Statement of Dissolution

The Friends of the Fairmount Public Library has, after a lengthy discussion, decided that it will no longer be a viable organization after ten years.

The main reason for dissolving the organization is due to the lack of additional memberships. The core group that started in 2004 is still actively volunteering their time to the group's fundraisers and assistance to library programs. But to remain an active business entity with the State of Indiana, the core group can no longer support a full slate of officers and board members, according to the group's by-laws.

The by-laws have been rewritten twice in the group's ten-year existence to support the number of people willing to serve as officers and the terms of office. There is no longer any room for more adjustments due to several members moving away from the area.

One thing the group does agree on is that while it will no longer be a sanctioned group, the core members will continue to assist the library's fundraisers and programs in a volunteer capacity.

Director Linda Magers will create a calling tree when she needs assistance for programs and the volunteers will continue to organize book sales. The monthly meetings will no longer be held, but a get-together for project planning will be held informally as needed.

The core group of the Library will gladly accept assistance from any in the community who wish to help out.

The Library will continue to accept monetary donations as it always has to further Library programs.

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