



Agenda and Notification of Meeting

Posted: August 14, 2026

The Library Board will meet on Wednesday, August 19, 2026, at 4:30 p.m.

Meeting Rooms A & B, Burlington Public Library 210 Court St.

Pursuant to Iowa Code 21.8 electronic participation in the meeting is offered to any Library Trustee upon request.

Agenda:

1. Convene
2. Roll Call
 - i. Jennifer McMillan
 - ii. Becky Godfrey
 - iii. Mary Weinand
 - iv. Roger Hatteberg
 - v. Brandon Orth
 - vi. Amanda Mansheim
 - vii. Todd Chelf
3. **Approval of August 19th agenda and July 15, 2026 minutes**
4. Communication, Correspondence, & Public Address
5. Board Training:
 - a. Trustee Micro-Training: [Iowa Code 21: Open Meetings](#)
 - b. [Public Library Services for Strong Communities Report](#)
6. **Approval of July 2026 expenditures**
7. Liaison Reports
 - a. West Burlington City Council: Rebecca Teater
 - b. Friends of the Burlington Public Library: Anita Wagner
8. President's Report
9. Board Committees
 - a. Advocacy Committee Update
10. Discussion of July Library Services Report & Use Statistics
11. Old Business
 - a. Union Update – Kathy Gerling
12. New Business
 - a. **Discussion and action to set 2027 dates for library closures**
 - b. **Presentation and action on FY26 Annual Report**
 - c. Presentation of FY26 Gifts and Bequests Report
 - d. Iowa Library Association Conference 2026
 - e. Acknowledgement of staff retirement
13. **Adjourn**

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