

F. Consent Agenda - Library Services Department
ITEM 8.



AGENDA REPORT
August 21, 2018

Approval to Name a Room Within the Titusville Public Library (D1)

SUBJECT:

Approval to name a room within the Titusville Public Library (D1)

FISCAL IMPACT:

None to taxpayers, as the funds for the sign will come out of the library's endowment budget

DEPT/OFFICE:

Library Services

REQUESTED ACTION:

Board approval is requested to allow the Titusville Public Library to rename the Youth Services room in the library after deceased benefactor, Rita Moehringer

SUMMARY EXPLANATION and BACKGROUND:

In 2015 Brevard County Citizen and Titusville Library Patron, Rita Moehringer, passed away. In life, Ms. Moehringer was a frequent user of the Titusville Public Library and was beloved by staff. Ms. Moehringer often stated that she "loved the library," and the generous bequest of over \$1,156,000 that she left to the library is a testament to that love. In 2017, those funds were used to pay for a large and much-needed renovation project: Aging HVAC systems were replaced; a new conference room and PC lab were created; new flooring and paint were installed, and the Youth Services areas were completely revamped with new furnishings. The project was completed in May of this year, and the Library would like permission to honor Ms. Moehringer by naming the renovated children's room after her.

Per Board Policy, Title: Naming of County Facilities, BCC-58, I.C.2.(c)., "Naming Sections/Rooms within a Facility. The Department having oversight or management of a facility may submit a proposed name to be affixed to a section or room within a facility, which is different from the name of the overall facility, for approval by the Board of County Commissioners."

The Library Services Department requests the Board approve the naming of the children's room within the Titusville Public Library in honor of Rita Moehringer. Her love of the library and of children was well known in her lifetime, and through her financial bequest the library has been able to greatly improve the children's room. It is fitting that she should be permanently memorialized for her incredible generosity.

If approved, a permanent sign would be placed on the lintel over the entrance to the

children's room:

**The Rita Moehringer
Children's Room**

CLERK TO THE BOARD INSTRUCTIONS:

Please provide the Board's action item to Jeff Thompson, Library Services Director.

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

No Attachments Available



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August 22, 2018

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Jeff Thompson, Library Services Director

RE: Item F.8., Approval to Name a Room Within the Titusville Public Library

The Board of County Commissioners, in regular session on August 21, 2018, approved allowing the Titusville Public Library to rename the Youth Services Room in the library after deceased benefactor, Rita Moehringer.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

Tammy Rowe

Tammy Rowe, Deputy Clerk

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