

AGENDA

Board of Trustees

May 21, 2024 7:00pm

Vision

To serve as the central hub where people feel welcome, supported in learning, and connected to community and one another.

Mission

We inspire learning, imagination, collaboration, and compassion by providing our community with equitable access to resources in a welcoming environment.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Library Board of Trustees will be held in person on Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.

Members of the Public can view the meeting via Live Stream on the Library's YouTube Account: https://www.youtube.com/user/eglibrary

Meetings of the Library Board are open to the public under provisions of the New York State Open Meeting Law. To submit public comment, you may attend in person or send an email with your comments to be read aloud, to Library Director, Jill Dugas Hughes at director@eqlibrary.org. Please contact the Director for additional information or to request an accommodation.

1.	Call to Order/Review of Agenda • (5 min)	Mari Harris
	Welcome and Ground Rules	A.
2.	Public Comment • (15 min)	Mari Harris
3.	Approval of Minutes • (5 min) > MOTION to approve the minutes of the April 16, 2024,	Amanda Miller B.
4.	Library Board Meeting. Treasurer's Reports • (10 min)	Katie Sheehan
4.	Treasurer's Report Narrative	C.
	Off Warrant (April 9, 2024 – May 10, 2024) > MOTION to accept the Off Warrant in the amount of \$169,198.80 for the period of 4/9/2024 – 5/10/2024.	D.
	Warrant (April 9, 2024 – May 10, 2024) MOTION to authorize the President to sign the Warrant dated 4/9/2024 – 5/10/2024 in the amount of \$32,338.12.	E.
	Financials (35.8% of the year over)	
	 Budget vs. Actual 2024 (1/1/2024 – 5/10/2024) 	F.
	 Balance Sheet (5/10/2024) MOTION to approve the 5/10/2024 Financials with 35.8% of the year completed as presented. 	G.
	Budget Committee Status Update	
5.	Committee Reports • (0 min) N/A	
6.	Director's Report • (15 min)	Jill Dugas Hughes H.

7.	Personnel Memorandum • (0 min)	Jill Dugas Hughes
8.	Liaison Reports • (15 min)	
	Friends of the Library	Julie Ann Price
	Town of East Greenbush	Jim McHugh
	Rensselaer County	Tom Grant
	Upper Hudson Library System	Camie Engel
9.	New Business • (10 min)	Mari Harris
10.	Unfinished Business • (10 min)	Mari Harris
	NYS Comptroller's Annual Financial Report	
	MOTION to approve the Annual Financial Report for the fiscal period 1/1/2023-12/31/2023 to the Office of the New York State Comptroller, as submitted on 4/30/2024.	I.
	Facilities Work Group Update	Michael Poost
11.	Executive Session • (15 min)	Mari Harris
	MOTION to enter executive session to discuss contracts	
	MOTION to exit executive session	
12.	Adjourn	Mari Harris
	➤ MOTION to adjourn the 5/21/2024 Library Board Meeting.	

Upcoming Board & Committee Meetings:

Monday, May 20, 2024

• 3:00-4:30 PM Budget Committee Meeting #3

Thursday, May 30, 2024

• 3:00-4:30 PM Budget Committee Meeting #4

Monday, June 3, 2024

- 5:30-6:30 PM Services Committee Meeting
- 6:30-7:00 PM Financial Documents Training (Full Board)
- 7:00-8:00 PM Administrative Committee Meeting

Tuesday, June 18, 2024

• 7:00-9:00 PM Presentation of Draft Budget to Board & Library Board Meeting

Board of Trustees Meeting Ground Rules

- 1. Start on time, end on time
- 2. Respect agenda
- 3. Come prepared
- 4. Everyone is an equal participant
- 5. Only one person speaks at a time
- 6. Be respectful
- 7. Challenge ideas not people
- 8. Engage in active listening
- 9. Silence is agreement: voice opinions and ideas timely
- 10. No side conversations
- 11. Social time happens before or after meeting
- 12. Follow through on commitment
- 13. Keep discussion focused and on topic
- 14. Be willing and able to reach consensus on decision issues
- 15. Maintain a sense of humor



Library Board of Trustees Meeting - DRAFT April 16, 2024, in person, livestreamed, and recorded

ATTENDEES:

Presiding Officers:

Mari Harris, President

Charlie Pensabene, Vice-President

Katie Sheehan, Treasurer (arrived 7:33 p.m.)

Nichole Krisanda, Trustee (arrived 7:36 p.m.)

Amanda Miller, Trustee

Michael Poost, Trustee

Excused:

Camie Engel, Secretary

Library staff, Community Partners & Members of the Public:

Jill Dugas Hughes, Library Director

Jenna Schmonsky, Administrative Assistant (exited 8:18 p.m.)

Tom Grant, Rensselaer County (exited 8:18 p.m.)

Jim McHugh, Town of East Greenbush (exited 8:18 p.m.)

Julie Ann Price, Friends of the East Greenbush Library (arrived 7:11 p.m.; exited 8:00 p.m.)

CALL TO ORDER:

Ms. Harris called the Library Board of Trustees meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

REVIEW OF AGENDA:

 Ms. Harris reminded trustees that they must complete their 2024 mandatory 2.5-hour training, as required by New York State law. Ms. Harris also reminded committee chairs to submit meeting minutes promptly, within the week that the committee meeting is held.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was no public comment.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

➤ MOTION #2024-04-28: Mr. Poost made the motion to approve the minutes from the March 19, 2024, Library Board meeting as presented. Seconded by Mr. Pensabene. The motion was carried with 4 in favor, none opposed.



LIAISON REPORTS:

Town of East Greenbush:

- Mr. McHugh reported that the Memorial Day Parade for the Town of East Greenbush is scheduled for May 25, 2024, 10:00 a.m. The library was encouraged to contact Lisa O'Brien if they want to participate.
- Ms. Miller inquired about Route 4 being paved. Mr. McHugh noted that Route 4 along with Routes 9 and 20 are State roads, therefore paving them is a state issue and not the town responsibility.

Rensselaer County:

 Mr. Grant reported that he met with acting Rensselaer County Commissioner on Aging Darcie Casey who is looking forward to collaboration with the library once the new county senior center is opened in East Greenbush; opening is anticipated year-end or beginning of 2025.

Upper Hudson Library System:

- Ms. Harris read Ms. Engel's report from the recent UHLS meeting, noting that UHLS began
 discussion about Schenectady County Public Library's proposal to participate in the UHLS
 resource sharing. Schenectady County Public Library is not a UHLS member: they are part of the
 Mohawk Valley Library System. Discussions will continue at UHLS.
- The UHLS Annual Meeting is scheduled for June 12.

Friends of East Greenbush Community Library:

- Ms. Price reported that the Spring Book Sale netted approximately \$6K, through the work of 37 volunteers, and 33 hours. This was the first sale where Friends holding certain membership level were invited to shop the night before the sale opened to the public. Other new initiatives include a Mother's Day book page flower sale (May 1-12) and new themed raffle baskets.
- Hoping to increase marketing efforts for the ongoing book sale, which continues to be steady fundraising source.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: No April Committee Meetings

Administrative: N/A

Services: N/A

DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Ms. Dugas Hughes presented the Director's March report and highlighted the following:

 During a town-wide power outage, the library collaborated with the EG Police Department to serve as a warming and charging center, rescheduling a staff development day to accommodate community needs during the storm. It was suggested that Library consider pursuing a potential future grant for installation of a generator at the library.



 The Solar Eclipse programs was very successful. Program featured family activities, including a community viewing on the library's lawn, and a NASA livestream, attracting several hundred attendees. Program demonstrated effective cross-department collaboration and community engagement. B.

- The library launched a year-long BLARK (Book Lovers Adult Reading Challenge) for adults.
- Find Your Next Read website resources were highlighted.
- A report on the deaccession of music CDs on April 11: CDs were available for free to the
 community during the book sale. Ms. Dugas Hughes reminded everyone that declining usage,
 the strategic plan, and financial considerations (reallocation of resources) drove this decision.
 Received mixed reviews from different segments of the community, but community feedback
 was markedly limited.
- Facilities updates included addressing multiple leaks throughout the library, with a minor HVAC issue resolved and efforts ongoing to identify the cause of another leak associated with the roof drainpipe, which has temporarily stopped.
- The Construction project team continues to meet regularly with the architect and hopes to go out for bid soon, despite project delays.

Ms. Sheehan and Ms. Krisanda arrived at 7:33 and 7:36, respectively.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

K. Sheehan presented the financials. Financial status remains healthy. 2025 budget planning meetings have been scheduled.

- ➤ MOTION #2024-04-29: Ms. Sheehan made a motion to accept the Off-Warrant in the amount of \$122,262.69 for the period of March 12, 2024, through April 8, 2024, as presented. Seconded by Mr. Poost. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.
- ➤ MOTION #2024-04-30: Ms. Sheehan made a motion to authorize the President to sign the Warrant dated March 12 through April 8, 2024, in the amount of \$43,139.84 as presented. Seconded by M. Harris. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.
- ➤ MOTION #2024-04-31: Ms. Sheehan made a motion to approve the April 8, 2024, Financials with 27% of the year completed as presented. Seconded by Ms. Miller. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.

Ms. Harris reminded Board that the NYS Comptroller's AUD report is due April 30, 2024. It will be approved retroactively at the board's next meeting: library's CPA is finishing their review.

NEW BUSINESS:



Public Relations for Library – As a proactive measure, board identified a structure for responding to media inquiries on behalf of the library.

➤ MOTION #2024-04-32: Mr. Poost made a motion to authorize only the Library Director and/or Board President to act as a spokesperson(s) for public relations inquiries related to the library. Seconded by Mr. Pensabene. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.

Server Replacement/Migration Project

- Ms. Dugas Hughes provided an overview of the written proposal included in the board packet for the server migration project, to replace the current, out of warranty server.
- Discussion about moving to a dual server system as recommended by the library's IT company (TAG Solutions) vs. cloud server. There would be minimal budget impact and no negative impact on our cyber insurance.
- Reviewed multiple quotes, which remain within the IT hardware/software 2024 budget line, barring unknown future incidents.
 - ➤ MOTION #2024-04-33: Mr. Pensabene made a motion to authorize the Library Director to spend up to \$15,000 for the server replacement project. as presented. Seconded by Ms. Sheehan. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.

Yearly Evaluations (Director/Board)

• Ms. Harris proposed moving the Director and Board self-evaluation to July with completion in September. There were no objections.

Outreach Idea

• Ms. Miller announced an end of year Spring Fling Party at Genet Elementary and suggested that the library participate.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Ms. Harris indicated the need to discuss a contract. Liaisons and Ms. Schmonsky were excused from the meeting.

- ➤ MOTION #2024-04-34: Mr. Poost made a motion to enter executive session at 8:19 p.m. for the purpose of discussing a contract. Seconded by Mr. Pensabene. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.
- ➤ MOTION #2024-04-35: Ms. Harris made a motion to exit executive session at 9:30 p.m. Seconded by Ms. Krisanda. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:



As a result of the discussion during executive session, an agreement was reached to enable the hiring of a Construction Manager Advisor in conjunction with the Building Construction Project under development by Hyman Hayes Associates. The following motion resulted:

➤ MOTION #2024-04-36: Ms. Harris made a motion to authorize the Director to enter a contract with one of the three Construction Manager Advisors who have provided proposals for consideration by the Facilities workgroup. Seconded by Ms. Krisanda. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.

ADJOURN:

➤ MOTION #2024-04-37: Motion to adjourn the April 16, 2024, library board meeting was made by Mr. Poost at 9:32 p.m. Seconded by Ms. Krisanda. The motion was carried with 6 in favor, none opposed.

Recorded by: Jenna Schmonsky, Administrative Assistant Respectfully submitted by: Amanda Miller, Acting Secretary May 21, Board Meeting

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Treasurer's Report:

Katie presents financials for April 9, 2024 through May 10, 2024.

The library is in good financial standing:

- Total bank accounts are 4.40% above our 2023 total for Board Designated, Cash/Operating, and Reserve/Capital accounts.
- Total assets are 4.39% higher than 2023.
- We have taken in 98.29% of our total revenue for 2024.
- 35.8% of the year is complete, and the grand total of expenditures is 30.22%.
- The only outliers in subcategories are Books and Materials at 41.78% and Professional Services at 46.26% of the total budget.
- Total Operating Expenses are at 31.70% of the total budget.

Noteworthy expenses (over \$1,000) in the Warrant:

- \$1,626.25 will be paid to Amazon for various purchases.
- \$2,697.78 will be paid to Baker & Taylor for the purchase of books.
- \$5,250.91 will be paid to Brodart for books.
- \$2,324.71 will be paid to EBSCO for Novelist Plus, Novelist K-8, and Library Aware subscriptions.
- \$1,690.00 will be paid to Lane Press for summer newsletter printing.
- \$1,857.11 will be paid to Overdrive for adult ebooks and audiobooks.
- \$1,165.33 will be paid to Scholastic for giveaway books.
- \$2,756.66 will be paid to Seasons East Lawn Care for salting and plowing of Community Way and the parking lot.
- \$1,001.13 will be paid to Sebco for non-fiction books.
- \$2,633.00 will be paid to Tag Solutions for May Information Technology services and security software subscriptions.

Noteworthy expenses (over \$1,000) in the Off-Warrant:

- \$1,631.52 was paid to Bank of America for various purchases.
- \$10,173.54 was paid to CDPHP for health insurance.
- \$1,497.20 was paid to MVP for health insurance.
- \$1,794.50 was paid to National Grid for utilities.
- Two payments of \$1,488.33 were paid to NYS Deferred Comp.
- \$1,750.47 was paid to NYSLRS for retirement.
- \$12,720.76, \$35,973.67, \$260.51, \$12,768.68, \$35,974.34, \$241.01, \$12,876.61, \$36,097.71, and \$256.24 were paid for payrolls #8, #9, and #10.

Motions:

- Motion to accept the Off-Warrant in the amount of \$169,198.80 for the period of April 9, 2024 through May 10, 2024, as presented.
- Motion to authorize the president to sign the Warrant for the period of April 9, 2024 through May 10, 2024, in the amount of \$32,338.12.
- Motion to approve the May 10, 2024 Financials with 35.8% of the year completed, as presented.

Budget Committee:

- We have met twice: 5/2 and 5/9. An additional meeting has been added: 5/20.
- Jill has drafted two budgets, which vary as a result of the potential contract with Schodack.
- Items that we continue to discuss are: the contract with Schodack, addition of an assistant director position/reorganization of staffing, cost of living adjustment, programming, and health insurance.
- Remaining meeting dates: May 20 (Monday) and May 30 (Thursday)
- Time: 3:00-4:00 pm
- Members: Mari, Katie, Michael, Charlie
- Draft presentation to the Board: June 18, 2024

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• Public hearing: July 23, 2024

East Greenbush Community Library Off-Warrant (April 9-May 10, 2024)

Cash, Operating Accounts
1003.00 Pioneer OPERATING XXXX0178

Name	Date	Num	Memo/Description	Amount
Aflac	04/25/2024	42244	NBY22	-415.98
Albany Fire Extinguisher	04/24/2024	42238		-390.45
Barger, Ralph	04/25/2024	42245		-480.00
BOA CARD SERVICES	05/02/2024	42246	CORP ACCOUNT 1924	-1,631.52
CDPHP	04/17/2024	42235	10002870	-10,173.54
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS (FIBER OPTIC)	04/24/2024	42239	141867501	-399.00
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS (TELEPHONE)	04/24/2024	42240	142138101	-43.67
GUARDIAN	04/24/2024	42241	00 575836 DENTAL & VISION	-443.56
MVP	04/17/2024	42236	GROUP ID 426827	-1,497.20
Nationalgrid	04/24/2024	42242	34370-88011	-1,794.50
New York State Deferred Comp.	04/24/2024	42243	Plan#0045420	-1,488.33
New York State Deferred Comp.	05/07/2024	42247	Plan#0045420	-1,488.33
NYSLRS	04/30/2024	April 2024	NYSLRS for APRIL 2024	-1,750.47
Paychex	4/12/2024	PR#8; 4/12/24	PR#8	-12,720.76
Paychex	4/12/2024	PR#8; 4/12/24	PR#8	-35,973.67
Paychex	4/12/2024	PR#8; 4/12/24	PROCESSING CHARGES FOR PAYROLL #8 DATED 4/12/24	260.51
	04/26/2024	PR#9; 4/26/24	PR#9	-12,768.68
	04/26/2024	PR#9; 4/26/24	PR#9	-35,974.34
Paychex	04/26/2024	PR# 9; 4/26/24	PROCESSING CHARGES FOR PAYROLL #9 DATED 4/26/24	-241.01
	05/10/2024	PR#10; 5/10/24	PR#10	-12,876.61
	05/10/2024	PR#10; 5/10/24	PR#10	-36,097.71
Paychex	05/10/2024	PR# 10; 5/10/24	PROCESSING CHARGES FOR PAYROLL#10 DATED 5/10/24	-256.24
VERIZON WIRELESS	04/17/2024	42237	542647307-00001	-32.72
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				\$ 169,198.80

Total for 1003.00 Pioneer OPERATING XXXX0178

Total for Cash, Operating Accounts

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VENDOR	DATE	NUM	MEMO/DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Accu-NetWorks				
Accu-NetWorks	05/07/2024	2209	EGCL VEEAM AND CLOUD HOSTING FEES (JAN/FEB/MAR/APR/MAY)	625.00
Total for Accu-NetWorks				\$625.00
Albany Public Library 518-449-3380				
Albany Public Library	04/30/2024	271768	**********6637 LOST/PAID BOOK	19.00
Albany Public Library	05/01/2024	296396	***********8529 LOST/PAID BOOK	5.00
Total for Albany Public Library	y			\$24.00
Amazon Capital Services				
Amazon Capital Services	04/08/2024	1V6P-TGHX-PPTV	A3DG71IHROMNJM ADULT FICTION BOOK	9.99
Amazon Capital Services	04/13/2024	16RC-7VR4-P9XV	A3DG71IHROMNJM YS PROGRAM SUPPLIES	109.13
Amazon Capital Services	04/16/2024	1R73-6GWD-KDPJ	A3DG71IHROMNJM YS PROGRAM SUPPLIES	14.73
Amazon Capital Services	04/16/2024	1Y4N-XPL6-K97W	A3DG71IHROMNJM OFFICE SUPPLIES	163.35
Amazon Capital Services	04/18/2024	167Y-WJ97-1F1H	A3DG71IHROMNJM YS AUDIOBOOK GRANT	36.27
Amazon Capital Services	04/19/2024	1NPV-N9XK-76QG	A3DG71IHROMNJM 9-HARD CASE /YOTO PLAYER YS AUDIOBOOKS GRANT	332.01
Amazon Capital Services	04/19/2024	1JHW-RWLK-791C	A3DG71IHROMNJM YS PROGRAM SUPPLIES	32.25
Amazon Capital Services	04/22/2024	1FHX-NM4N-39VC	A3DG71IHROMNJM HOT OFF THE PRESS BOOKS	74.20
Amazon Capital Services	04/25/2024	1N6R-X6M7-RRKP	A3DG71IHROMNJM TEEN PROGRAM SUPPLIES	183.91
Amazon Capital Services	04/25/2024	19H9-W1WX- PPXF	A3DG71IHROMNJM TEEN PROGRAM SUPPLIES	61.97
Amazon Capital Services	04/26/2024	1LVN-VFRX-6V79	A3DG71IHROMNJM YS STORY WALK BOOKS	132.40
Amazon Capital Services	04/27/2024	1KYN-LP3R-CGDV	A3DG71IHROMNJM ADULT FICTION BOOKS	44.95
Amazon Capital Services	04/27/2024	1N7R-QTWC- DR9C	A3DG71IHROMNJM ADULT LIBRARY OF THINGS	79.98
Amazon Capital Services	04/30/2024	1MDD-WN3N- 3NT4	A3DG71IHROMNJM KILLERS OF THE FLOWER MOON (DVD)	35.89
Amazon Capital Services	04/30/2024	1CN3-NDG3- 6MQR	A3DG71IHROMNJM ADULT HOT OFF THE PRESS BOOKS	79.16
Amazon Capital Services	04/30/2024	1NR4-MV14-DGT3	A3DG71IHROMNJM OFFICE SUPPLIES/OUTREACH SUPPLIES	53.33
Amazon Capital Services	04/30/2024	197Y-4K9W-4W	A3DG71IHROMNJM AS PROGRAM SUPPLY	26.95
Amazon Capital Services	05/01/2024	139G-XPGW-Q4JL	A3DG71IHROMJN CHROMECAST W/ GOOGLE TV (HD)-STREAMING STICK ENTERTAINMENT	26.98
Amazon Capital Services	05/04/2024	1W76-X6Y7-GWQJ	A3DG71IHROMNJM ADULT FICTION BOOKS	63.77
Amazon Capital Services	05/06/2024	1JRH-YRR1-W4JL	A3DG71IHROMNJM MAINTENANCE & OFFICE SUPPLICES	54.17
Amazon Capital Services	05/07/2024	1GTK-49QQ-1N64	A3DG71IHROMNJM TEENFIRCTION BOOKS	39.85
Amazon Capital Services	04/22/2024	1RHP-W7L1-4C9V	A3DG71IHROMNJM CREDIT FOR INVOICE # 11NH-169Q-JL1M; #10 ENVELOPES	-28.99
Total for Amazon Capital Ser	vices			\$1,626.25
B & L CONTROL SERVICE, 273-0500	INC.			
B & L CONTROL SERVICE, INC.	04/17/2024	48435	EGCL BACTERIA DIPSLIDES	75.00
Total for B & L CONTROL SE	RVICE, INC.			\$75.00
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACC				
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	•	5018847028	309318 L026683 3 B00000 J FICTION & J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	218.60
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	04/11/2024	5018852674	309318 L821363 3 B00000 ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	608.54

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BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	04/19/2024	5018868294	309318 L821363 3 B00000 ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	157.25
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	04/23/2024	5018876721	309318 L430452 3 B00000 DAY AT THE AQUARIUN J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	313.10
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	04/26/2024	5018870223	309318 L026683 3 B00000 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	26.37
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	04/30/2024	5018872701	309318 L026667 3 B00000 ADULT GN	78.61
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	05/01/2024	5018886025	309318 L821363 3 B00000 ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	767.63
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	05/03/2024	5018899408	309318 L430452 3 B00000 YS BOOK	45.45
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	05/06/2024	5018892084	309318 L026667 3 B00000 ADULT GN BOOK	16.62
BAKER & TAYLOR (ALL ACCTS)	05/07/2024	5018902132	309318 L430452 3 B00000 YS BOOKS	465.61
Total for BAKER & TAYLOR ((ALL ACCTS)			\$2,697.78
Bennington Museum				
Bennington Museum	05/03/2024	MP 2024	EGCL MUSEUM PASS 2024	90.00
Total for Bennington Museum				\$90.00
Bethlehem Public Library				
Bethlehem Public Library	04/20/2024	268872	*********3686 LOST/PAID BOOK	13.99
Total for Bethlehem Public Lik				\$13.99
Brodart	,			*******
800-233-8467				
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6771980	3105612 TEEN FICTION BOOKS	56.01
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6771973	3105612 TEEN NON-FICTION BOOK	12.15
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6771982	3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	124.12
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6771983	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOK	16.64
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6771978	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	22.59
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6772165	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOK	5.32
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6772166	3105612 J FICTION BOOKS	17.74
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6772230	3105612 J FICTION BOOK	3.71
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6772257	3105612 J FICTION BOOK	4.95
Brodart	04/08/2024	B6771984	3105612 J PARENTING BOOK	16.74
Brodart	04/09/2024	B6772655	3105614 J FICTION BOOK	11.74
Brodart	04/09/2024	B6772493	3105614 J PARENTING BOOKS	71.83
Brodart	04/09/2024	B6772533	3105614 J POP FICTION BOOKS	52.50
Brodart	04/10/2024	B6773395	3105613 J FICTION BOOK	137.13
Brodart	04/15/2024	B6774924	310561B ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	91.65
Brodart	04/15/2024	B6775054	310561B ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	87.05
Brodart	04/15/2024	B6775103	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	30.88
Brodart	04/15/2024	B6775104	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	33.44
Brodart	04/15/2024	B6775190	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	523.74
Brodart	04/17/2024	B6776237	3105614 J NON-FICTION BOOK	14.85
Brodart	04/18/2024	B6776964	3105613 ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	4.48
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777702	3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	48.22
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777337	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	141.24
	04/10/2024	B6777338	310561B ADULT NON-FICTION BOOK	17.86
Brodart	04/13/2024	D0777000	STOSOTE ADOLITION TO HONDOOK	17.00

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Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777690	3105612 J READALONG BOOK	6.91
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777691	3105612 J FICTION BOOKS	138.90
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777693	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	54.76
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777697	3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	50.47
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777698	3105612 J FICTION BOOKS	54.34
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777699	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	17.29
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777700	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	19.02
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777715	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	50.14
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777716	310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	50.74
Brodart	04/19/2024	B6777718	3105612 J FICTION BOOKS	31.70
Brodart	04/25/2024	B6780535	3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	10.64
Brodart	04/25/2024	B6780646	3105612 J FICTION BOOKS	18.26
Brodart	04/25/2024	B6780614	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOK	11.58
Brodart	04/25/2024	B6780536	3105612 J BOARD BOOKS	13.45
Brodart	04/26/2024	B6781333	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	467.88
Brodart	04/26/2024	B6781130	3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	165.21
Brodart	04/26/2024	B6781105	3105612 J PARENTING BOOKS	117.86
Brodart	04/26/2024	B6781266	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	273.50
Brodart	04/29/2024	B6782521	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	100.88
Brodart	04/29/2024	B6782530	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	268.97
Brodart	04/29/2024	B6782374	3105612 TEEN FICTION BOOKS	117.11
Brodart	04/29/2024	B6782599	3105612 J FICTION PICTURE BOOK	11.58
Brodart	04/29/2024		3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	33.69
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	31.98
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT NON-FICTION BOOKS	29.37
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	16.72
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	508.99
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	10.41
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	16.72
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	16.72
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	82.67
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	35.16
Brodart	05/01/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	17.87
Brodart	05/04/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOK	17.87
Brodart	05/04/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	175.83
Brodart	05/04/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	69.19
Brodart	05/04/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	52.46
Brodart	05/04/2024		310561B ADULT FICTION BOOKS	34.59
Brodart	05/06/2024		3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	39.99
Brodart	05/06/2024		3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	59.89
Brodart	05/06/2024		3105612 J PARENTING BOOK	16.14
Brodart	05/06/2024		3105612 TEEN FICTION BOOK	15.79
Brodart	05/06/2024		3106512 J FICTION PICTURE BOOKS	260.91
Brodart	05/06/2024		3105612 J PARENTING BOOK	81.97
Brodart	05/06/2024		3105612 J POP FICTION BOOKS	15.09
Total for Brodart	03/00/2024	50703730	GIGGGIZ GI GI FIGTION BOOKS	\$5,250.91
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BRYANS & GRAMUGLIA	0.4/0.0/0.00	5000	FOOL MANAGAMENT ADVISORY SERVICES FOR ORGANIA TO SE	FF0 00
BRYANS & GRAMUGLIA	04/20/2024	১ ୪୪୪	EGCL MANAGAMENT ADVISORY SERVICES FOR QBO CHART OF ACCOUNTS DISCUSSION W/ RG VIA PHONE	550.00

VENDOR	DATE	NUM	MEMO/DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Total for BRYANS & GRAMU	GLIA			\$550.00
CAMFIL USA, INC.				
CAMFIL USA, INC.	04/12/2024	30460367	29902-000 AIR FILTERS	713.21
Total for CAMFIL USA, INC.				\$713.21
Capital Security 479-7122				
Capital Security	04/15/2024	191423	EGRN NETWORK/CELLULAR MONITORING 5/1/24-5/31/24	63.00
Total for Capital Security				\$63.00
CENGAGE Learning/GALE 877-201-3962 opt 2				
CENGAGE Learning/GALE	04/11/2024	84180983	124198 ADULT LP BOOKS	65.58
CENGAGE Learning/GALE	04/14/2024	84190350	124198 ADULT LP BOOKS	55.18
CENGAGE Learning/GALE	04/22/2024	84215661	124198 ADULT LP BOOKS	88.78
CENGAGE Learning/GALE	04/23/2024	84219706	124198 ADULT LP BOOKS	85.57
CENGAGE Learning/GALE	04/24/2024	84226514	124198 ADULT LP BOOK	19.19
CENGAGE Learning/GALE		84234499	124198 ADULT LP BOOKS	173.58
Total for CENGAGE Learning Center Point Large Print 1-800-929-9108	/GALE			\$487.88
Center Point Large Print	04/02/2024	2089430	INV. # 2089430 ADULT LP BOOK	24.00
Center Point Large Print	04/03/2024	2088823	EGCL ADULT LP BOOKS	61.42
Total for Center Point Large F	Print			\$85.42
COLLABORATIVE SUMMER	LIBRARY PF	ROGRAM		
COLLABORATIVE SUMMER LIBRARY PROGRAM	02/20/2024	Woo298155	EGCL 2024 SUMMER READING T-SHIRTS FOR STAFF	322.75
Total for COLLABORATIVE S	UMMER LIBI	RARY PROGRAM		\$322.75
Dropmysuite Inc.				
Dropmysuite Inc.	05/07/2024	8175.14	EGCL DIRECT USER EMAIL & COLLABORATION BACKUP SUBSCRIPTION COST 4/1/24-4/30/24	81.00
Total for Dropmysuite Inc.				\$81.00
EBSCO				
201-569-2500 ext.25				
EBSCO	04/22/2024	1000228833-1	TN63848-75 EBSCO PACKAGE : NOVELIST PLUS, NOVELIST K-8, LIBRARY AWARE 5/1/24-4/30/25	2,344.21
EBSCO	12/31/2023	131323	TN63848 CREDIT 2401167	-19.50
Total for EBSCO				\$2,324.71
EGCL - Petty Cash				
EGCL - Petty Cash	04/22/2024	5014	EGCL TEEN SUPPLIES JENNA ZABOROWSKI	23.98
Total for EGCL - Petty Cash				\$23.98
FARONICS				
FARONICS	05/03/2024	00243945	EGCL DEEP FREEZE STD NA MAINTENANCE ANNUAL RENEWAL & DEEP FREEZE CLOUD PREMIUM SUBSCRIPT ANNUAL RENEWAL 5/31/24-5/30/25	893.00
Total for FARONICS				\$893.00
HOME DEPOT				
HOME DEPOT	04/12/2024	2493234	**** **** 8313 CEILING TILES	99.22
Total for HOME DEPOT				\$99.22

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KEY COMMUNICATIONS	DAIL	NOW	WEWO/DEGOTH FIGH	AWOON
518 436-9572				
KEY COMMUNICATIONS	04/27/2024	101306	EGCL CONVERT PHONE SERVICE FROM BLUEFACE TO GIGTEL	256.00
Total for KEY COMMUNICAT	TIONS			\$256.00
KNOLL INC				
KNOLL INC	04/10/2024	5228421	EGCL INSTALLLATION (GSA)	280.00
Total for KNOLL INC				\$280.00
LANE PRESS				
LANE PRESS	04/11/2024	2990	402 SPRING/SUMMER 2024 NEWSLETTER	1,690.00
Total for LANE PRESS				\$1,690.00
MARINE DESIGN & SERVIC	Ε			
MARINE DESIGN &	04/29/2024	5749	EGCL FISH TANK SERVICE & AQUEON FILTER CARTRIDGE	109.99
SERVICE				
Total for MARINE DESIGN &	SERVICE			\$109.99
MicroMarketing LLC				
1-800-229-9887				
MicroMarketing LLC	04/09/2024		1233 ADULT AUDIOBOOK ON CD	148.74
MicroMarketing LLC	04/09/2024		1233 ADULT AUDIOBOOK ON CD	67.98
MicroMarketing LLC	04/29/2024	952480	1233 ADULT AUDIOBOOK ON CD	39.27
Total for MicroMarketing LLC	•			\$255.99
Midwest Tape				
1-800-875-2785	0.4/0.0/0.004	505000040	OCCORDANA A DI II T DI IDO	470.44
Midwest Tape		505302649	2000001824 ADULT DVDS	178.41
Midwest Tape		505322779	2000001825 ADULT DVDS	86.20
Midwest Tape		505358117	2000001825 ADULT DVDS	145.43 149.93
Midwest Tape Total for Midwest Tape	04/30/2024	505404705	2000001825 ADULT DVDS	\$559.97
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NATIONAL BUSINESS TECH	,	INC07070	ECON CODIEC MADE EDOM STAFE CODIED	075.01
NATIONAL BUSINESS TECH. (ALBANY)	04/22/2024	111607970	EG00 COPIES MADE FROM STAFF COPIER	375.81
Total for NATIONAL BUSINE	SS TECH. (A	I BANY)		\$375.81
New York State Parks-Schol	•			φονοιοι
New York State Parks-	03/14/2024	06112024	EGRN THROUGH THE MIRE 6/11/24 & STRANGE HISTORY 10/29/24	60.00
Schoharie Crossing	00/14/2024	00112024	ADULT PROGRAMS	00.00
Total for New York State Par	ks-Schoharie	Crossing		\$60.00
Northeast Toner, Inc.		· ·		
518-899-5545				
Northeast Toner, Inc.	04/15/2024	117831	EGCL COMPAT HP CE250X BLACK TONER	140.00
Total for Northeast Toner, Inc	Э.			\$140.00
OCLC				
800-848-5800+1+2+3				
OCLC	05/01/2024	1000368887	10306 WORLDSHARE ILL SERVICE 5/1/24-4/30/24	575.06
Total for OCLC				\$575.06
OVERDRIVE				
216-573-6886 ext.212				
OVERDRIVE	04/09/2024	01080DA24109763	1080-1012 ADULT EBOOKS	110.00
OVERDRIVE			1080-0012 ADULT EBOOKS	82.50
OVERDRIVE			1080-0012 ADULT EBOOK & E AUDIOBOOKS	179.95
OVERDRIVE	04/16/2024	01080DA24117243	1080-1012 ADULT EBOOK & ADULT E AUDIOBOOKS	179.95

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OVERDRIVE OVERDRIVE		01080DA24123801 0108DA24123592	1080-0012 1-ADULT E AUDIOBOOK 1080-1012 3-ADULT EBOOKS & 3-ADULT E AUDIOBOOKS	47.50 450.00
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OVERDRIVE		01080CO24126534		594.76
OVERDRIVE OVERDRIVE		01080DA24133715 01080DA24133917	1080-0012 ADULT EBOOK & ADULT EAUDIOBOOK 1080-1012 ADULT EBOOK & ADULT EAUDIOBOOK	102.50 109.95
Total for OVERDRIVE	04/30/2024	01060DA24133917	1080-1012 ADOLT EBOOK & ADOLT EAUDIOBOOK	\$1,857.11
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PLAYAWAY PRODUCTS LL (877) 893-0808	C			
PLAYAWAY PRODUCTS	04/18/2024	450077	EGCL I'M HUNGRY! TENGO HAMBRE! J PLAYAWAY	124.98
LLC	04/10/2024	403077	EGGE TWITIONGTT: TENGOTIANIBITE: 01 EATAWAT	124.90
PLAYAWAY PRODUCTS	05/03/2024	460787	EGCL J PLAYAWAYS	326.94
LLC	00,00,2021	100707		020.0
Total for PLAYAWAY PRODU	UCTS LLC			\$451.92
SCHOLASTIC				
SCHOLASTIC	05/02/2024	60034654	4253413 YS SRP GIVEAWAY BOOKS	1,165.33
Total for SCHOLASTIC	00/02/2021	00001001	In the second division of the second	\$1,165.33
Seasons East Lawn Care				ψ.,.σσ.σσ
732-2276 new 8.07				
Seasons East Lawn Care	04/04/2024	13487	EGCL 8-SALTINGS OF PARKING LOT 3/11/24-3/24/24	1,980.00
Seasons East Lawn Care	04/08/2024		EGCL-10-SNOW PLOWING & SALTING OF COMMUNITY WAY	776.66
Codoono Last Lawn Caro	0 1/00/2021	10 100	3/11/24-3/24/24	770.00
Total for Seasons East Lawn	Care			\$2,756.66
Sebco Books				
800-223-3251				
Sebco Books	04/10/2024	212509	14883 J NON-FICTION BOOKS	1,001.13
Total for Sebco Books				\$1,001.13
STAPLES				
1-877-826-7755				
STAPLES	04/16/2024	6001228252	1008052 MAINTENANCE AND OFFICE SUPPLIES	261.50
STAPLES	04/19/2024	6001267160	1008052 MAINTENANCE & OFFICE SUPPLIES	279.20
STAPLES	05/07/2024	6002187634	1008052 MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	164.44
Total for STAPLES				\$705.14
TAG SOLUTIONS, LLC				
(518) 292-6510				
TAG SOLUTIONS, LLC	05/01/2024	30629066	21743 IT MANAGED SERVICES 5/1/24-5/31/24	2,633.00
Total for TAG SOLUTIONS, I	LLC			\$2,633.00
Town of East Greenbush				
Town of East Greenbush	05/01/2024	554455	984 SEWER/WATER USAGE 2/1/24-4/30/24	255.62
Total for Town of East Green	bush			\$255.62
Troy Public Library				
Troy Public Library	04/08/2024	249976	38132101493317 LOST/PAID BOOK	27.00
Troy Public Library	04/27/2024		*********9607 LOST/PAID BOOK	16.99
Total for Troy Public Library	0 1/21/2021			\$43.99
TWIN BRIDGES				Ţ.0.00
518-282-5600				
TWIN BRIDGES	05/01/2024	MAY 2024	55-8109 1 WASTE & RECYCLING MAY 2024	263.71
	55,01,202T	SERVICE	STATE OF THE STATE	200.71
Total for TWIN BRIDGES				\$263.71
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Warrant of Bills by Vendor (April 9-May 10, 2024)

VENDOR	DATE	NUM	MEMO/DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
1-800-295-5510				
Uline	04/15/2024	176929304	7372353 MAINTENANCE/OFFICE SUPPLIES	119.04
Total for Uline				\$119.04
UNGERMAN ELECTRIC (518) 436-8741				
UNGERMAN ELECTRIC	04/24/2024	42961	EGCL NEW ELECTRICAL CIRCUIT & OUTLET IN DIRECTOR'S OFFICE	430.03
Total for UNGERMAN ELEC	TRIC			\$430.03
ZABOROWSKI, JENNA				
ZABOROWSKI, JENNA	04/18/2024	04182020- 04202024	EGCL MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT FOR NYLA YSS CONFERENCE 4/18-4/20/24; 456 MILES	305.52
Total for ZABOROWSKI, JEI	NNA			\$305.52
TOTAL				\$32,338.12

Payment Approved	/	1		
President, Library Box	ard o	Trustees:		

Note

East Greenbush Community Library

Budget vs. Actuals: 2024 Voter Approved Budget

January 1, 2024 - May 10, 2024

	TOTAL							
	ACTUAL	BUDGET	OVER BUDGET	% OF BUDGET				
Revenue								
4000 Library Charges								
4001.00 Printing/Fax/Fees	3,129.41	9,000.00	-5,870.59	34.77 %				
4002.00 Fines	243.58	0.00	243.58					
4003.00 Lost or Damaged	1,973.82	4,500.00	-2,526.18	43.86 %				
Total 4000 Library Charges	5,346.81	13,500.00	-8,153.19	39.61 %				
4100 Other Income/Interest	9,332.10	2,000.00	7,332.10	466.61 %				
4200 Public Funds	2,261,623.12	2,277,625.00	-16,001.88	99.30 %				
4400.00 Restricted Income (G/G)	32,050.00	35,000.00	-2,950.00	91.57 %				
4401.00 Non-Restricted Income (G/G)	2,112.26	1,500.00	612.26	140.82 %				
4990.00 Transfer from Reserve(s)		21,125.00	-21,125.00					
Total Revenue	\$2,310,464.29	\$2,350,750.00	\$ -40,285.71	98.29 %				
GROSS PROFIT	\$2,310,464.29	\$2,350,750.00	\$ -40,285.71	98.29 %				
Expenditures								
CAP Long-Term Savings		109,850.00	-109,850.00					
Operating Expenses								
5000 Technology/Communications	23,451.85	96,650.00	-73,198.15	24.26 %				
5010 Programming & Planning	4,800.71	24,200.00	-19,399.29	19.84 %				
5020 Bks & Mat'ls (Collections)	66,469.26	159,100.00	-92,630.74	41.78 %				
5030 Facilities Expenses	35,755.59	143,300.00	-107,544.41	24.95 %				
5040 Professional Services	29,607.63	64,000.00	-34,392.37	46.26 %				
5050 Operatins	8,789.07	37,425.00	-28,635.93	23.48 %				
5100 Human Resources/Staff Devt	1,259.03	6,500.00	-5,240.97	19.37 %				
5200 Personnel	540,297.30	1,709,725.00	-1,169,427.70	31.60 %				
Total Operating Expenses	710,430.44	2,240,900.00	-1,530,469.56	31.70 %				
Total Expenditures	\$710,430.44	\$2,350,750.00	\$ -1,640,319.56	30.22 %				
NET OPERATING REVENUE	\$1,600,033.85	\$0.00	\$1,600,033.85	0.00%				
Other Expenditures	\$ -585.20	\$0.00	\$ -585.20	0.00%				
NET OTHER REVENUE	\$585.20	\$0.00	\$585.20	0.00%				
NET REVENUE	\$1,600,619.05	\$0.00	\$1,600,619.05	0.00%				

Note

On this date, the year is 35.8 % over.

East Greenbush Community Library

Balance Sheet As of May 10, 2024

	TOTAL			
	AS OF MAY 10, 2024	AS OF MAY 10, 2023 (PY)	CHANGE	% CHANGE
ASSETS				
Current Assets				
Bank Accounts				
Board Designated Accounts				
1001.00 Pioneer GIFT & GRANT XXXX0186	96,252.35	60,712.81	35,539.54	58.54 %
1002.00 Petty Cash Gift & Grant	200.00	200.00	0.00	0.00 %
1007.00 Pioneer HURR ACCOUNT XXX244	58,633.13	58,369.15	263.98	0.45 %
Total Board Designated Accounts	155,085.48	119,281.96	35,803.52	30.02 %
Cash, Operating Accounts				
1003.00 Pioneer OPERATING XXXX0178	102,559.66	145,288.43	-42,728.77	-29.41 %
1004.00 Pioneer PUBLIC FINANCE XXXX0194	1,784,707.31	2,154,271.24	-369,563.93	-17.15 %
1005.00 Pioneer FUND BALANCE XXX251	49,348.99	57,250.80	-7,901.81	-13.80 %
1006.00 Petty Cash	200.00	200.00	0.00	0.00 %
ZZZPetty Checking (deleted)	0.00	-90.00	90.00	100.00 %
Total Cash, Operating Accounts	1,936,815.96	2,356,920.47	-420,104.51	-17.82 %
Reserve, Capital Accounts				
1008.00 Pioneer CAPITAL RESERVEXXXX0228	602,934.32	295,399.58	307,534.74	104.11 %
1009.00 Pioneer OPER. CONT. RESXXXX0210	390,111.20	183,380.73	206,730.47	112.73 %
Total Reserve, Capital Accounts	993,045.52	478,780.31	514,265.21	107.41 %
Total Bank Accounts	\$3,084,946.96	\$2,954,982.74	\$129,964.22	4.40 %
Accounts Receivable	\$0.00	\$90.00	\$ -90.00	-100.00 %
Other Current Assets	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$0.00	0.00 %
Total Current Assets	\$3,085,196.96	\$2,955,322.74	\$129,874.22	4.39 %
Fixed Assets	\$2,217,439.06	\$2,269,239.35	\$ -51,800.29	-2.28 %
TOTAL ASSETS	\$5,302,636.02	\$5,224,562.09	\$78,073.93	1.49 %
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
Liabilities	\$32,338.12	\$47,294.22	\$ -14,956.10	-31.62 %
Equity	\$5,270,297.90	\$5,177,267.87	\$93,030.03	1.80 %
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$5,302,636.02	\$5,224,562.09	\$78,073.93	1.49 %

Note

On this date, the year is 35.8% over.

Director's Report- May 21, 2024

Based on Strategic Plan 2023-2028 "You Belong Here" Adopted September 19, 2023

Vision: To serve at the central hub where people feel welcome, supported in learning, and connected to community and one another.

Mission: We inspire learning, imagination, collaboration, and compassion by providing our community with equitable access to resources in a welcoming environment.

Goals (details at the end of report)

- 1. Build Community Connections
- 2. Engage With Your Community
- 3. Satisfy Curiosity and Stimulate Imagination
- 4. Promote Literacies
- 5. Advance Local Economic Vitality

Highlights

• Hours & Visits:

Open 7 days/week, totaling 272 hours, including one 2-hour delay on April 4 due to weather (opened at 11am). We had 22,543 visits in April 2024 (12,730 in-person, and 9,813 website visitors) a 10% increase over last month

• Collection Highlights:

Total collection use dropped slightly (50,246 in April vs. 51,243 in March). Physical borrowing remained stable, database use was steady, Libby/Overdrive digital lending decreased, while hoopla digital lending increased. Latest items added to Library of Things, NOVEL NY funding secure.

Membership:

Active Cardholders increased 15%, with 110 new library card registrations in April.

Programs:

We held 60 library programs in April, with 2,029 attendees sponsored by the library. Additionally, meeting rooms were used 80 times for non-library sponsored programs, hosting 798 attendees. Highlights include Young Author Reading, Early Literacy Initiatives, Tech Literacy Classes, and Local Author Fair Planning.

Outreach/Partnership Initiatives:

Kindergarten Visits, Summer Reading Coordination, Same Day Meeting Room Usage, Book Giveaways, YMCA Healthy Kids Day

1. Outreach/Partnerships Highlights

Kindergarten Visits (Goal 1)

- The Youth & Family Services team hosted five kindergarten classes from Genet and one
 preschool class, welcoming over 100 young visitors. Each child received a bag containing
 library information, a pencil, an eraser, a bookmark, and their own library card. Four
 kindergarten classes from Red Mill are scheduled for May.
- Feeback from Genet Elementary has been overwhelmingly positive, with reports of this
 being their best visit to date. The children enjoyed the full storytime session, and
 teachers appreciated the free Early Readers provided to those students who were unable
 to borrow items.
- These visits foster a love of reading and strengthen community connections, supporting early literacy.

Summer Reading Coordination with Genet and Red Mill Schools (Goal 1)

- Staff visited school librarians to discuss summer reading program partnerships.
- Our Youth & Family Services team will provide summer reading program flyers, be interviewed by 5th graders at Red Mill for morning announcements, and present at a Genet school assembly.

Staff Outreach Team (Goal 1)

- The Outreach Team, comprising staff from all departments with rotating co-chairs, continues to advance strategic plan initiatives.
- We are developing a partnership policy and procedures, to be reviewed by the services committee.

YMCA Healthy Kids Day (Goal 2)

• Staff represented the library at the YMCA's Healthy Kids Day, interacting with approximately 67 people.

NYS Division of Consumer Protection (Goal 2)

 Partnered with the NYS Division of Consume Protection to offer two workshops on avoiding scams and protecting identity.

Book Giveaways for Kids (Goal 4)

 Acquired 52 free children's books from the PEF book fair at the Albany Armory, to be used for giveaways during summer reading and outreach events.

Stewarts Ice Cream Gift Certificates (Goal 5)

• Secured 250 Stewart's Ice Cream gift certificates for summer reading program incentives.

Other Partnerships this month (Goal 2)

Collaborated with numerous organizations including AARP, American Red Cross,
Columbia High school, East Greenbush Polic Department, Fed Ex, Friends of the Library,
Girl Scouts, Grass Roots Givers, Greenbush Area YMCA, Greenbush Garden Club,
Greenbush Historical Society, Green Meadow Elementary, NYS Division of Consumer
Protection, NYS Legislature Assemblyperson McDonald, Project Linus, Questar III BOCES,
Red Mill Elementary, Rensselaer County Board of Elections, Town of East Greenbush,
WAMC.

GOAT (Greatest of All Time) Teen Services Conference Hosted at Library (Goal 1)

Hosted the UHLS GOAT (greatest of all time) Teen Services Conference, attended by 42
librarians from various systems, including one from New this month. Forty-two librarians
from several New York systems attended, with one from New Jersey.

2. Programming Highlights

Young Author Reading (Goal 2)

 Hosted a young author reading by patron Charlie Harling, who read from the second book in his upcoming trilogy.

Program Volunteers (Goal 2)

 Volunteers included: Margaret Kelly, Cinema Society, Syma Lapides Project Linus, Julie Ann Price, Mahjong Learners Group, Ginny Lazzaro and Lynne Catelotti (Book Group), Kevin McCann (Books with Wheels), Karen DeBonis and Sandra Foyt (author program).

Teen Volunteers (Goal 5)

 Teen volunteers assisted with shelving materials, shelf-reading, and craft prep, gaining valuable soft skills for future employment. Six teens volunteered for a total of 21 hours, coming from schools such as Columbia, Goff, Maple Hill, Homeschool, Averill Park, Robert C. Parker, and Tech Valley.

Tech Literacy Classes (Goal 4)

 Developed "Tech Time," a new series of technology education classes. The first class in May will cover hoopla, aiming to ease the transition away from physical CDs to digital music.

Scavenger Hunt (Goal 3)

 Organized a Dog Man-themed scavenger hunt, with participation from 375 children who were assisted by 152 adults, totaling 527 participants.

Same Day Reservations; Meeting Rooms (Goal 1)

Meeting room use remains popular, with 21 same-day room reservations made in April.

Early Literacy (Goal 4)

 Hosted nine storytimes in with 300 attendees. Reintroduced Saturday Storytimes, receiving positive feedback. Promoted ongoing reading challenges like "1000 Books Before Kindergarten," with 30 new participants and seven completions. Our young readers logged 6,280 books in April.

• The children's room window display, "April Flowers Bring May Flowers," featured flower pictures with names to assist children learning to read.

Local Author Fair (Goal 5)

 Began planning for a local author fair that will take place on November 10 to promote local authors to the community.

3. Collection Highlights

New YOTO Audio Book Collection for Youth (Goal 3)

 Preparing to launch a new audio book collection with 10 new YOTO players, funded by a Friends grant.

Creativebug Rollout Continues (Goal 3)

Actively promoting our new database Creativebug.

Library of Things Additions (Goal 3)

Added new items including two GoPros, a hiking backpack, outdoor lawn games, a
pickleball set, disc golf set, and four board games.

Consumer Reports Database Subscription Not Renewed (Goal 4)

Due to low usage, we will not renew Consumer Reports subscription in June 2024. We
identified free online alternatives like Wirecutter and CNET to meet patron needs. We
will continue subscribing to the Consumer Reports print magazine.

State Funded Suite of Databases Renewed (Goal 4)

 NYS will renew the NOVELNY, state funded suite of databases for the upcoming year, with new resources including Patterson's Test Prep and NYS Legal Forms. Reference librarians are preparing for training to assist patrons with these resources.

4. Staff Development/Training

YSS Conference (1 staff member):

• Staff attended a collaboration day with youth services librarians statewide. We booked two summer art programs via a YSS Conference connection.

Webinars Attended:

- Fostering Partnerships: School and Public Libraries Unite for Summer Reading Adventures, hosted by NYS Library.
- Canva for Beginners
- Community Connections: Break with Tradition

Hoopla Training:

 All full-time reference librarians attended hoopla training to better assist patrons with digital materials. Capital Projects/Facilities

5. Capital Projects/Facilities

Capital Project Work Group:

- The Capital Project work group continues to make progress. We received notification from UHLS of additional funds, securing a full 50% match for the NYS Construction Grant. The total project cost is estimated at \$694,712, with \$347,356 in grant funds.
- Wainschaf Associates, Inc. has been selected as the Construction Manager Advisor. We aim to start work in August, pending the public bid process.

6. IT/Infrastructure Updates

Meeting with Tag Solutions:

 Collaborating on a roadmap for the remainder of 2024 and beyond, to be discussed with the Admin Committee

Windows 11 Upgrades:

• Several staff computers are in the process of getting updated to Windows 11 to enhance compatibility with office applications.

2023-2028 Strategic Plan Goals

- 1. **Build Community Connections:** Community members will feel welcomed by the library and library staff and will feel more connected with one another by having access to programs and resources that are responsive to their needs, reflective of the diversity of community voices, and give them the opportunity to work together with the library to create meaningful experiences.
- 2. **Engage With Your Community:** New and longtime community members will see the East Greenbush Community Library as a central hub for resources to engage them with local government, volunteer opportunities, and programs, services, and activities in partnership with community agencies and organizations.
- 3. Satisfy Curiosity and Stimulate Imagination: Community members will know that when they interact with East Greenbush Community Library, they will have access to resources and experiences that enrich their lives and engage them with new ideas in spaces that allow for both quiet and active uses.
- 4. **Promote Literacies:** Community members will see the value in literacies of all types, from early literacy to digital literacy. Community members of all ages will find services at the library that help them to develop or practice a variety of literacy skills, develop their ability to understand and express ideas and opinions, and to succeed in pursuits of interest.
- 5. **Advance Local Economic Vitality:** Local Businesses, entrepreneurs, and community leaders will view the library as part of their support system for growth and success in our community.

Our recent initiatives, aligned with the Strategic Plan's goals, demonstrate our dedication to building connections, engaging with the community, stimulating imagination, promoting literacies, and enhancing local economic vitality. These efforts underscore our commitment to our vision and mission, ensuring that the East Greenbush Community Library remains a welcoming and supportive hub for everyone. We look forward to continuing this work and serving our community with excellence.

Respectfully Submitted: Jill Dugas Hughes, Director

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Authorization

Article 3, Section 30 of the General Municipal Law

- ***Every Municipal Corporation*** shall annually make a report of its financial condition to the Comptroller. Such report shall be made by the Chief Fiscal Officer of such Municipal Corporation***
- 5. All reports shall be certified by the officer making the same and shall be filed with the Comptroller*** it shall be the duty of the incumbent officer at the time such reports are required to be filed with the Comptroller to file such report***

Certification Statement

I, Jill Dugas Hughes (LG384624900100A), hereby certify that I am the Chief Financial Officer of the SPU - Library of East Greenbush Community Library, and that the information provided in the Annual Financial Report of the SPU - Library of East Greenbush Community Library for the fiscal year ended 12/31/2023, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A - General Balance Sheet

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Assets and Deferred Outflows			
Assets			
Cash and Cash Equivalents			
200 - Cash	\$1,517,037.00	\$1,354,964.00	\$1,162,900.00
210 - Petty Cash	\$650.00	\$650.00	\$650.00
Total for Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$1,517,687.00	\$1,355,614.00	\$1,163,550.00
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents			
230 - Cash Special Reserves	-	-	\$0.00
Total for Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total for Assets	\$1,517,687.00	\$1,355,614.00	\$1,163,550.00
Total for Assets and Deferred Outflows	\$1,517,687.00	\$1,355,614.00	\$1,163,550.00

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A - General Balance Sheet

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows and Fund Balances			
Liabilities			
Payables			
600 - Accounts Payable	\$65,387.00	\$19,169.00	\$1,045.00
Total for Payables	\$65,387.00	\$19,169.00	\$1,045.00
Total for Liabilities	\$65,387.00	\$19,169.00	\$1,045.00
Fund Balance			
Restricted Fund Balance			
815 - Unemployment Insurance Reserve	-	-	\$0.00
878 - Capital Reserve	-	-	\$0.00
899 - Other Restricted Fund Balance Restricted for Grants	\$14,902.00	\$24,734.00	\$23,425.00
Total for Restricted Fund Balance	\$14,902.00	\$24,734.00	\$23,425.00
Assigned Fund Balance			
914 - Assigned Appropriated Fund Balance	-	\$111,121.00	\$0.00
915 - Assigned Unappropriated Fund Balance	\$1,437,398.00	\$1,200,590.00	\$1,139,080.00
Total for Assigned Fund Balance	\$1,437,398.00	\$1,311,711.00	\$1,139,080.00
Total for Fund Balance	\$1,452,300.00	\$1,336,445.00	\$1,162,505.00
Total for Liabilities, Deferred Inflows and Fund Balances	\$1,517,687.00	\$1,355,614.00	\$1,163,550.00

A - General Results of Operations

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Revenues and Other Sources			
Revenues			
Property Taxes			
1001 - Real Property Taxes	\$1,876,757.00	\$1,770,525.00	\$1,722,454.00
Total for Property Taxes	\$1,876,757.00	\$1,770,525.00	\$1,722,454.00
Departmental Income			
2082 - Library Charges	\$16,802.00	\$24,562.00	\$18,941.00
Total for Departmental Income	\$16,802.00	\$24,562.00	\$18,941.00
Intergovernmental Charges			
2360 - Library Services Other Governments Public Funds	\$339,900.00	\$322,000.00	\$311,563.00
Total for Intergovernmental Charges	\$339,900.00	\$322,000.00	\$311,563.00
Use of Money and Property			
2401 - Interest and Earnings	\$4,320.36	\$754.00	\$354.00
Total for Use of Money and Property	\$4,320.36	\$754.00	\$354.00
Other Revenues			
2701 - Refunds of Prior Year Expenditures	-	\$0.00	\$62.00
2705 - Gifts and Donations	\$23,368.00	\$34,479.00	\$4,022.00
2760 - Library System Grant	-	\$0.00	\$337.00
2770 - Unclassified	-	-	\$0.00

A - General Results of Operations

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Total for Other Revenues	\$23,368.00	\$34,479.00	\$4,421.00
State Aid			
3840 - State Aid for Libraries	\$4,972.00	\$4,937.00	\$5,553.00
Total for State Aid	\$4,972.00	\$4,937.00	\$5,553.00
Federal Aid			
4089 - Federal Aid Other	-	-	\$1,472.00
Total for Federal Aid	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,472.00
Total for Revenues	\$2,266,119.36	\$2,157,257.00	\$2,064,758.00
Total for Revenues and Other Sources	\$2,266,119.36	\$2,157,257.00	\$2,064,758.00

A - General Results of Operations

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Expenditures and Other Uses			
Expenditures			
Culture and Recreation			
Culture			
74101 - Library - Personal Services	\$1,103,409.00	\$1,111,377.00	\$1,072,619.00
74102 - Library - Equipment and Capital Outlay	\$249,378.00	\$216,582.00	\$153,779.00
74104 - Library - Contractual	\$410,183.00	\$319,709.00	\$264,964.00
74108 - Library - Employee Benefits	\$387,294.00	\$335,649.00	\$532,295.00
Total for Culture	\$2,150,264.00	\$1,983,317.00	\$2,023,657.00
Total for Culture and Recreation	\$2,150,264.00	\$1,983,317.00	\$2,023,657.00
Debt Service			
Debt Service			
97976 - Debt Service Other Government - Debt Principal	-	-	\$0.00
97977 - Debt Service Other Government - Debt Interest	-	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total for Debt Service	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total for Debt Service	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total for Expenditures	\$2,150,264.00	\$1,983,317.00	\$2,023,657.00
Total for Expenditures and Other Uses	\$2,150,264.00	\$1,983,317.00	\$2,023,657.00

A - General Changes in Fund Balance

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Analysis of Changes in Fund Balance			
8021 - Fund Balance - Beginning of Year	\$1,336,444.64	\$1,162,504.64	\$1,121,403.64
8015 - Prior Period Adjustment OR Change in Accounting Principle - Decrease in Fund Balance	-	\$0.00	\$0.00
8022 - Restated Fund Balance - Beginning of Year	\$1,336,444.64	\$1,162,504.64	\$1,121,403.64
Add Revenues and Other Sources	\$2,266,119.36	\$2,157,257.00	\$2,064,758.00
Deduct Expenditures and Other Uses	\$2,150,264.00	\$1,983,317.00	\$2,023,657.00
8029 - Fund Balance - End of Year	\$1,452,300.00	\$1,336,444.64	\$1,162,504.64

A - General Adopted Budget Summary

	12/31/2024	12/31/2023	12/31/2022
Estimated Revenues and Other Sources			
Estimated Revenue			
1049 - Est Rev - Property Taxes	\$1,915,000.00	\$1,876,757.00	\$1,770,525.00
1199 - Est Rev - Non-Property Tax Items	\$38,500.00	\$28,925.00	\$400.00
2399 - Est Rev - Intergovernmental Charges	\$357,125.00	\$350,200.00	\$320,250.00
2649 - Est Rev - Fines and Forfeitures	\$13,500.00	\$8,300.00	\$41,500.00
3099 - Est Rev - State Aid	\$5,500.00	\$5,500.00	\$4,700.00
Total for Estimated Revenue	\$2,329,625.00	\$2,269,682.00	\$2,137,375.00
Estimated Other Sources			
511 - Appropriated Reserves and Restricted Fund Balance	\$21,125.00	\$20,000.00	-
599 - Appropriated Fund Balance	-	\$111,121.00	-
Total for Estimated Other Sources	\$21,125.00	\$131,121.00	\$0.00
Total for Estimated Revenues and Other Sources	\$2,350,750.00	\$2,400,803.00	\$2,137,375.00

A - General Adopted Budget Summary

	12/31/2024	12/31/2023	12/31/2022
Estimated Appropriations and Other Uses			
Estimated Appropriations			
4999 - App - Health	-	\$145,000.00	\$125,700.00
7999 - App - Culture and Recreation	\$1,931,025.00	\$731,764.00	\$599,735.00
9199 - App - Employee Benefits	\$419,725.00	\$1,524,039.00	\$1,411,940.00
9899 - App - Debt Service	-	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total for Estimated Appropriations	\$2,350,750.00	\$2,400,803.00	\$2,137,375.00
Total for Estimated Appropriations and Other Uses	\$2,350,750.00	\$2,400,803.00	\$2,137,375.00

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K - Schedule of Non-Current Government Assets Schedule of Non-Current Government Assets

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Non-Current Assets			
Non-Depreciable Capital Assets			
101 - Land	\$248,029.00	\$248,029.00	\$248,029.00
Total for Non-Depreciable Capital Assets	\$248,029.00	\$248,029.00	\$248,029.00
Depreciable Capital Assets			
102 - Buildings	\$3,993,736.00	\$3,986,596.00	\$3,968,913.00
103 - Improvements Other Than Buildings	\$644,632.00	\$644,632.00	\$644,632.00
104 - Machinery and Equipment	\$118,664.00	\$130,466.00	\$139,029.00
107 - Other Capital Assets	\$589,797.00	\$546,125.00	\$565,429.00
Total for Depreciable Capital Assets	\$5,346,829.00	\$5,307,819.00	\$5,318,003.00
Accumulated Depreciation			
112 - Accumulated Depreciation Buildings	(\$2,160,251.00)	(\$2,056,438.00)	(\$1,952,963.00)
113 - Accumulated Depreciation Improvements Other than Buildings	(\$610,481.00)	(\$605,014.00)	(\$599,547.00)
114 - Accumulated Depreciation Machinery and Equipment	(\$79,609.00)	(\$87,459.00)	(\$131,187.00)
117 - Accumulated Depreciation Other Capital Assets	(\$527,078.00)	(\$537,696.00)	(\$554,446.00)
Total for Accumulated Depreciation	(\$3,377,419.00)	(\$3,286,607.00)	(\$3,238,143.00)
Other Non-Current Assets			
108 - Net Pension Asset Proportionate Share	-	\$278,538.00	-
Total for Other Non-Current Assets	\$0.00	\$278,538.00	\$0.00
Total for Non-Current Assets	\$2,217,439.00	\$2,547,779.00	\$2,327,889.00

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W - Schedule of Non-Current Government Liabilities Schedule of Non-Current Government Liabilities

	12/31/2023	12/31/2022	12/31/2021
Long-Term Obligations			
Other Long-Term Obligations			
638 - Net Pension Liability Proportionate Share	\$729,157.00	\$0.00	\$3,463.00
Total for Other Long-Term Obligations	\$729,157.00	\$0.00	\$3,463.00
Total for Long-Term Obligations	\$729,157.00	\$0.00	\$3,463.00