

CRANSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

March 11, 2026

Central Library

Seminar Room

6:00 pm

AGENDA

- A. Call to Order
- B. Roll Call
- C. Approve minutes of the February 11, 2026 meeting (*Vote may be taken*)
- D. Board Communications – *None*
- E. Library Administration Report
 - 1. Administrative Updates
 - 2. Buildings & Grounds maintenance updates
 - 3. Programming updates
 - 4. Staff updates
- F. Budget Report
 - Review of monthly financials*
- G. New Business
 - 1. Adoption of Tangible Gifts Policy (*Vote may be taken*)
 - 2. Adoption of FY27 operating budget request to the City of Cranston (*Vote may be taken*)
 - 3. Revision to the operating hours of the Auburn branch (*Vote may be taken*)
 - 4. Request for Board of Trustees to submit letters of support to the RI General Assembly for H7606/S2525 which establish enforcement limitations on contract terms for the licensing of electronic books or digital audiobooks to libraries to preclude the library from being subject to unfair sales practices; and H7691 which requires that the state's share to public libraries be fixed at twenty-five percent (25%) of the amount appropriated by the city or town in their budgets for fiscal year 2027. (*Vote may be taken*)
 - 5. Ratification of collective bargaining agreement with NAGE R1-97 (*Vote may be taken*)
 - 6. Agreement with Bay State Books for processing deaccessioned library books (*Vote may be taken*)
- H. Adjournment

Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-46-6(c) Notice of this meeting was posted on the Secretary of State's website, on the library's website, at Cranston City Hall and at the Central Library on March 5, 2026.