

**LIBRARY BOARD OF THE CITY OF SACHSE
MARCH 9, 2026, MEETING MINUTES**

The Library Board of the City of Sachse held a regular meeting on Monday, March 9, 2026, at 7:00 PM at Sachse City Hall, 3815-B Sachse Road. Those present were: LaWan-Dia Rhoden, Meghan Kershaw, Allyssa Loya, Betsy Urschel, ADASHEA DUGAN, Rafay Sheikh.

Those absent were: Shanna Conde.

A. Regular Meeting

1. Call to Order: The Library Board of the City of Sachse will hold a regular meeting on Monday, March 9, 2026, at 7:00 PM to consider the following items of business:

Vice Chairperson Urschel called the meeting to order at 7:02 PM.

2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. and Texas Flags.

Ms. Kershaw offered the invocation and Ms. Loya led the pledges.

B. Public Comment

The public is invited to address the Board regarding any topic not already on the agenda for action or public hearing. **Comments regarding any discussion-only items on the agenda may be addressed during this Public Comment section.** The time limit is three minutes per speaker. A Public Comment Card should be presented to the acting secretary prior to the meeting. According to the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Board is prohibited from discussing any item not posted on the agenda but will take comments under advisement.

No public comments were offered.

C. Action Items

Action items are for Board discussion and consideration for action. **The presiding officer will invite comments before the Board votes.** A Public Comment Card should be given to the acting secretary prior to the start of the meeting.

1. Consider approving the February 9, 2026, meeting minutes.

Ms. Kershaw made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Ms. Rhoden seconded the motion, and it carried 6 - 0. None voted against.

D. Discussion Items

These items are for the Board and staff to discuss as needed. **Comments on Discussion Items should be addressed in the Public Comment Section of this meeting.**

1. Receive and discuss the Library Manager's monthly report.

Mr. Cross presented the monthly report for the library, including the library's statistics. Ms. Dugan called attention to the variety of programs offered.

2. Discuss the current Library policy on borrower cards.

Mr. Cross presented the circulation policy for borrower cards and opened the discussion on digital library cards versus physical ones. He reviewed the current policy on applying for library cards and noted the significant increase in demand for digital library cards. He presented examples from neighboring libraries and their borrower requirements. The Board discussed the pros and cons of

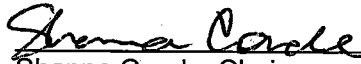
different requirements for obtaining a library card, the wait times for eBooks, and the library's mission. Mr. Cross agreed to continue collecting data for future discussion.

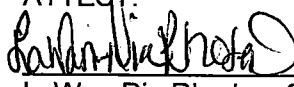
3. Discuss Library Board announcements regarding special events, current activities, and local achievements.

Mr. Cross announced the library's upcoming activities and story times. He presented the events scheduled for Spring Break. Mr. Cross noted that volunteer applications reopen in April and that the library is on track for the accreditation process.

E. Adjournment

Vice Chairperson Urschel adjourned the meeting at 7:40 PM.


Shanna Conde, Chairperson

ATTEST:

LaWan-Dia Rhoden, Secretary