Taft Library Board of Trustees

**Monday, April 20, 2020 at 6:00 PM Via Zoom**

**Join Zoom Meeting**

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Roll Call: Amy Fahey, Ellen Agro, Shana Miller, Leigh Martin, Wayne Phipps, Kelley Aubut

Also in Attendance: Andrew Jenrich, Library Director

1. Call to Order -6:01pm

Amy read the introduction to conducting a remote meeting. Roll call was taken.

1. The board reviewed items posed by Abacus Architects in anticipation of the kickoff meeting on Wednesday April 22, 2020

·         **Who will be representing the Town at meetings as the work proceeds?  And procedurally/technically how should we conduct them?** Amy and Andrew

·         **Who should we email as part of ongoing back and forth?** Amy and Andrew

·         **Who else might we want to talk to to get input on town needs?** Town Administrator, Tara, All Boards and Committees, Scout Troops

·         **What kinds of spaces does the town need?  Small, medium and large meeting spaces?  Specialized craft rooms?  Community kitchen?  How do we zero in on this?** Keep it to a multipurpose room with flexibility, maybe a second room for meetings. A kitchen would be ideal.

**·         Should there be public outreach – surveys, meetings (zoom or otherwise) so that we understand how new space would be used, and what elements are required?** No, not at this time. Public outreach should occur when and if the town chooses to act on the rectory.

·         **To what extent would a new building be an extension of the library that needs to be integrated in spatially at the lower or main level, and to what extent is it its own building?** Connection would be nice but able to shut off from each other.

·         **The RFP mentioned 3 options – a new building, a pavilion, and landscaped space.  Who are the constituencies for these 3 options and how did they emerge as parallel lines of investigation?** All three options would serve as a space for library and community use.

·         Anything else we should know to inform our next steps? No

 3. Adjourn motion by Ellen, second by Wayne 7:24pm