

**Canton Public Library Board
Proposed 2026 Budget Hearing Minutes
September 18, 2025
7:00 PM**

The hearing was called to order by the Chairperson, Jasmine Lee, at 7:00 PM.

Present: H. Abdu, N. Eggenberger, A. Iqbal, J. Lee, A. Watts
Absent: A. Wahby
Also Present: S. Bewick, E. Davis

CALL TO AUDIENCE

Present: K. Bounds, L. Golden, M. Hathaway, D. McHugh, M. Nicholson, C. Swanberg
No comments

BUDGET HEARING

The Proposed 2026 Budget Hearing was opened for discussion.

2026 PROPOSED BUDGET APPROVAL

N. Eggenberger moved, and A. Watts supported the motion to adopt the Proposed 2026 Budget amount of \$8,596,500.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Yes: H. Abdu, N. Eggenberger, A. Iqbal, J. Lee, A. Watts
No: None
Abstain: None

The motion passed 25/9-18-1BH (5-0-0)

TAX RESOLUTION

N. Eggenberger moved, and A. Watts supported the resolution to approve certifying the rate for tax levy of 1.4202 mills for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2026.

ROLL CALL VOTE

Yes: H. Abdu, N. Eggenberger, A. Iqbal, J. Lee, A. Watts
No: None
Abstain: None

The motion passed 25/9-18-2BH (5-0-0)

CALL TO AUDIENCE

None

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 7:02 PM.

Amy Watts, Secretary-Treasurer

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