

Fairview Heights Public Library
Finance Committee Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, January 6, 2026

- Meeting called to order at 4:00 PM. Attendees:
 - Karie Sheils, Chair, Finance Committee
 - Donna Bullock, Committee Member
 - Laurinda Hardy, Committee Member
 - Jill Pifer, Library Director

- Additions to Agenda:
 - None
- Public Comment
 - None
- Discussion and vote on the draft budget for Fiscal Year 2026-2027
 - Library Director made note that the budget amount presented at the October 2025 meeting had changed and decreased \$400.00. By meetings end, the committee had further decreased the budget another \$2000.00 due to changes in the IMRF percentage
 - Increases and decreases were in the materials budget, supplies, technical/outside services, copier maintenance and IMRF lines of the budget.
 - Motion made by Karie Sheils, 2nd by Donna Bullock
 - Motion: Approve draft budget for FY 2026-2027 and forward the proposed budget to the Library Board for the January 2026 meeting with changes made to the IMRF line to reflect a lower updated percentage at 6.5%
 - Votes: Donna Bullock yes, Laurinda Hardy yes, Karie Sheils yes.
 - Motion passed

- Meeting adjourned at 4:17 PM.

Karie Sheils
Chair, Finance Committee