



## **Board of Trustees**

The governing body of the Mediapolis Public Library is the Board of Trustees. The Board is composed of five residents of the City of Mediapolis who are appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the Mediapolis City Council. Appointments are for six years; terms are staggered. The Board of Trustees shall meet monthly in the Meeting Room in the Library. Meetings are open to the public.

Board Members are:

Jared Schmidgall, President  
Michael Heiens, Vice President  
Rebecca Beekman, Treasurer  
Lori Carnes, Secretary  
Erika Salek, Trustee

As an administrative board, the Mediapolis Public Library Board has the power to:

- Hire and evaluate the library director, determining salaries and compensation for the director and the library staff
- Establish the library's line item budget within the funding limits established by the city council
- Oversee the spending and approve the library's expenditures
- Develop and adopt policies for the library's operation
- Engage in active short-term and long-range planning for the library's future
- Exercise general oversight and governance of the library's operation

Reviewed November, 2020

Reviewed January, 2019

Reviewed July, 2017

Reviewed June, 2015

Reviewed December, 2011

Reviewed August, 2008

Reviewed March, 2006

Reviewed October, 2004