**Dr. Grace O. Doane Alden Public Library** **Date/Time:__October 14, 2026_____**
**Trustee Meeting** **Location:___Alden Library_____**

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| Dean Vandervort | present X absent___ | Kathy Blome: | present_X_ absent___ |
| Chris Kuhnle: | present__X_ absent _ | Carol Vanderloop: | present__X_ absent___ |
| Jessica Christensen: | present _X_absent ___ | Meagan Herrin | present__X_ absent___ |
| Lucy Rodriguez: | present____ absent_X | Lisa Liittschwager: | present__X_ absent___ |

**Minutes Approval**: Reviewed minutes from June. Motion made to approve both by Kathy Blome and seconded by Dean Vandervort, passed unanimously.

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| Dean -Aye | Meagan – Aye | Carol -Aye |
| Chris – Aye | Kathy – Aye | Jessica - Aye |

**Librarian's Report: Approve Librarian's Report**:
Working on coordinating repairs, sinks in the kitchen and director's office have been installed, front door has been fixed to close properly to allow new security locking system to work, working with Imperial Points to fix back door which was previously fixed by them is leaking again, currently looking for bids to make bathroom door handicapped accessible for one of the grants, Randall construction is supposed to be coming to look at the chimney, the new locking system is almost complete just figuring out the last piece of getting the software to work with multiple computers. Programming is ongoing for the After-School Program and we have added some adult programs.

Motion to approve librarian's report - Moved _Kathy BLome __ Seconded__Dean Vandevort _____
(narrative/notes): Passed unanimously.

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| Dean -Aye | Meagan – Aye | Carol -Aye |
| Chris – Aye | Kathy – Aye | Jessica - Aye |

Special Account Balance: $
**Approve Bills**: Motion to approve bills - Moved _Meagan Herrin_ Seconded__Chris Kuhnle_____
(narrative/notes): Passed unanimously.

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| Dean -Aye | Meagan – Aye | Carol -Aye |
| Chris – Aye | Kathy – Aye | Jessica - Aye |

**New Business**

Moving the next meeting to Wednesday, November 4th at 11:30.

**Old Business**

Grant management- sinks installed and paid for with Church Women United, finishing the Hardin County Community Endowment Foundation grant and reporting once the locks are completed. Will be working on the other two grants for accessibility and digital literacy.

**Rental Reviews**
No rentals in September

**Public comments**
None.

**Adjourn: Time 11:46am,** motion by Jessica Christensen Seconded by Meagan Herrin, passed unanimously.

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| Dean -Aye | Meagan – Aye | Carol -Aye |
| Chris – Aye | Kathy – Aye | Jessica - Aye |

Next meeting is scheduled for ***Wednesday***, November 4th, 2026 at 11:30pm.