

**Bellevue Library Advisory Board  
January 17, 2006  
Meeting Minutes**

**Bellevue Regional Library, 4:00 PM**

**Present:** Rob Viens, Eric Palo, Diane Graue, Scott Leonard, Karen LaMaster  
**Guests:** Chapple Langemack, Barbara Chambers, Denise Siers, Amy Egler,  
Bill Ptacek  
**Minutes:** Karen LaMaster

1. Call to order.
2. Approved minutes from previous meeting.
3. Business conducted and reports
  - 3.1. Meeting called to order at 4:00 PM
  - 3.2 Chapple Langemack reported on the following matters
    - (a) provided information and registration regarding Library Legislative Day. Jennifer Wiseman will advise bus information.
    - (b) announced opening of new board position vacated by Kayla Weinstein
    - (c) outlined author series
    - (d) commented on new book drop system and self-check in as part of new library construction
    - (e) noted changes to paperback reshelving, paperbacks will now float throughout system
    - (f) confirmed entire 3rd floor is now quiet study area. Banned cell phone use on 3rd floor
  - 3.3 Amy Egler reported on the following matters
    - (a) outlined new eastside cluster groupings and the new personnel responsibilities
    - (b) discussed Crossroads remodel and reported the facility continues to be

very busy and increasing volume

(c) reviewed options for increased hours for Lake Hills and relevant programming as part of new cluster

(d) selected Zimmer/Gunsel/Frasca as architect for remodel

3.4 Denise Siers reported on the relevance and importance of new cluster groupings and their affect on library boards. She stated the goal is to better connect groups, divide functionaly and provide better communication between boards, friends and KCLS

3.5 Barbara Chambers distributed the report detailing money raised by the Friends group and specific program funding

3.6 Bill Ptacek reported on the following matters

(a) addressed questions relating to concerns of new cluster system.

(b) outlined benefits of new system, including but not limited to, a more effective way to manage growth and multiple libraries, benefits of cross-over specialists and increased communication with library boards

(c) commented on development of future Newcastle library

4. Robert Viens will review logistics of communicating minutes

**Adjournment at 5:30, Next meeting on third Tuesday of February or Feb 21st at Lake Hills library.**