Library Board Presentation

JUNE 18, 2019

Library Board: Purpose

The purpose of the Library Board is to receive input from the public, and based on that input, make recommendations to Council that support the fulfillment of the Library's mission in the community.



Library Mission

The Library offers opportunities for our diverse regional community to learn, know, gather and grow by providing open and equal access to a variety of ideas and information through evolving technology and services.



Key Library Board Activities FY19

- Attended community events to promote library services and directly interact with residents
- HVAC Renovation Assistance
- Library Policy Review-Sections 1-2
- Review of Public Comments



Key Library Board Activities Continued

- Three new board members were appointed and oriented.
- Library Board Chair served on the interview panel for new Assistant Library Manager
- Board drafted a letter in support of Libraries for the NM Library Legislative Day in Santa Fe.
- Reviewed a proposal by the APPB to install a public art project at the White Rock Branch Library.



Friends of the Los Alamos County Libraries

- Served as Liaison to the Friends of the Los Alamos County Library
- The Friends donated approximately \$50,000 to the Library last year through their bookstore activities and community donations



What's Next

In FY 2020, the Library Board plans to...

- Continue to engage in community activities to promote the library and receive feedback
- Complete the review of the library policies
- Review priority rankings created by staff for programming expansion and gather public input as appropriate



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In FY 2020, the Library Board plans to...

- Assist Library Manager and staff in the development of the 2020-2023 strategic plan
- Serve as liaison to FLACL



Questions?



