

MINUTES
Chatham County Library Advisory Committee
September 15, 2022

Members in attendance:

Jeanne Marie Patterson, Chair; Patty Poe; Margaret Goldston; Lisa Padgett; Leslie Ocampo; Linda Clarke, Director, Chatham County Libraries

The meeting was called to order by Jeanne Marie Patterson at 10:00 am. The minutes were read, reviewed and approved. Jeanne Marie welcomed our new members, Margaret Goldston and Lisa Padgett.

Linda opened with an icebreaker that revealed interesting statistics about the library in the last fiscal year.

Director's Report:

Goldston Library is having repair work done and extending the children's area. Wren Library received a grant toward forming a Friends of the Library group. Its conference room continues to house city staff while renovation of Town Hall is in progress. Chatham Community Library Friends will hold a book sale (children's books and nonfiction books) on September 23.

The library system received \$60,000 in "covid money" non-recurring funds. A blood pressure monitor is available for checkout. Our annual committee report to the county commissioners will be held on November 7. Lisa volunteered to make the presentation.

Next meetings: December 8, 2022, March 9, 2023, and June 8, 2023.