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Comments for BOS Meeting 04-16-24

Agenda #13 Library District Board Revisions to Board of Supervisors Policy

Staff is recommending approval of the proposed revisions to the BOS Policy D32.3 Collection Development Policy.

It is represented that these changes are from the Library Department and Library Advisory Board that recommends these changes. Also, that Staff recommends the changes provided. Where in the development of these changes to D32.3 did the Library Advisory Board agree on all the changes?

December 7, 2023 Library Advisory Board New Business Item X discussed the current quorum requirement of six members present, The County attorney mentioned at a recent Open Meeting Law training session that the definitions of quorum could still be modified. More research was necessary.

January 4, 2024 Library Advisory Board Meeting Cancelled lack of quorum

February 1, 2024 Library Advisory Board Motion carried to **remove vacant Advisory Board positions** from the quorum requirements. These changes must be approved by the Board of Supervisors.

March 4, 2024 No discussion of quorum requirements or D32.3 proposed changes

Amber Mathewson, Library Director signed the 4/16/24 request for the D32.3 changes to the Board of Supervisors on 3/22/24. She indicated the D32.3 changes were provided to all the Board of Supervisors with no comments returned and the Library Advisory Board recommends the revisions to D32.3. When did this review and recommendation from the Library Advisory Board happen? The Advisory Board does not mention any review or comment in the Meeting Minutes during 2024 through March 4, 2024 meeting? This recommendation is questionable because many of the changes to collections appearing on the shelves appears to work toward sexualizing our children? The recommendations also appear to remove responsibility from the Library Advisory Board and the Library Director for

any complaints about appropriate use of our secondary tax dollars supporting inappropriate books.

Revisions to Policy D32.3 should be postponed until further evaluation to the suggested changes can be properly reviewed and commented on by all the Board of Supervisors and the public.

God Bless America

Sharon Fickes
