Regular Meeting

November 10, 2022 6:00PM

Yale Valley Community Library 11700 Lewis River Road Ariel, WA 98603

AGENDA

Public Meeting

| 1 | Call to Order | 6:00 pm |
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| 2 | Agenda Approval | Action |
| 3 | Introductions & Welcomes / Chair Announcements | Information |
| 4 | Consent Agenda | Action |
| | a. Minutes Approval: October 13, 2022 | |
| | b. Approval of bills: Reviewed by Bob Appling | |
| 5 | 2022 Budget Revision/2023 Budget/2023 Levy (Public Hearing) | |
| | a. Resolution 2022 -06 2022 Budget Revision | |
| | b. Resolution 2022-04 (2023-01) 2023 Budget | |
| | c. Resolution 2022-05 (2023-02) 2023 Levy Certification | |
| 6 | Financial Report | Information |
| | a. Operational Costs – Staffing Costs | |
| | b. 2022 October Financials: Attar Bhangal | |
| 7 | Facilities | Information |
| 8 | Branch Manager Report: Jennifer Hauan | Information |
| 9 | 2023 Board Meeting Schedule | |
| 10 | Citizen Comments | |
| 11 | Board Comments | |
| 12 | Adjournment | |





Yale Friends Basket for Authors & Illustrators
Dinner Auction.

Regular Meeting

October 13, 2022

Yale Valley Community Library

Attendees:

Trustees: Tina Moir, Bob Appling, Cynthia McAllister and Kathi Wheeler

FVRL: Amelia Shelley, Director; Attar Bhangal, Finance Manager; Lesley Miller, Yale Library Supervisor

- 1. The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair, Tina Moir at 6:05pm.
- 2. The amended agenda was approved. Wheeler/Appling The agenda was approved by all trustees present.
- 3. Introductions and Welcomes/Chair Announcements: Tina welcomed Attar Bhangal, our new Finance Manager and Lesley Miller, Yale Library Supervisor who will be giving the Yale Library Report.
- 4. Consent Agenda
 - a. August 25, 2022 minutes approved. Appling/McAllister The August minutes were approved by all trustees present.
 - b. Approval of bills totaling \$629.18. Moir/Wheeler Bills were approved by all trustees present.
- 5. Draft 2023 Budget: The proposed budget for 2023 is \$125,000.00 in property tax collections. The difference is \$2,337.00 from 2022. Other projected income is \$39,970.00 for a total of \$164,970.00. The proposed 2023 Budget will be discussed at the November 10, 2022 regular meeting in an open hearing.
- 6. a. Operational Costs-Annual Review: This was the first review of our total expenses. Internet and courier service were more than expected. Wheeler asked about library usage relating to expanding hours in the future. In the next few months we will review how many patrons are using the library.

b. 2022 August/September Financials: Attar Bhangal August revenues were \$1,364.00 for a total of \$97,200.00 or 59.77% of annual budget. There were no expenses in August. September revenues were \$1,170.00 for a total of \$98,370.00 or 60.49% of the annual budget. There were no expenses in September.

7. Facilities:

- a. Landscaping: The issue with the landscaping is water. The idea of capturing rain water was discussed. The process of setting up tanks, filling and watering could also be an educational project. Snow removal was discussed for the winter. When the plow removes snow it also picks up and moves gravel. It was suggested that paving the parking lot may be an option. Although expensive it would improve walking in the parking lot and make it easier for snow removal.
- 8. Board of Officers Nomination/Election: Nominated: Chair, Tina Moir; Vice Chair, Cynthia MacAllister; Secretary, Kathi Wheeler; Treasurer; Bob Appling. Moir/Wheeler Nominations were approved by all trustees present.
- 9. Branch Manager Report: Lesley Miller: FVRL is holding a writing contest for ages 12-19 entitled "Imagine Ink". Details are at the library. FVRL Foundation will hold, after a 2 year hiatus due to Covid, The Authors and Illustrators Dinner and Auction. This year guest speaker is Susan Orlean, author of **The Library Book** and writer for the New Yorker magazine. Tickets are on sale now. The 1st Thursday, Yale School children visit the library for storytime and crafts. There are 63 children and they come in shifts. The 2nd Thursday is Family Game Night from 3:30-5:30pm. The 3rd Thursday is Family Fun Days month will be Pumpkin Craving and November will be Wreath Making. October is Spanish Heritage Month with many display books to check out. November will be American Month. There will be lots of book on display and to check out. Lesley requested a Slat wall end panel or display, approximately \$336.00; 2 rolling carts for crafts, \$125.00 each; 1 storage cart, \$600.00. Wheeler suggested these items be added to the budget. Amelia suggested a budget adjustment.
- 10. No Citizen Comments.

Presiding Officer

- 11. Board Comments: The Board feels that Lesley is doing an amazing job! There was discussion of moving the Board meeting time to the afternoon. This will be discussed further.
- 12. The meeting was adjourned at 6:56pm. Wheeler/Appling The motion was approved by all trustees present.

| Respectfully Submitted, | Kathi Wheeler, YVLD Board of Trustees Secretary |
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Invoice



Page 1/1 Invoice 1035 Date 11/8/2022

Bill To: YALE VALLEY LIBRARY DISTRICT

PO BOX 434 ARIEL WA 98603 Remit To: Fort Vancouver Regional Library District

2018 Grand Blvd Vancouver, WA 98661

Please return a copy of this invoice with payment.

| Purchase (| Order No. | Custom | er ID | | | | Payr | ment Terms | | |
|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------------|------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | YALE0001 | | | | | | | | |
| Qty | | | Desc | ription | | | | | Unit Price | Ext. Price |
| 1 | | | JULY - DI | ECEMBER - | 2022 CON | TRACT SERVICES | | | \$61,331.50 | \$61,331.50 |

 Subtotal
 \$61,331.50

 Tax
 \$0.00

 Total
 \$61,331.50

Yale Valley Library District Revised 2022 Budget - Proposed Budget 2023

Revenue

| | | 20 | 22 Budget | | 22 Budget Revised | | Proposed dget 2023 | Difference |
|--------------------|---|---------|-----------|----|----------------------|----|-----------------------|------------|
| <u>Description</u> | <u>on</u> | | | | | | | |
| Property Tax | es | | | | | | | |
| 311.10 | Property Tax Collections - Yale Valley Distr | rict \$ | 122,663 | \$ | 122,663 | \$ | 125,000 | 2,337 |
| Total Pro | perty Taxes | | 122,663 | | 122,663 | \$ | 125,000 | 2,337 |
| Intergovernn | nental, Grants & Contracts | | | | | | | |
| 335.02 | DNR - Timber Revenue | | 35,000 | | 35,000 | \$ | 35,000 | - |
| 335.02 | DNR - Other Revenue | | 100 | | 100 | | 100 | - |
| 335.02 | State Capital Grant | | \$0 | | \$0 | \$ | - | - |
| Total Inte | ergovernmental, Grants & Contracts | | 35,100 | | 35,100 | \$ | 35,100 | - |
| | | | · | | <u> </u> | | · | |
| Miscellaneou | ıs | | | | | | | |
| 361.11 | Investment Interest | | 2,500 | | 2,500 | \$ | 2,500 | - |
| 367-10 | Non-Governmental Contributions | | 500 | | 500 | \$ | 500 | - |
| 367-10 | Grant Revenue | | - | | - | \$ | - | - |
| 369.90 | Miscellaneous Revenue | | 0 | | 0 | \$ | - | |
| Total Mis | cellaneous | | 3,000 | | 3,000 | \$ | 3,000 | - |
| Total Rev | venue: | \$ | 160,763 | \$ | 160,763 | \$ | 163,100 | 2,337 |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Transfer f | from Reserves | \$ | 1,870 | \$ | 19,237 | \$ | 16,900 | (2,337) |
| Total Rev | enue and Reserves | | 162,633 | \$ | 180,000 | \$ | 180,000 | - |
| xpenses | | | | | | | | |
| 572.41 | Professional services - FVRL | \$ | 100 660 | æ | 125 200 | ¢ | 140,000 | 14 900 |
| 572.41 572.41 | Professional Services - FVRL Professional Services - Other | Ф | 122,663 | \$ | 125,200 | Φ | 140,000 | 14,800 |
| 572.41 572.62 | Capital Outlay | | 40,000 | | 54,800 | | 40,000 | (14,800) |
| | • | • | 162,663 | \$ | 180,000 | | 180,000 | (14,000) |
| Grand 10 | otal Expense: | \$ | 102,003 | Ф | 100,000 | | 100,000 | |

Yale Valley Library District 2022 Revised Budget Resolution 2022-06

The regular meeting of the Yale Valley Library District (YVLD) Board of Trustees was held November 10, 2022 at the Yale Valley Community Library, attended by a quorum of the Board for the conduct of such business; and, after due consideration and deliberation, the following resolution was duly passed by a majority vote of all Trustees then attending.

WHEREAS, YVLD was established in 2003 as an rural partial-county library district, and levies property taxes pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 27.12.150, and

WHEREAS, the YVLD Board of Trustees adopted the 2022 budget in the amount of \$162,663 after a public hearing on December 9, 2021, and

WHEREAS, YVLD's Board of Trustees is responsible for the adoption and management of YVLD's budget and finances per RCW 27.12.210 (4&5), and

WHEREAS, YVLD expended funds in 2022 to cover retainage for the Yale Valley Community Library project to the contractor that were anticipated to be spent in 2021, and

WHEREAS, YVLD's budget should be updated during the year to reflect any unanticipated revenue and expenses incurred during the year, and

WHEREAS, the Board approved 2021 budget of \$162,633 will be increased by \$19,237 to equal an amended 2022 budget total of \$180,000 to sufficiently cover all 2022 expenses.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Yale Valley Library District adopts Resolution 2022-06 approving the amended 2022 budget of \$180,000.

| Adopted this 10th day of November, 2022 | | |
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| Tina Moir, Chair | | |
| Cynthia McAllister, Vice Chair | | |

Yale Valley Library District 2023 Budget Resolution 2022-04 (2023-01)

WHEREAS, the Yale Valley Library District Board of Trustees has met and considered its budget for the calendar year 2023; and a public hearing on the budget was held on November 10, 2022 to consider the District's levy for 2023; and

WHEREAS, YVLD was established in 2003 as an rural partial-county library district, and levies property taxes pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 27.12.150, and

WHEREAS, funds for the establishment and maintenance of the library service of the district shall be provided by the Cowlitz County Board of County Commissioners by means of an annual tax levy on the property in the district of not more than fifty cents per thousand dollars of assessed value per year, and

WHEREAS, the tax levy shall be at a uniform rate and shall be based on a budget to be compiled by the Board of Trustees of the rural partial-county library district who shall determine the uniform tax rate necessary and certify their determination to the respective boards of county commissioners, and

WHEREAS, the YVLD Board of Trustees held a public hearing on November 10, 2022 to consider the District's budget for 2023.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the YVLD Board of Trustees adopts the 2023 budget in the amount of \$180,000.

| Adopted this 10th day of November, 2022 | |
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| Tina Moir, Chair | Kathi Wheeler, Secretary |
| Cynthia McAllister, Vice Chair | Bob Appling |

Yale Valley Library District 2023 Levy Resolution 2022-05 (2023-02)

WHEREAS, the YVLD Board of Trustees has met and considered its budget for the calendar year 2023; and a public hearing on the levy was held at the Yale Valley Community Library on November 10, 2022 to consider the District's levy for 2023; and

WHEREAS; the district's actual levy from the previous year was \$119,626; and

WHEREAS, the district's highest lawful levy for 2022 was \$122,663;

WHEREAS; the Board of trustees attest that the district's population does not exceed 10,000; and

WHEREAS, the district is allowed to increase its highest lawful levy by 1% annually;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Yale Valley Library District Board of Trustees, that an increase in the regular property tax levy is hereby authorized for the levy to be collected in the 2023 tax year.

The dollar amount of the increase in the actual levy from the previous year shall be \$1,639 which is an increase of one percent (1%) over the previous year. This increase is exclusive of additional revenue resulting from new construction, improvements to property, and any increase in the value of state assessed property and any annexations that have occurred and refunds made.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Yale Valley Library District Board of Trustees adopts the 2023 Levy Certifications for Cowlitz County.

| Adopted this 10th day of November, 2022 | | | |
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| Tina Moir, Chair | | | |
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| Cynthia McAllister Vice Chair | | | |



Levy Certification

Submit this document to the county legislative authority on or before November 30 of the year preceding the year in which the levy amounts are to be collected and forward a copy to the assessor.

| In accordance w | ith RCW 84.52.020, I, | Tina Moir | | | <u>,</u> |
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| | | | (Name) | | |
| | Chair (Title) | , for | Yale Valley Library (District Name) | | , do hereby certify to |
| the(Nar | Cowlitz me of County) | County legislat | ive authority that the | | rustees ioners, Council, Board, etc.) |
| of said district re | equests that the following | ng levy amoun | | 2023 a of Collection) | s provided in the district's |
| budget, which w | as adopted following a | public hearing | g held on 11/10/22 (Date of Public | : Hearing) | |
| Regular Levy: | \$123,996.00 (State the total dollar a | amount to be levie | d) | | |
| Excess Levy: | \$0.00 (State the total dollar a | amount to be levie | d) | | |
| Refund Levy: | _\$332.00 (State the total dollar a | amount to be levie | d) | | |
| Signature: | | | | Da | ate: 11/10/22 |

For the Month Ending October 31, 2022 (With Year-to-Date Totals)

Revenue

| Description Property Taxes 311.10 Property Tax Collections - Yale Valley District Total Property Taxes | 2022 Budget \$ 122,663 122,663 | October 2022 Revenues \$ 14,650 14,650 | All Revenue Received thru October 2022 \$ 90,140 90,140 | Year -to - Date Annual Budget Percent 73.49% 73.49% |
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| Other Taxes | | | | |
| 317.2 Leasehold Excise Tax | | 0 | 0 | 0.00% |
| Total Other Taxes | | 0 | 0 | 0.00% |
| Intergovernmental, Grants & Contracts | | | | |
| 335.02 DNR - Timber Revenue | 35,000 | 1 | 20,720 | 59.20% |
| 361.02 DNR - Other Revenue | 100 | - | 4 | 4.18% |
| 335.02 State Capital Grant | 25 400 | <u>-</u> | 20.724 | 0.00% |
| Total Intergovernmental, Grants & Contracts | 35,100 | 1 | 20,724 | 59.04% |
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| Miscellaneous 361.11 Investment Interest | 2,500 | 421 | 2,576 | 103.06% |
| 367-10 Non-Governmental Contributions | 500 | - | - | 0.00% |
| 367-10 Grant Revenue | - | - | - | 0.00% |
| 369.90 Miscellaneous Revenue | - | - | | 0.00% |
| Total Miscellaneous | 3,000 | 421 | 2,576 | 85.88% |
| Total Revenue: | \$ 160,763 | \$ 15,072 | \$ 113,441 | 70.56% |
| Transfer from Reserves Total Revenue and Reserves | \$ 1,870 \$ 162,633 | \$ - \$ 15,072 | \$ - \$ 113,441 | 0.00% 69.75% |
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| | Expenses | | | |
| <u>Description</u> | 2022 Budget | Expenses | Expenses Year-to-Date Totals | Year to Date Annual Budget Percentage |
| Other Services / Charges 572.41 Professional Services | \$ 122,633 | \$ 629 | \$ 63,229 | 51.56% |
| 572.41 Professional Services-Fundraising/Architect | Ψ 122,000 - | φ 023 - | - | 0.00% |
| 572.62 Capital Outlay | 40,000 | | 51,437 | 128.59% |
| Grand Total Expense: | <u>\$ 162,633</u> | \$ 629 | <u>\$ 114,666</u> | 70.51% |
| Net Cash Activity Jan. 1, 2022 Cash with County Treasurer Ending Cash | N | on-Capital Reserve | \$ (1,225) 350,983 \$ 349,758 \$ 314,084 | |
| | | Capital Reserve Total | 35,674 \$ 349,758 | |

Regular Meeting Schedule - draft 2023

| February 9 | 6:00pm | | | | |
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| April 13 | 6:00pm | | | | |
| June 8 | 6:00pm | | | | |
| August 10 | 6:00pm | | | | |
| October 126:00pm | | | | | |
| November 96:00pm | | | | | |
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| 2023 Officers (first half) | 2023 Officers (second half) | | | | |
| Tina Moir, Chair | 2020 Officere (Geodific Hall) | | | | |
| Cynthia McCallister, Vice-Chair | | | | | |
| Bob Appling, Treasurer | | | | | |
| Kathi Wheeler, Secretary | | | | | |