

**Montello Public Library  
Board of Trustees Meeting Minutes  
March 10, 2026**

**Unapproved until April 14, 2026 meeting**

**Attendance:** Linda Quinn, Jackie Anderson, Director Klapper, Mindy Johnson-Roidt, Barb Church, Marilyn Merrill **Absent:** Venise Mugler

Meeting called to order at 5:00 by President Church.

Last month's meeting minutes: Motion to approve by Anderson, second by Johnson-Roidt. Motion carried.

Expenditures: Motion to approve expenditures by Merrill, second by Johnson-Roidt. Motion carried.

Circulation Statistics: Numbers are good in all areas, attendance is down slightly, but circulation is better than it was a year ago.

Friends Report: No new updates, annual Friends meeting is set for April 23 at 6pm.

Director Update:

- Director is working on filling vacancy on the Library Board, couple of prospects
- County directors have met and discussed being more vocal and attending more finance and county board meetings to speak up for our libraries.
- Director is getting numerous telemarketing and junk calls, spam blocker and caller id is not working on the library phone, Director will call in trouble ticket to local telcom.
- Leaky outdoor faucet at back of the library building has been reported.
- First quarter service call by Terminix/Wilkil revealed no issues
- Pots in front will be replanted by O'Malley's and paid for by Friends.
- Children's Wisconsin group and Hannah Zellmer will be back to do storytime in April. Another guest reader is lined up for May.
- Money Smart Week is April 6-12, we have picture books to give away to the kids about financial literacy.
- Family Adventure Day is April 11 at the Montello School where county libraries will have a booth.
- Discussion around this board designating an Annual Meeting, probably in May.

Old Business: none

New Business: none

Trustee Reports/comments: none

Handouts: Trustee Tales

Next Meeting: April 14, 2026, 2026 5pm

Meeting adjourned at 5:40 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
Linda Quinn, Secretary