

Governance Committee Minutes May 10, 2023 4 p.m. Via Zoom

Present: Beth Allison, Michael Ciccone, Scott Collyer, Brian Gibson, Jeremy McCall

Recorder: Diana Bumstead

Call to order at 4:03 p.m.

1. Board Transition

The Board will start the new strategic planning process in the latter part of 2025.

The Governance Committee could meet in the summer if necessary. A board task plan, and skills matrix to be developed.

Diana to create a master Board calendar (committee meetings, Library events, OLS, budget dates).

Discussed board advocacy.

Discussed board training on governance.

2. Board Term Limits

There is no stipulation on this in the Public Library Act. The Library is not able to set board term limits.

3. Open Committee Meetings

Pending a survey of the approach other Ontario libraries take, we may add a reference regarding committee meetings to the website. Diana to do if necessary.

4. Other Business

No other business.

Meeting adjourned at 5:01 p.m.