



Minutes
Library Board

Thursday, January 8, 2026

7:00 PM

255 E. Parkway Blvd.

2nd Floor Conference Room

Radhika Rajgopal Singh
Board Member

Seth L. Phillips
Board Member

Manisha N. Pagedar
Board Member

Frank Gasparro
Board Member

Haridas Radhakrishnan
Board Member

Anne Diamond
Board Member

Carla Madrigal
Board Member

Valerie Holguin
Alternate Member

Gunjan Verma
Alternate Member

Greshma Chandrashekar
Youth Advisor

Gia Ajani
Youth Advisor

Notice was hereby given that the Library Advisory Board of the City of Coppell, Texas, met in the 2nd Floor Conference Room at 7:00 p.m. at 255 E. Parkway Boulevard.

The purpose of this meeting was to consider the following items:

Regular Session (Open to the Public)

1. Call To Order

Chair Madrigal called the meeting to order at 7:06 p.m.

Members Present: Carla Madrigal, Anne Diamond, Frank Gasparro, Seth L. Phillips, Radhika Rajgopal Singh, Manisha N. Pagedar, Haridas Radhakrishnan, Valerie Holguin, Gunjan Verma, Greshma Chandrashekar, Gia Ajani

Others Present: Alexis Wellborn, Adam Richter, Yessemeri Chavez

2. Citizens' Appearance

Chair Madrigal advised that no one signed up to speak.

3. Training Overview with City Staff

Staff gave an overview to the Board Members regarding their roles and duties.

4. Election of Officers

A motion was made by Boardmember Gasparro, seconded by Boardmember Diamond, and passed by a unanimous vote to elect Boardmember Singh as Chair.

A motion was made by Boardmember Singh, seconded by Boardmember Diamond, and passed by a unanimous vote to elect Boardmember Phillips as Vice Chair.

5. Approval of Minutes: December 11, 2025

A motion was made by Boardmember Radhakrishnan, seconded by Boardmember Singh, that this agenda item be approved. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote.

6. Manager's Report

Library Manager, Alexis Wellborn, reviewed statistics, programs and operations for the Library.

The new circulation front desk has been officially installed. Due to its size, the adult collection has been shifted to the main shelving units. The conference room glass and doors will be replaced and a keypad will be installed.

Programs of note:

January 10 - Second Saturday Story Time

January 28 - Teens: Build Your Own Terrarium

January 31 - Adults: Bob Ross Paint Along

7. Discussion regarding Goals and Objectives

The Board reviewed and discussed the goals and objects for the Library Board.

8. Discussion regarding future agenda items

The Board was informed that future agenda items may be submitted to Alexis Wellborn and Yessemeri Chavez for consideration.

9. Discussion regarding Teen Advisor responsibilities

The Board provided an overview to the new Youth Advisors regarding their roles and responsibilities.

10. Adjournment

There being no further items to come before the Library Advisory Board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Radhika Rajgopal Singh, Chair

Prepared By:

Yessemeri Chavez, Senior Administrative Assistant