**West Point Public Library Board Minutes**

**April 8, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.**

**Present:** Carl Johnston, Mary Link, Melinda Robey, Vicky Lundeby, Pat Krogmeier

**Absent:** Suzanne Menke, Bob Winnike

**Agenda Approval:** moved by Vicky, seconded by Mary

**Minute Approval:** moved by Vicky, seconded by Mary

**Bill Approval:** moved by Mindy, seconded by Vicky

**Reports:**

Circulations and STATS were up this month with Hoopla receiving ninety checkouts. The transfer of email from the State Library sponsored Atmail to Outlook is nearly complete. Dara and Becky are working on flyers/calendars/website banners to promote the Summer Reading Program. HTC has agreed to laminate the two Story Walk Books. Dara hosted the April 2nd Librarians’ Meeting. National Library Week will be celebrated April 6th -12th with an interactive display. An Easter Egg Scavenger Hunt which involves finding eight laminated eggs hidden throughout the library is being held. All kids who complete the scavenger hunt will receive a candy reward. The staff at the federal Institute of Museum and Library Services were placed on administrative leave on March 31st.The Institute delivers statewide library development initiatives and services to Iowa libraries and citizens. Some of the supported programs are: IA Shares, All Iowa Reads, STEM, Summer Library Program, State Library Endorsement, WhoFi, Bridges, Brainfuse HelpNow and PLOW. In the past, Iowa has received $2.2 million in grants from this Institute. Harper and Palmer Fedler nominated Dara as a Lee County Child Champion in collaboration with the Lee County Health Department. August Green, a professional storyteller, will be performing at the library on April 24th at 7:00 p.m. The Library received $700.00 from the Quad Cities Community Foundation.

**New Business:**

A motion was made by Melinda, seconded by Pat with all in favor of the updated Chapter 28E County Agreement. A CD from the Hoenig Investments will be coming due in April. Vicky made a motion, seconded by Melinda with all in favor, to roll over the interest and reinvest the CD at the highest rate.

A motion was made by Melinda, seconded by Vicky with all in favor to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m. Respectfully submitted by Patricia Krogmeier.