

Fundraising Committee Meeting

The first meeting of the current Fundraising Committee was called to order by Noel Johnson at 10:05 A. M. in the meeting room of the Port of Woodland.

Present were committee members: Mayor Grover Laseke, Librarian Justin Keeler, Lois Russell and Noel Johnson. Guest present was Paula Bozel, Vice-President of the Friends of the Woodland Community Library.

Each person was encouraged to talk about what was on their mind. A consensus was reached on the following:

- No work would be performed building the new library until the money was in hand.
- The Friends need to get their house in order by reviewing the By-Laws, Appointing Committees, and obtaining new members.
- There is great need for a Secretary for the Fund Raising Committee.
- All agreed we needed to have a site assessment and estimated cost for the new Library.
- Justin reported that a new Board Member of the FVLB, Bryan Carrie agreed to provide the site assessment.
- Justin and Mayor Laseke will determine exactly how much property will be donated to the Friends.
- All grant applications will be handled by the FVLB.
- After the things outlined above are accomplished the Friends will begin the search for donations
- Justin said the mailing we will be doing will be completed soon,
- Justin said the FVLB wants us to move forward as soon as possible to hold an election to incorporate those people that live in the Woodland School District into the Woodland Library District.
- Everyone agreed that we are off to a good start, but there is a lot of work to be done and we need more volunteers to complete the job.
- Those present were very optimistic and reported there is no opposition to the new Library



L to R Justin Keeler, Noel Johnson, Lois Russell and Mayor Grover Laseke

Respectfully Submitted,

Noel Johnson