#)

14 Receive and file a report modification to library hours

Attachments: [Report](#)
[Presentation](#)

BOARD AND DIRECTORS COMMUNICATION

15 Brief reports on Conferences, Seminars, and Meetings attended by Board Members

16 Brief reports on Conferences, Seminars, and Meetings attended by Library Director

17 Items for future Board of Library Trustees consideration as requested by Board Members. Only items that fall within the powers and duties of the Board of Library Trustees as set forth in the City Charter and/or the Riverside Municipal Code will be agendized for future discussion.

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*The next regular Board of Library Trustees meeting
is scheduled for Monday, April 6, 2026, at 5 p.m.*

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