

Cherokee Public Library

Library Board Meeting

June 3, 2026

Board meeting was called to order with the following members present: Jomi Anderson, Loretta Barrett, Lisa Perrin, Darla Struck, Linda Burkhardt, Doc Roethler, Tyler Puettmann. Visitors were mayor Tony Puffett.

Board approved the minutes from the May meeting Linda/Darla . A motion was made by Lisa/Doc and passed to approve the bills. The budget report was passed around for review.

Correspondence this month included grant correspondence and a thank you.

In education the board discussed the continuing education opportunities through the State Library with Darla recommending that the board convenes in the fall to watch some of CE offerings from the state library together at the museum. Tyler also submitted a PDF of his book for review to share about community partnerships.

In new business the board reviewed but did not modify the bylaws Lisa/Linda. Discussion was had regarding the timing of board elections with note from the mayor that there were other boards and commissions which appoint leadership during the July meeting of the year. Linda/Doc motioned for Darla to be board President and Lisa/Darla motioned for Linda to be Vice-President. The board reviewed the tech plan, which was passed Tyler P/Doc. There was a note to look at some of the formatting for the headers as they printed wrong. Board also reviewed a proposal to rehab the library lawn with a single estimate to review although Tyler H has reached out to three different businesses. Board consensus was for waiting to see if this is something the city has capacity to accomplish

For librarian reports, Tyler H reported statistics for May as well as a deep dive for FY 25 statistics from around the state. Missi and Hope reported with Tyler H on issues with the building project, which will be followed up with the mayor.

A motion was made and the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting is Wednesday, June 10th.