

PONTIAC PUBLIC LIBRARY BUDGET HEARING MINUTES

June 24th, 2021

I. Approval of Agenda

Secretary Rutherford made a motion to approve the agenda, supported by Treasurer Maxey. There was discussion regarding adding the item “Public Comment” to the agenda.

Roll Call: Chair Hatchett – Yes, Treasurer Maxey – Yes, Trustee Richardson – Yes, Secretary Rutherford – Yes
Motion Passes

II. Moment of Silence

III. Public Comment

Chairperson Hatchett stated that public comment would be allowed throughout the budget hearing so that the public can ask questions as the budget is being read.

IV. Reading of the 2021-2022 proposed budget (Profit and Loss Budget Overview)

The 2021-2022 proposed budget was read and recommended for approval by the library’s accountant Mr. Harden.

A public comment was made by Shanell Weatherspoon inquiring about what the budget line item “Professional Services” is and also what projects or improvements would be funded by moneys allocated to the budget line item “Capital Improvement”. Shanell asked a follow-up question to inquire whether there would be any money allocated toward the repair or improvement of the library bathrooms.

Mr. Harden, the library’s accountant answered all of Shanell’s questions

Motion was made by Trustee Richardson to close the public hearing for the 2021-2022 fiscal year budget for the Pontiac Public Library, supported by Secretary Rutherford

Roll call: Chair Hatchett – Yes, Vice Chair Earl – Yes, Treasurer Maxey – Yes, Trustee Richardson – Yes, Secretary Rutherford – Yes

Motion Passed

Meeting Adjourned