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## **NEWBERG PUBLIC LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD AGENDA**

**Thursday, September 17, 2026, 6 P.M.**

**In Person:** Newberg Public Library, 503 E Hancock Street

**Online:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89536547180>

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1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER: Amanda Houston, Chair
2. ROLL CALL OF BOARD MEMBERS
  - Amanda Houston, Chair
  - Julia Kightly, Vice Chair
  - Sharee Adkins, Jessica Hopkins-Hubbard, Leslie Smestad
  - OPEN, Student Commissioner
  - Library Director: Korie Jones Buerkle (EX-OFFICIO)
3. ACCEPT CONSENT CALENDAR
  - a. Accept June and July 2026 Library Advisory Board Meeting Minutes.
  - b. Accept June, July, August Library Use Reports.
4. PUBLIC COMMENTS (5 minutes maximum per person)
5. BOARD COMMENTS
  - a. Current Library Narratives
6. REPORTS
  - a. Library Foundation report (Korie Buerkle)
  - b. Library Director's report (Korie Buerkle)
  - c. Library Friends report (Korie Buerkle)
7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
  - a. Strategic Plan Community Survey
  - b. Strategic Plan 2027-2032 objectives
8. NEW BUSINESS
  - a. Library Board Candidate Interviews discussion
    1. Open/Expiring Position: Student Commissioner, Julia, Amanda
    2. Questions for interviews
    3. Recommend deciding how many interviews to conduct and asking for written responses if we have more applications that interview slots?

9. NEXT MEETING/STEPS

Thursday, October 15, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, November 19, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, December 17, 2026, 6:00 p.m.

10. ADJOURNMENT

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