THE HAVERFORD TOWNSHIP FREE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION
1601 Darby Rd, Havertown, PA 19083
Board of Trustees Special Association Meeting Minutes (Final)

DATE: September 16, 2026

ATTENDING:

Alyce Callison, President	Eric Schnittke, Trustee
Regina Colantonio, VP	Phil Goldsmith, Trustee Emeritus
Debbie Cella, Treasurer	Maryanne Olson, Director
Deb Morley, Secretary	Donna Reeves, Staff
Margaret Fox-Tully, Trustee	Maggie Esteves, Staff
Scott Lowe, Trustee	Julie Schultz, Staff

ABSENT: Larry Feinberg, Trustee

PUBLIC: Mary Bear Shannon, Maura Duffy, Sherry Forste-Grupp, Kathleen Roe, Craig Bruno, Nicole Bruno, Ellen Hollin and 19 additional attendees

The meeting was called to order by Alyce Callison at 7:02 PM.

OPENING OF MEETING:

President Remarks: Alyce Callison welcomed all to the Association Meeting for the election of a new Library Board Trustee. The three candidates were each given 3 minutes to speak.

Craig Bruno – Lives in Haverford Township since 2020. He is COO and CFO of his organization and has experience in the areas of financial and structural operations. Craig is committed to public service and shared goals.

Nicole Bruno – Has experience as Friends Board of Directors. She works as an accountant. Nicole has previous Board experience and passion for the library.

Ellen Hollin – Served on Haverford Township School Board and assisted with facilities. She is a long-time resident and has used the library since she was a child. Ellen welcomes the opportunity to bring her experience to the Board.

DIRECTOR PRESENTATION:
Maryanne Olson presented a 2025 Year in Review compared to 2026 year-to-date. She highlighted that already this year, the Library has increased patron visits and program attendance.

She stated the Library is excited to provide space to the community for new services and resources, including: Library of Things, Homebound Delivery service, Princh mobile printing, Hoopla, Yoto Cards, Creativebug and an additional remote Book Return.

Strategic Planning is underway including focus groups, community forums and a public survey. All are welcomed to participate.

ELECTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEE POSITION:
Election Results: Craig Bruno was elected as the new Library Board Trustee for a 3 yr. term.

The meeting Adjourned at 7:25 pm.