Glen Cove Public Library Board of Trustees Minutes October 21, 2025

I. Attendance:

Present: Trustees N. Ackerman, M. Maher, A. Petrash, J. Yee, Treasurer R. Abbondandolo,

Director J. Cabo, and Librarian III C. Stern

Absent with prior notice: R. Leff

Guests: Nabil Azamy, Victoria Christie, Beth Cipriano, Koorosh Leibowitz, Mercedes Morales, Dave Nieri

The meeting was called to order at 6:43 pm by Board President M. Maher.

II. Minutes:

The minutes of the regular Board meeting of September 2025 were read. Motion to accept the minutes was made by J. Yee. Seconded by N. Ackerman. All in favor.

III. Bills:

The warrant for October 2025, covering the period 9/17/25-10/21/25 for total transactions of \$128,421.85, was presented for approval.

Motion to approve the warrant was made by A. Petrash. Seconded by N. Ackerman. All in favor.

The Treasurer's Report for September 2025 was presented for approval. Motion to approve the report was made by N. Ackerman. Seconded by J. Yee. All in favor.

IV. Director's Report:

Policies

Motion to approve the revisions to the Workplace Violence Prevention and Sexual Harassment Policies was made by N. Ackerman. Seconded by J. Yee. All in favor.

Personnel

Appointments:

Derly Riano, Part-Time Bilingual Clerk at a salary of \$17.00 per hour, effective 10/28/25 Natalie Jovic, Part-Time Children's Librarian at a salary of \$35.00 per hour, effective 11/1/25 Motion to approve the above appointments was made by J. Yee. Seconded by A. Petrash. All in favor,

Nassau Library System Member Library Support 2026-2027

The information packet was reviewed and will be voted on at the upcoming meeting.

Miscellaneous

Auditors from Baldessari & Coster LLP visited on October 6–7 to conduct their audit for the fiscal year 2024-25.

The Façade Cleaning/Staining Project will start tomorrow, October 21.

We received \$5000 from the Friends of the Library to digitize and make searchable on our website 10 years of the Record Pilot (1963 through 1973). Thank you to the Friends.

Friends Open House will take place on Wednesday, October 29, from 4 pm to 8 pm.

V. Committee Reports:

The Friends of the Library held a successful Book Sale, raising approximately \$3,000, and also participated in the Street Fair on September 13 from 10 am to 4 pm.

In memory of Carol Rubin, a tree dedication ceremony was held on October 11 to honor her life and accomplishments, with a memorial plaque placed in front of the tree on the side of the library.

The Friends' Open House is scheduled for October 29 from 4–8 pm. The event will feature a performance by The LovePeace Band and a presentation by author Mary Noe on her new book, *The Man Who Shot J.P. Morgan*.

VI. Old Business:

None

VII. New Business:

None

VIII. Adjournment:

There being no further business to bring before the Board of Trustees, a motion to adjourn was made by J. Yee at 7:10 pm. Seconded by N. Ackerman. All in favor.

The next regular meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held on Tuesday, November 18, 2025, at 6:45 pm in the History Room.

Recorded by:

Joanna Cabo, Director

Approved by:

Joanne Vee Secretary