

Carbondale Public Library Board of Trustees
Building and Grounds Committee Meeting
405 W. Main Street, Carbondale, IL 62901, Library Meeting Room
Wednesday, April 10, 2024, 5:00 p.m.

MINUTES

Call to order.

The meeting was called to order at 5:05 p.m.

Roll call.

Present: Chastity Mays, Chair; Frances Anterola, Julian, Pei

Staff present: Jennifer Robertson, Director

Visitors present: Fran Becque, President of the Friends of the Carbondale Public Library

1. Discuss and approve the book titles for the Healing Illinois Brush Building bookshelf mural.

After discussion of the survey titles and focus group survey selections, the Committee chose the following books to be included in the mural. Ms. Robertson will order copies of the books and provide them to Maddie Deiters of ThreeLine Art.

1. R. Buckminster Fuller - Critical Path
2. Betty Mitchell - Southern Illinois University: A Pictorial History
3. Maya Angelou - And Still I Rise
4. bell hooks - All About Love
5. Cary O'Dell and Thad Heckman - Bucky's Dome: The Resurrection of R. Buckminster Fuller and Anne Hewlett Fuller's Dome Home in Carbondale, Illinois
6. John Gardner - Grendel
7. Colson Whitehead - The Underground Railroad
8. Aravind Adiga - The White Tiger
9. James Baldwin - Giovanni's Room
10. Alice Walker - The Color Purple
11. Gabriel García Márquez - Cien Años de Soledad
12. Frederick Douglass - Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass
13. Khaled Hosseini - The Kite Runner
14. John G. Neihardt - Black Elk Speaks
15. Gwendolyn Brooks - Selected Poems
16. Harper Lee - To Kill a Mockingbird
17. Toni Morrison - Beloved
18. Rebecca Skloot - The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks
19. Ezra Jack Keats - The Snowy Day

20. Maurice Sendak - Where the Wild Things Are
21. Code Talker - by Chester Nez with Judith Schiess Avila
22. The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein
23. Kwame Alexander - The Crossover
24. Masashi Kishimoto - Naruto
25. Andrea Wang - Watercress
26. Vashti Harrison - Big
27. Hafsa Faizal - We Hunt the Flame
28. R.J. Palacio - Wonder
29. The Lorax by Dr. Seuss

Mr. Pei motioned to approve the list of titles that were selected. Ms. Mays seconded the motion. The motion carried with unanimous approval.

Adjournment.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Susan Tulis, Secretary

Prepared by: Jennifer Robertson, Library Director