

**Elkader Public Library Board of Trustees**  
**Regular Board Meeting – Monday, May 19, 2025**

1. Call to Order – President Jennifer Wilwert called the meeting to order. Board members present were: Susanne Hankey, Matthew Wilke, Joe Minor, and Jennifer Garms.
2. Employment Offer for Library Director – Minor moved to offer Samantha Schwarz a salary of \$45,500 to serve as Library Director. Garms seconded. Motion carried.
3. Wage Certifications – Wilke moved to approve an increase in wage for Brandy Tieden to \$15.00 per hour effective June 1, 2025 and allow for increased hours up to 24 hours per week. Motion carried.
4. Adjournment – Minor moved to adjourn the meeting at 5:18 PM. Hankey seconded. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jennifer Garms, Vice-President