

**Keene Public Library**  
**Building and Grounds Committee**  
**Meeting held 3/10/2023 at 10:00 AM (DRAFT)**

Members present: Susan Bloom, Paul Henkel, Kathleen Packard.

Minutes of our last meeting were approved.

**Landscaping** – We plan to follow up with Andy Bohannon to learn his resolution of a reduced scope tree program with Bartlett Tree Experts.

**Planning** – As a first step planning any future landscaping, we would like to locate the existing landscaping map from the 2019 renovation/expansion. Susan Bloom offered to try and locate the map.

**Detour sign** – City of Keene Public Works plans to put a sign on the Library property on the West Street side. The sign will advise motorists of a detour because the Island Street / Winchester Street intersection will be closed to Island Street traffic during some of the roundabout construction.

**Equipment for Heberton Hall and Cohen Hall** – Improved ventilation is planned for the AV equipment. It was suggested that we invite Andy Bohannon to meet with the Building and Grounds Committee.

**Slippery sidewalk** – When freezing rain conditions produced slippery sidewalks in the evening, the Public Works Department was notified. They responded promptly and treated the slippery sidewalks at the Library. Much appreciated!

**Ken Jue Tree Dedication** – Library Trustees will host a tree dedication honoring Ken Jue on Arbor Day Friday April 28 at 1:30 PM.

Paul Henkel, Chair

**Next Meeting Schedule (to be confirmed): 10 AM April 7, 2023 in the Miller-Vincent Room.**