Smithers Public Library Board Minutes

Item	Responsible	Action
Call to Order 7 p.m.	Wally	Present: Wally Bergen, Kay Mackenzie, Lisa Feinberg, Lorraine Doiron, John Buikema, Bruce Hutchinson, Paul Parry, Wendy Wright Regrets: Frank Wray
Adopt Agenda	Wally	LM Motion: To adopt agenda with the additions of Town of Smithers delegation and NWLF update Seconded : JB Carried
Adopt Consent Agenda	Wally	PP Motion: To adopt the following items: Minutes of September 19, 2018 regular meeting with the correction of a typo in the FOL report Seconded: Bruce Carried
Correspondence	Wally	Letter from Town of Smithers re: 2019 funding request
Delegation from Town of Smithers	Mayor Taylor Bachrach, Councillor Gladys Atrill	Discussed strategies around new library/gallery building project funding, creating a fact sheet, and marketing.
Business Arising From Minutes		
Policy Review	Wendy	Updated Policy Manual has been posted on website.
New Business		
Number of Board Members	Wally	The Library Board is able to have eight trustees plus the Town Council Liaison.
Naloxone	Wendy	LF Motion : The Board agrees in principal to enable staff on a voluntary basis to administer Naloxone and to create a policy to guide staff in so doing. BH Carried
2019 Budget & Funding Request	Wally/John/Wendy	The Library's 2019 funding request is due by November 23, 2018.
Reports:		
Treasurer's Report	John	Overspent 2018's sick leave budget. The Board will ask Council in late November or early December for permission to draw on our surplus funds to cover the shortfall. WW will check w/bookkeeper re: balance sheet incongruities. WW will submit NWLF receipts for reimbursement.

		WB Motion: To accept the Treasurer's Report as presented with the clarifications listed above Seconded: KM Carried
Friends of the Library Report	Lorraine	Book sale coming up at the Legion. Lots of books to be sold.
Library Report	Wendy	JB Motion: To accept the Library Report Seconded: LF Carried
Adjournment 8:30 p.m.	Wally	
In Camera	Wally	
Next Meeting	Wally	Extraordinary meeting re: new building Monday, October 29, 2018. Regular meeting Wednesday, November 17, 2018