

**Friends of the Fulton Public Library  
Organizational Committee Meeting  
January 4, 2023**

Present: C. Chatterton, S. Dellinger, J. Edley, M. Julian, J. Parke-Marriner, M. Stobart,  
C. Teetsel, J. Weldin

1. Meeting called to order 5:35 PM by S. Dellinger. A quorum was present.
2. Jennifer Parke-Marriner and Morgan Stobart were welcomed as new members. A motion to formally accept Jennifer and Morgan as members of the Friends of the Fulton Public Library Organizational Committee was made by M. Julian, seconded by J. Weldin and carried.
3. Minutes of the 12/7/22 meeting were reviewed. Motion to approve by M. Julian, seconded by M. Stobart, and carried.
4. Treasurer's report for period ending 12/31/22 was reviewed. Motion to approve by M. Julian, seconded by M. Stobart, and carried. It was noted that we are only \$125 from an account balance of \$1000, which will eliminate the \$5 per month service charge for the account when reached. Two people present paid dues/donation, reducing the amount needed by \$40. Morgan offered beaded bracelets that she crafts as a fund-raising idea. She further offered to consider presenting a beading class as a potential fund-raiser. Suggestion made to request persons on the expanded Friend's mailing list to consider paying dues or giving a donation in order to reach the \$1000 account balance by the end of the month.
5. Chair Report - Sharon attended the most recent Library Trustee meeting to provide an update on the activities and plans of the Organizational Committee. She also has updated the progress plan and enlarged the font for easier viewing. Suggestion made to put the plan in a Google sheet, making it easy to share online.
6. A Public Relations and Membership sub-committee was formed. A motion to approve C. Chatterton, J. Edley, J. Parke-Marriner and M. Stobart as sub-committee members was made by M. Julian, seconded by C. Teetsel and carried. J. Parke-Marriner secured the FOFPL.org domain name during the meeting and graciously donated the fee for such. Jennifer brings graphic design, web site design and photography experience to the group. Part of the charge to the sub-committee will be to re-design the Friend's web site and start a Facebook page. The sub-committee may also be able to enlist the talents of Andrew Eusebio and Grant Marriner as members or consultants on an as-needed basis. Others are welcome to join as well. The sub-committee will also develop a packet of information for incoming Organizational (future

Executive Committee) members and an informational brochure for general Friends members. Sub-committee scheduled their initial meeting for January 13 at 5:00 PM at the library.

7. Library calendar reviewed. Events noted that could involve volunteer assistance from the Friends group.

8. Logo - Sharon reported that B, E, and F were the most popular choices. After discussion, a motion to accept option B as the formal logo was made by J. Edley, seconded by J. Weldin, and carried. Other logo options, particularly option E, will be considered for future use for T-shirts, coffee cups, etc. ("the fun stuff") while the formal option B will be used on the web site, letterhead, membership cards - anything formally representing the group. It was noted that the logo pairs nicely with the Library's logo. Andrew Eusebio will put the finishing touches on the logo and make it available for use.

9. Meeting adjourned 6:35 PM. Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, February 1 at 5:30 PM. February 8 will be a reserve date in the case of inclement weather necessitating library closure.

Respectfully submitted;

Jean Edley

Acting Secretary/Treasurer