MINUTES OF A PUBLIC HEARING OF THE FOUNTAINDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES WILL AND DUPAGE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS HELD NOVEMBER 15, 2018 BOLINGBROOK, ILLINOIS

A Public Hearing for the Truth in Taxation Act – Proposed Property Tax Increase for Fiscal Year 2017/2018 of the Board of Trustees of the Fountaindale Public Library District, Will and DuPage Counties, Illinois, was held pursuant to notice at the Bolingbrook Library, 300 W. Briarcliff Road, Bolingbrook, Illinois on Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

The Public Hearing was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Margaret (Peggy) Danhof.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called by recorder, Juanita Lennon, and a quorum was established.

PRESENT

Present at roll call were Steven Prodehl, Robert Kalnicky, Kathryn Spindel, Ruth Newell, Celeste Bermejo and Margaret (Peggy) Danhof.

ABSENT

Trustee Marcelo Valencia
Trustee Valencia entered at 6:34 p.m.

FOUNTAINDALE STAFF PRESENT

The following staff was present: Paul Mills, Juanita Lennon and Nancy Castellanos.

PUBLIC PRESENT

The following public was present: Jody Hargett, Debi Savage, Ryan Harter and Otis Gatlin.

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President Danhof read the Truth in Taxation Notice for fiscal year 2018/2019.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

Trustee Valencia entered at 6:34 p.m.

Ryan Harter asked what the additional .02% was used for that approved the previous board meeting and what was the purpose of the tax increase. President Danhof responded that the additional .02% was used for the maintenance of the building. President Danhof and Director Mills discussed the inclusion of new construction, recapturing TIF areas and the CPI. Vice President Kalnicky said that the County makes the final determination. President Danhof said that our tax rate has been going down. President Danhof discussed the abatement of property taxes for the bonds in past years. Otis Gatlin asked when final information will be available from the county. Mills replied that the county supplies final information typically in April. Otis Gatlin asked what the funding would go far. President Danhof replied for operations and running the library.

ADJOURNMENT

A consensus was taken and the Board adjourned at 6:59 p.m.

/s/ Steven J. Prodehl
Secretary, Board of Library Trustees
FOUNTAINDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
WILL AND DUPAGE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS

/s/ Margaret J. (Peggy) Danhof President, Board of Library Trustees FOUNTAINDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT WILL AND DUPAGE COUNTIES, ILLINOIS