

Nashville Public Library Board of Trustees
Agenda
May 19, 2026
Hermitage Branch Library
Meeting Room
3700 James Kay Lane
Hermitage, TN. 37076
12:00 PM

- I. Call to Order / Roll Call
- II. Metro Ordinance required to be announced at all Board Meetings – *Chair, Joyce Searcy*
 - a. “Pursuant to the provisions of § 2.68.030 of the Metropolitan Code of Laws, please take notice that decisions of the Nashville Public Library Board may be appealed to the Chancery Court of Davidson County for review under a common law writ of certiorari. Any appeal must be filed within sixty days after entry of a final decision by the Board. Any person or other entity considering an appeal should consult with an attorney to ensure that time and procedural requirements are met.”
- III. Public Comments
 - a. “Pursuant to T. C. A. § 8-44-12, time is reserved at the beginning of Library Board meetings for which there is an actionable item on the agenda for public comment germane to items on the agenda. Up to five people will be allowed up to three minutes each to speak. Speakers must register within one half hour prior to the beginning of the meeting by signing their name on a physical sign-up sheet available at the entrance and identifying any agenda item on which they intend to comment.”
- IV. Board Chair Comments, *Joyce Searcy*
- V. Approval of Minutes: April 21, 2026
- VI. Library Director Report, *Terri Luke*
- VII. Foundation Report, *Shawn Bakker*
- VIII. Old Business
 - a. Presentation of the Plans for the Main Library Courtyard, *Tom Boyd and Tom Meek*
- IX. New Business
 - a. Vote on NAZA contracts listed below, *Anna Harutyunyan*
 - i. An Array of Charms Camps for Youth Development for \$205,530
 - ii. Aspiring Youth Enrichment Services for \$497,300
 - iii. Backfield in Motion, Inc. for \$508,889.50
 - iv. Beech Creek Ministries, Inc. for \$84,455
 - v. Bethlehem Centers of Nashville for \$107,126.80
 - vi. Black Lemonade for \$295,875
 - vii. Boys & Girls Clubs of Middle Tennessee for \$115,740

- viii. Carnegie Writers for \$116, 525
 - ix. Counter Punch Youth Academy for \$24,390
 - x. DYMON In The Rough for \$114,643.50
 - xi. Girls Write Nashville for \$61,975
 - xii. Martha O'Bryan Center for \$319,575
 - xiii. Metro Parks for \$411,481.50
 - xiv. Moves & Grooves, INC. for \$112,543.75
 - xv. Nashville International Center for Empowerment for \$103,965
 - xvi. Nations Ministry Center for \$244,355
 - xvii. Rocklife Nashville for \$349,286.75
 - xviii. Salama Urban Ministries for \$46,144
 - xix. Why We Can't Wait, Inc. for \$380,350
 - xx. YMCA of Middle Tennessee for \$201,150
 - xxi. Youth Encouragement Services, Inc. for \$76,822.50
- b. Vote on Amendment to add \$22,400 additional funding to Water Walkers for summer programming, *Anna Hartyunyan*
 - c. Vote on Limitless Libraries MOU, *Linda Harrison and Syreeta Butler*

X. Adjournment

Next Scheduled Board of Trustees Meeting

June 16, 2026

Bordeaux Branch Library

Meeting Room

4000 Clarksville Pike

Nashville, TN 37218

12:00 PM