Accepting Donations for Community Organizations

The Committee discussed accepting monetary donations for the Park Ridge Holiday Lights Fund and whether a Library policy should be written regarding accepting any or all donations for community organizations or whether the Library should continue to make the current exceptions without a policy. Mrs. Van De Carr explained the history of the types of donations the Library has accepted, namely toys for the annual holiday U.S. Marine Corps "Toys for Tots" program in partnership with the Park Ridge Police Department, a holiday food drive, and eyeglasses for the Lions Club.

The Committee decided to table this issue and not make any changes to the Library's current practice at this time.

Purchase from Moriarty Trust

At the August Committee meeting, Mrs. Van De Carr proposed a purchase of new meeting room chairs using funds from the Dorothy Moriarity Trust. The Committee had asked for additional quotes and for sample chairs to be provided at a Committee meeting.

The Committee looked at the sample chairs and Mrs. Van De Carr explained her recommendation of the KI Opt 4 chair, namely that it is durable, lighter in weight than the current chairs, and comfortable. She explained that the weight of the chairs for room setup is an issue. Mr. Trizna asked about consumer reports of durability, etc.

Mr. Parisi made a

MOTION: to approve the purchase of the KI Opt 4 chairs in grey, using funds from the Dorothy Moriarity Trust

Mr. White seconded the motion.

Roll call vote: 5 Yay: Egan, Lamb Parisi, Rayborn, White

3 Nay: Dobrilovic, Reardon, Trizna

1 Absent Foss-Eggemann

MOTION DASSED

Other None

Adjournment: 9:47 p.m.

Berardino Parisi, Chair