



BENICIA BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES AGENDA

April 6, 2026
6:00 PM

Benicia City Hall, Council Chambers
250 East L Street, Benicia, CA 9451

COURTESY ZOOM PARTICIPATION

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**

2. **ROLL CALL**

3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

4. **REFERENCE TO THE FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS OF PUBLIC**

The fundamental rights of each member of the public can be found in the municipal code posted on the City's website and on a plaque that is posted at the entrance to this meeting per section 4.04.030 of the City of Benicia's Open Government Ordinance.

5. **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

6. **OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons wishing to address the Board of Library Trustees on any matter not on the agenda that is within the subject jurisdiction of the Board of Library Trustees. State law prohibits the Board of Library Trustees from responding to or acting upon matters not listed on the agenda.

Each Speaker has a maximum of three minutes for public comment. If others have already expressed your position, you may simply indicate that you agree with a previous speaker. If applicable, a spokesperson may present the views of your entire group. Speakers may not make personal attacks on the trustees, staff, or members of the public or make comments which are slanderous, or which may invade an individual's personal privacy.

A. Public Comments

B. Written

7. **INFORMATION AND PRESENTATIONS**

7.A **CIRCULATION AND COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Amber Kelly will give her reports on Circulation and Collection Development

[Library Board Circulation Report 2026.pdf](#)
[Library Board Collection Dev 2026.docs](#)

7.B REPORT FROM PRESIDENT

RECOMMENDED ACTION: President Hickey will give his monthly report

7.C REPORT/UPDATE FROM CITY LIBRARIAN

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The City Librarian will give her monthly report a. Financial Report b. Update on Council Items c. Arts and Culture Commission d. Facilities, staffing, policy and programs e. Correspondence/Articles/Other
[Lib Board Financials Feb 2026](#)
[Memo to Library Board about Literacy and Staffing changes March 2026\(1\).pdf](#)
[Linda Fleming Article.](#)

7.D REPORT FROM BOARD LIAISONS

RECOMMENDED ACTION: a. Art Gallery Advisory Committee Liaison b. Friends Liaison c. Library Foundation Liaison d. Poet Laureate Committee Liaison e. Historical Museum/Historical Society Liaison

8. **CONSENT CALENDAR**

8.A MINUTES

RECOMMENDED ACTION: The Board shall review and vote on the minutes from the March 2, 2026 meeting
[Minutes 3-2-26](#)

9. **ACTION AND DISCUSSION**

9.A NONE

10. **COMMUNICATIONS FROM STAFF AND MEMBERS**

11. **ADJOURNMENT**

12. **NEXT MEETING**

12.A MAY 4, 2026

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The decision of the CBCC is final as of the date of its decision unless judicial review is initiated pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.5. Any such petition for judicial review is subject to the provisions of Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6

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