

**SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 21, 2014**

Present: Euni Rose, Deborah Evans, Carole McCollough, Laura Mancini, David Ewick and Terry Croad

The meeting was called to order by Chair Euni Rose at 5:30 pm.

The meeting was held as an opportunity to receive information from City Planner Terry Croad about changes occurring and proposed for the City Centre District; and to look into ways the Library could possibly participate.

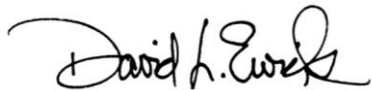
Mr. Croad presented "*The Heart of Placemaking*", which shows the current and coming changes to the Civic Center area. The concept aims to create a more pedestrian friendly downtown area for Southfield.

The Library board reviewed some options that could be undertaken by the Library, including the concepts of adding sidewalks along the fountain, creating an art garden, and development of a band shell or theater.

The consensus of the board was to explore and increase the Library's role in partnership with the changing City Centre, but no specific projects were endorsed at this point.

With no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:55 pm.

Respectfully submitted,



David Ewick,
City Librarian