

Meeting of the Facilities Committee October 28, 2021

Committee Members Present: Susan O'Neil and Sean Hosseini

Also Present: Jill Grennan, Trustee; Rachel Hansen, Trustee; Emily Porter, Director

Guests: Elizabeth Keppler and Douglas Pfeiffer from Dewberry

Absent: none

Mrs. O'Neil called the meeting to order at 1:06 p.m.

Mrs. Porter gave a brief history of the Byron Public Library District referencing the age of the building and the funding issues with the nuclear power plant. She also discussed the building's inefficiencies and areas that could be improved. Those include: programming space, teen space, storage, outdoor space, a nursing room for patrons and staff, and individual bathroom stalls.

Mrs. Porter led a tour around the library discussing various options for addressing all of these issues. Mr. Pfeiffer suggested that he and Ms. Keppler return for the December board meeting to go over the options with some cost estimates. Mrs. Porter suggested that the first part of the project could start in August of 2022.

The Mrs. Hansen made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded and the meeting adjourned at 2:01 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Emily Porter, Director