HAPLD FRIENDS FOUNDATION
General Meeting
September 18, 2026 Program Room 3

Those in attendance:

Diane Becker	Sandy Domagalski	Andy Katz
Linda Benigno	Deanna Engelke	Janet Kirby
Vito Benigno	Susan Durbin	Shirley Nowak
Pat Carney	Kelly Gyorke	Janis Ruffino
Lisa Carroccio	Nancy Hardy	Mary Ann Schopen
Deborah Cullen	Genevieve Hochwarter	Connie Shepherd
C. Jann Crabill	Phyllis James	Marge Smith
Carol David	Pamela Kampwerth	

Staff: Friends Liaison, Michelle Mattes; Director, Natalie Starosta

At 11:05, President Genevieve Hochwarter called the meeting to order and introduced the new Library Director, Natalie Starosta. The Director spoke of her background in libraries and answered questions from the audience.

Secretary's Report
Phyllis James moved the August minutes be accepted, Vito Benigno seconded, the motion passed with corrections to Book Sale pay options: Venmo not Zelle may used for purchases.

Treasurer's Report – Carol David
Bank Account: $65,177.96; Petty Cash: $165.04; CD: $86,074.00. Connie Shepherd moved the report be accepted, Janis Ruffino seconded, and the motion passed.

September Book Sale Recap
Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make the sale a success. The team setting up tables and bringing out all the boxes took less than an hour to prepare for Friday's unpacking. Over $1700 was raised (not including paypal)

Upcoming Fundraisers
- **Culver's Night, October 19**
- **Holiday Basket Raffle, November 20-December 17**
- **Giving Tuesday Annual Plea, December 1**
- **December Book Sale, December 12-13**

Committee Meetings
- **Corner Books,** individuals training with Scott
- **Holiday Basket Committee,** October 2, 10:00—open to all interested

Carol David moved the meeting adjourn, Susan Durbin seconded, the meeting adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Marjorie Smith, Secretary