

Library Committee Minutes

April 12, 2017

Room 105

4:00PM

The Library Committee convened in Mabee Library at 4:04PM. The following members were present: Dr. Adem, Mr. Bird, Dr. Conner, Dr. Mary Menninger-Corder, Dr. O’Leary, Ms. Tenny, Dr. Thomas, and Dr. Wooldridge. Dr. Bearman, Dr. Chamberlain, Dr. Grimmer, Dr. Herbig, Dr. Hine, Dr. Prece, and Dr. Smith sent word they would be unable to attend.

Mr. Bird reported that as of to date, no budget cuts for 2017/2018. He distributed a budget printout that compares the library’s materials inflation in purchasing power over the last 8 years. Discussion followed.

Mabee was approved to remodel its bathrooms and the parking lot behind the building will see substantial repairs this summer as part of the Capital Improvement plan.

The Libraries and the Center for Student Success and Retention are relaunching the Bridge Program previously housed at Washburn Tech as the Ichabod Ignite Program, in collaboration with different partners, but with particular assistance with the Department of English. Discussion followed.

Meeting adjourned at 4:50PM

Respectfully submitted

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