REGULAR MEETING OF THE
ALAMEDA FREE LIBRARY BOARD
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2007 at 7:00 P.M.
ALAMEDA MAIN LIBRARY
1550 OAK STREET, ALAMEDA, CALIFORNIA
CONFERENCE ROOM 224, SECOND FLOOR

AGENDA

DOORS OPEN AT 6:45 P.M.

Anyone wishing to speak on any item on the agenda may do so when the subject is brought up for discussion. Anyone wishing to speak on any item not on the agenda may do so under ORAL COMMUNICATIONS, NON-AGENDA (Public Comment).

1. ROLL CALL

2. CONSENT CALENDAR

   Consent calendar items are considered routine and will be enacted, approved or adopted by one motion unless a request for removal for discussion or explanation is received from the Board or a member of the public.

   A. Report from Library Director highlighting Library Department activities for the month of December 2007.

   B. Draft Minutes of the Regular Library Board meeting of November 14, 2007. Revised Minutes from the Library Board meeting of September 12, 2007.

   C. Library Services Report for the month of October 2007.

   D. Report from Finance Department reflecting FY 2006-07 Library expenditures (by fund) through November 2007.

   E. Bills for ratification.

3. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS, NON-AGENDA (Public Comment)

   (Any person may address the Board in regard to any matter over which the Board has jurisdiction or of which it may take cognizance that is not on the agenda.)

4. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

   A. Status of Consultant Contract for Strategic Planning & Branch Improvements (J. Chisaki)

5. NEW BUSINESS

   A. Discussion of Future Library Service at Alameda Point (J. Chisaki)

   B. Community Reads Presentation (A. Meyer)

   C. Art Exhibit Committee (R. Belikove)

   D. Alameda Free Library Foundation (A. Mitchell)

   E. Friends of the Alameda Free Library (M. Lambert)

   F. Patron suggestions/comments (Speak-Outs) and Library Director's response.

6. LIBRARY BOARD COMMUNICATIONS

   (Communications from Board members regarding their Library activities during the past month, and any other comments, suggestions or questions related to Library business.)

7. DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS

8. ADJOURNMENT

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- Minutes of the meeting are available in enlarged print.

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