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Minutes of Thursday, October 21, 2021

7:00 pm

James White Library

**Call to Order:** Chairperson Paul Sadeck called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. Paul Sadeck is recording the meeting.

**Present:** Linda Fournier, Christine Paiva, Amy Sypher, Beverly Sadeck, Paul Sadeck, Nicole Davigon-Library Director, Paul Lubin- member of the Library Planning Committee and Debra Petty – Acting Town Administrator.

**Absent:** Irene Ashley

**Review of Payroll:** Payroll for September was reviewed – there were no questions or discussion.

**Review of Bills:** Bills for September were reviewed. Nicole answered questions regarding the SAILS bills.

**Review of Minutes:** Minutes from the August 19, 2021 meeting were reviewed. There was no meeting in September. On a motion made by Linda Fournier and seconded by Amy Sypher the minutes from August were accepted. The motion passed.

**Library Director:** Nicole reported that it has been a little slow since summer has ended.

The Tuesday “Story Time” lead by Alyssa is in progress. After each Story Time the children do a craft that relates to the story.

The C.O.A. book club is going well. An informational meeting to be held for those interested in an evening book club. The evening book club will meet in the police station Community Room.

Nicole reported that her vendors informed her that there maybe an issue getting books over the next few months with the holidays and the supply chain issues. Nicole and her staff are trying to pre-order books.

Monthly Adult Craft nights are being held at the White Library. Also available are “ take and make ” crafts for adults.

**Old Business:** Book Drop: No progress has been made. Paul Lubin has offered to try to contact someone he knows who maybe able to help get the book drop painted and hinges replaced.