

MEETING DATE: May 21, 2020

Regular Business #2

TO: Library Board of Trustees

FROM: Judy Booth, Library Director

SUBJECT: LIBRARY STAFF ATTENDANCE OF THE AMERICAN LIBRARY
ASSOCIATION VIRTUAL, COMMUNITY THROUGH
CONNECTION CONFERENCE

SUMMARY

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RECOMMENDATION

Use Friends of the Library Restricted Account funds to pay for 15 staff to attend the "ALA Virtual, Community Through Connection" Conference which will take place on June 24-26, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT

The Friends of the Library Restricted Account would be reduced by \$5,000.

DISCUSSION

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