

City of Brawley
Library Board of Trustees
Minutes February 12, 2026

The Library Board of Trustees of the City of Brawley met in regular session on February 12, 2026 in the Park Meeting Room at Noon. The Library Director attests to the posting of the Agenda pursuant to the California Government Code 54956.

Board President Lohr called the meeting to order at 12:05 P.M.

Roll Call:

Present: Grant, Harvie, Lohr, P. Ortega, Monita, Grass

Absent: Vega

*Itzajana Ortega had to resign her spot on the board and there is a vacancy to be filled

1. Approval of the Agenda:

The Agenda was approved. m/s/c. Harvie/Grant

2. Public Appearance/Comments:

People still ask about book sales and if they will ever return. There will be a community book sale April 18th. Judy Grant will contact the high school to see about getting some help from students needing community service hours.

3. Consent Agenda:

The Consent Agenda including the January Minutes and Accounts Payable was approved. m/s/p. Harvie/Grant

4 Librarian Report:

* The Branch continues to have very few visitors. Funding for Kids on the Spectrum was cut and that has hurt usage of the Branch. Some ideas were discussed as how to improve usage.

* Our library has applied for a Dollar General Literacy Foundation Summer Reading Grant. Award recipients will be announced May 8, 2026

* The design for the window replacement project has been completed. It will be put out for a bid and we should know in March who will be doing the work.

* Summer reading theme will focus on planting seeds and growing food.
Possible presenters and donors are being consulted.

5. Board Members Reports:

The chairs in storage can go to Congregation Beth Jacob once they complete a form with the city.

6. City Liaison Report:

Council man John Grass said he enjoyed the meeting.

Councilman Monita brought us up to date on pool repairs, streets, and the proposed data center.

7. Adjournment:

There was no further business to discuss. The next regular meeting will be March 12, 2026 at 12:00 P.M.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:05 P.M.

Respectfully submitted

Judy Grant, Recording Secretary