

Board of Library Commissioners Regular Meeting

Agenda

(In-Person)



Thursday, October 23, 2025 at 11:00 a.m.
Woodland Hills Branch Library
22200 Ventura Boulevard, Woodland Hills, CA 91364

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1. **Roll Call**
 2. **Opening Remarks**
 3. **Approval of the Minutes:**
 - a. Regular Meeting - September 11, 2025.
 - b. Regular Meeting - September 25, 2025
 4. **Presentation:** 40+ Service Pin Presentation
 5. **Branch Manager:** Woodland Hills Branch Library
 6. **All Agenda Items Comment Period (In-Person only)**

In conformance with Government Code § 54950 (The Brown Act) this in-person meeting of the Board of Library Commissioners will provide an opportunity for any person wishing to address the Board by visiting the posted meeting location. Members of the public who wish to speak on any or all agenda items shall be allowed to speak for up to one (1) minute per item, up to a total of three (3) minutes, and an additional one (1) minute for general public comment, per meeting. During general public comment, a speaker may comment on any matter within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Library Commission. Public Comments can also be submitted in writing to the Board Office via email at libcommission@lapl.org or by phone (213) 228-7530 by 4 p.m. on the day before the meeting.

Any person who is compensated to monitor, attend or speak at this meeting of the Board of Library Commissioners is required by City law (Los Angeles Municipal Code § 48.01 et seq.) to register as a lobbyist and report your activity to the City Ethics Commission.

7. **City Librarian's Comments and Announcements**
8. **City Librarian's Reports:**

Consent Items

Exhibit A

Recommendation to approve acceptance of the following gifts:

- \$7,000 from The Friends of Sherman Oaks Branch Library for the Sherman Oaks Branch Library Materials Book Budget.
- \$7,000 from The Friends of Studio City Branch for the Studio City Branch Library Library Materials Book Budget.

Exhibit A (Cont.)

- \$3,000 from The Friends of Van Nuys Branch Library for the Van Nuys Branch Library Materials Book Budget.

Discussion ItemsExhibit B

Recommendation to approve a publishing agreement between Stephen Gee and Angel City Press at the Los Angeles Public Library.

Exhibit C

Recommendation to approve a publishing agreement between Janna Ireland and Angel City Press at the Los Angeles Public Library.

Exhibit D

Recommendation to approve a publishing agreement between Amanda Thompson, and Angel City Press at the Los Angeles Public Library.

Exhibit E

Recommendation to appoint an acting Commission Executive Assistant during the absence of the Commission Executive Assistant.

9. Staff Presentation:

- Bilingual Outreach Librarians

10. Commissioners' Comments and Announcements

- Receive and File letter dated September 29, 2025, from Mayor Karen Bass to the City Council regarding the appointment of Fabian Renee Wesson to the Board of Library Commissioners for the term ending June 30, 2027.
- January - July 2026 Board Meeting Schedule.

11. Adjournment**Next Board Meeting Notice**

The next Regular Meeting of the Board is scheduled for Thursday, **November 13, 2025**, at **11:00 a.m.**, will be held at the Central Library, Board Room, 4th Floor, 630 West 5th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90071.

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Rules of Decorum: Persons addressing the Commission shall not utter loud, threatening, personal or abusive language, nor engage in any other disorderly conduct that disrupts or disturbs the orderly conduct of any Commission Meeting and prevents the Commission from carrying out its public business. The Presiding Officer has the authority to issue a warning to a person violating the Rules. At the discretion of the Commission President or upon a majority vote of the Commission, the Commission President may order removal of any person(s) from the Commission meeting who fails to observe the rules of decorum.

Reglas de Comportamiento: Personas que se dirigen a la Comisión no deben gritar, amenazar o usar lenguaje abusivo, ni causar desorden o actuar de manera que interrumpa la sesión. Se le dará un aviso y a la discreción de la Comisión será removida la personas que no siga las reglas de la sesión.

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