

April 21, 2026
New Iberia, LA 70560

The Iberia Parish Library Board of Control met in a rescheduled meeting at 3:30 PM on Tuesday, April 21, 2026, at the Main Library in New Iberia, LA.

The board President called the meeting to order at 3:33 PM.

The library director called Roll. Board members in attendance were President, Katherine Courts, Vice-President, Sandra Eglund, Catherine Withrow, Betty Adams, and Angela Alexander. Jace Dugas was absent.

Sandra Eglund motioned to waive the reading of the minutes from the March 18th meeting. Katherine Courts seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

The director informed the board that the architect's timeline for beginning the upcoming building maintenance processes for the Main, St. Peter, Parkview, Jeanerette, and Lydia Branches is May, June, and July. Barring any unforeseen circumstances, the projects, which include several roof replacements, door replacements/enhancements, and the Main Branch second-floor renovation, are anticipated to be completed in the Fall. To prevent interruption of the library's Summer Workshop Program, which begins on June 1st, all workshops will be held at the St. Peter Branch Library.

The board was given an overview of a new program that the library is participating in through the State Library of Louisiana. The *Check Out Louisiana* Program allows an individual or family to receive a free pass, from the library, for entrance to participating state parks and historical sites twice a year. They were also given an overview of the Geaux Explore Backpack Kit, which can be checked out with a library card at the same time as a pass or checked out individually.

There being no other business, Katherine Courts motioned to adjourn the meeting at 4:20 PM. Angela Alexander seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. The next meeting was set for June 9, 2026, at 3:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted by,
Marjorie Hills
Library Director