

## Franklin County Library

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### **FRANKLIN COUNTY LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES Minutes of the Meeting**

**9 April 2019**

The Franklin County Library Board of Trustees met on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 9 am at the Main Library in Rocky Mount. Members present were Chairman Bill Mitchell, Keith Ferrell, Sarah Ann Bowman, Sharon Tudor, John Leary and Director Alison Barry. Bethany Worley was unable to attend.

**FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORTS:** The Board reviewed the statistical and financial reports provided by Director, Alison Barry.

#### **DIRECTOR'S REPORT:**

The Director noted that storyteller Sheila Arnold's three performances attracted the attendance of more than 100 Franklin County citizens-a great turnout!

On March 1 the library hosted a well-attended celebration of retiree Dorothy Hodges' 34-year career.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

It was unanimously agreed that the library system's public spaces were not appropriate venues for posting petitions and similar materials whose display is occasionally requested by patrons.

The Director reported that additional state funding would be assigned to the salary of the full-time lead library assistant, the position created to take the place of Dorothy Hodges' position of, fulltime genealogist. The lead library assistant position is now fully funded, and a job listing for the new lead library assistant has been posted. The position of fulltime genealogist will be eliminated.

Meeting adjourned at: 10:00 am  
Submitted by: Keith Ferrell