



## Hernando County Library Advisory Committee

### Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, November 4, 2025

### CALL TO ORDER

A meeting of the Hernando County Library Advisory Committee (LAC) was held on Tuesday, November 4, 2025, at the West Hernando Library, 6335 Blackbird Avenue, Brooksville, Florida. Alysha Smith, President, called the meeting to order at 1:01 p.m.

#### Attendee Name, Title

Alysha Smith, President  
Jessica Haher, Member  
Marguerite Wollerton, Member  
Angelina Philanders, Member  
Dorothy Masumian, Member  
Monty Floyd, Member  
Cynthia Loftis-Culp, Library Services Manager  
Colleen Ludington, Operations Coordinator  
Caitlyn Wendling, Youth Services Librarian  
Christy Singer, Youth Services Librarian  
Jennifer Hodges, Branch Supervisor  
Lauren Rouhana, Collection Development Coordinator  
Chris Linsbeck, Community Services Director  
Julia Scourtas, Administrative & Finance Coordinator  
Helen Bakomihalis, Accounting Clerk III

### Invocation

### Pledge of Allegiance

### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

#### Motion

To amend the agenda as presented and add prayer and pledge.

### RESULT: APPROVED

MOVER: Marguerite Wollerton

SECONDER: Monty Floyd

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

#### Motion

To approve the minutes of September 9, 2025, as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

**RESULT: APPROVED****MOVER:** Marguerite Wollerton**SECONDER:** Monty Floyd**Library Services Report**

Cindy provided the committee with the branch services update.

Caitlyn and Christy provided youth services updates.

**Friends of the Library**

Colleen provided updates and shared the Wish List for 2027 for programming for kids, and Staff Development Day. Lauren shared with everyone that there is no book vendor contract at this time, and that the libraries will be purchasing books from Amazon, but we should have a new supplier set up in the next year.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Monty discussed relocating the book called, *13 Reasons Why* from the young adult section and have it moved to the adult section.

Monty requested to email the committee the county ordinance, Sec. 17-43 – Creation of the library advisory committee.

Monty suggested a prayer rotation and requested to have a plan in place where the committee would alternate with each meeting.

**CITIZENS COMMENTS**

Citizens commented on various topics and issues.

**UPCOMING MEETINGS**

The next Library Advisory Committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 13, 2026 at 1:00 p.m. at the Spring Hill Library, 9220 Spring Hill Dr., Spring Hill, FL 34608.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:05p.m.