# **City of Clearwater**

Main Library - Council Chambers 100 N. Osceola Avenue Clearwater, FL 33755



### **Meeting Minutes**

Thursday, May 1, 2025 10:15 AM

### Main Library - Council Chambers

## Library Board

### Roll Call

 Present 5 - Chair Donna Dennis, Board Member Kelly Malizia, Board Member Loretta Mitchell, Board Member Tanya Landry, and Board Member Rosemarie Kibitlewski
Absent Also Present - Jennifer L. Obermaier – Library Director, Danielle DeBois –City Clerk Specialist

#### 1. Call To Order

The Chair called the meeting to order at 10:15 a.m.

#### 2. Approval of Minutes

Member Landry moved to approve the minutes of the February 6, 2025 Library Board meeting as submitted in written summation. The motion was duly seconded and carried unanimously.

#### 3. Citizens to be Heard Regarding Items Not on the Agenda: None

#### 4. Old Business Items

#### 4.1 Beach Library Update

Library Director Jen Obermaier said the Beach Library and Recreation Center that was damaged in hurricane Helene is anticipated to reopen in March 2026. In response to questions, Ms. Obermaier clarified usage limitations for the bookmobile bike.

#### 5. Director's Report

#### 5.1 Director's Report Items

Ms. Obermaier said the events the library hosted to date have been successful and programs will continue as expected into summer; The renovations in the Main Library are on schedule and the North Greenwood branch renovations have been completed. Ms. Obermaier said the Main Library hours would be impacted in May due to events at The Sound and reviewed budget adjustments made within the department. Discussion ensued surrounding budgetary changes.

#### 6. Board Members to be Heard: None

#### 7. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 11:04 a.m.

Attest:

Chair – Library Board

City Clerk Specialist