

RESOLUTION 2025-03
RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE ADOPTION OF THE WEB CONTENT ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES
THE BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES OF
THE FOX RIVER GROVE PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT
McHENRY COUNTY, ILLINOIS
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WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Fox River Grove Public Library District, McHenry County, Illinois ("Library") strives to ensure that everyone has access to its full range of collections, programming, events, meetings, and services, including digital materials; and

WHEREAS, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act ("ADA") requires state and local governments to ensure that their services, programs, and activities are accessible to people with disabilities. On April 24, 2024, the Federal Register published the Department of Justice's ("DOJ") new final rule (the "Final Rule") updating its regulations for Title II and setting specific requirements to ensure web content and mobile applications provided by state and local governments are accessible to people with disabilities. The Final Rule requires small local government entities, such as the Library, to conform to the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines ("WCAG"), Version 2.1, Level AA, on or before April 26, 2027.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Fox River Grove Public Library District that:

The Board of Trustees of the Fox River Grove Public Library District hereby adopts the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines ("WCAG"), Version 2.1, Level AA, as its accessibility standard. The Library Director and designees are hereby authorized and shall take all necessary steps to implement the WCAG, Version 2.1, Level AA, standard to ensure the Library's digital offerings are accessible to people with disabilities and in compliance with the DOJ's Final Rule.

PASSED by the Board of Trustees of the Fox River Grove Public Library District, McHenry County, Illinois, on the 21st day of October, 2025, by a vote of:

AYES: Cooper, Miller, Christianson, Gipson, Meshes, Bunton

NAYS: none

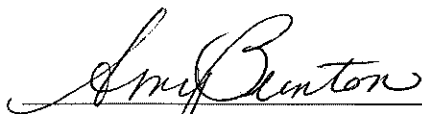
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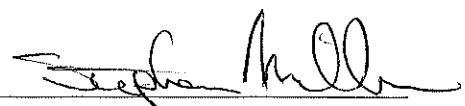
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Amy Bunton, Vice President
Board of Trustees of the
Fox River Grove Public Library District



Stephen Miller, Secretary
Board of Trustees of the
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