

Jefferson Parish Library Board Meeting

Tuesday, January 20, 2026 – 4:00 p.m.

East Bank Regional Library – Administrative Conference Room
4747 W. Napoleon Ave., Metairie, LA 70001

Agenda

1. Call to order, roll call and welcome
2. Review of November meeting minutes
3. Reports of officers, committee reports/correspondence
4. Director's Report
 - a. Introduce December 2025 and January Employees of the Month
 - b. Approved 2026 Budget
 - c. Dallas, TX Discovery Tour
 - d. Library Facilities & Status Report
5. Review of statistical and financial reports and comment letters
6. Old Business
7. New Business
 - a. Nominating Committee
 - b. Approve 2026 Meeting Schedule
8. Members of the public wishing to address the Board
9. Next Meeting: TBA
10. Adjournment

Year 2025		1 st Quarter			2 nd Quarter			3 rd Quarter			4 th Quarter		
Name	Appointed	1/21	2/18	3/18	4/15	5/20	6/17	7/15	8/19	9/16	10/21	11/18	12/16
Robert "Bob" Bales, Sr. <i>Council District 4</i>	2024		P	P	P	P	P		P	X	X	P	
Lisa Conescu <i>Councilman-at-Large – Division B</i>	2004		P	P	P	X	P		P	P	P	P	
Debra Cooper <i>Council District 1</i>	2025		---	---	---	---	---		---	---	P	X	
Patricia Cox, President <i>Councilwoman-at-Large – Division A</i>	2016		P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P	
Becky Knight <i>Council District 2</i>	2014		P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P	
James Simmons, Jr. <i>Council District 3</i>	2020		X	X	V	V	X		X	P	X	X	
Gordon Wadge, Vice President <i>Council District 5</i>	2024		X	P	X	P	P		P	P	P	P	
Jessica Styons, Secretary			P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P	
Irene Lunkin			P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P	
Melissa Muhoberac			P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P	
Antoinette Scott			V	P	V	V	X		P	P	X	X	

P = present in-person V = virtually present

X = absent



= no meeting

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