



TIME CRITICAL AGENDA MATERIAL

Meeting Date: November 17, 2025

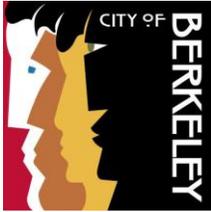
Item Description: Board of Library Trustees Reappointment: Beverly Greene

In order to ensure continuity and quorum on the Board of Library Trustees in 2026, Trustee Beverly Greene must be reappointed by the end of the year. The December 2, 2025 meeting is the last opportunity for Trustee Greene to reprise her role and continue serving the City of Berkeley. Therefore, this item is being submitted to the November 17, 2025 Agenda and Rules Committee meeting.

Time Critical Items. A Time Critical item is defined as a matter that is considered urgent by the sponsor and that has a deadline for action that is prior to the next meeting of the Council and for which a report prepared by the City Manager, Auditor, Mayor or Council Member is received by the City Clerk after established deadlines and is not included on the Agenda Committee's published agenda.

The author of the report shall bring any reports submitted as Time Critical to the meeting of the Agenda Committee. **Per BMC 2.06.060 (D), Time Critical items must be accompanied by complete reports and statements of financial implications.**

If the Agenda Committee finds the matter to meet the definition of Time Critical, the Agenda Committee may place the matter on the Agenda on either the Consent or Action Calendar.



Shoshana O'Keefe
Councilmember, District 5

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
From: Councilmember Shoshana O'Keefe
Submitted by: Henry Bankhead, Acting Director of Library Services, Acting as Secretary, Board of Library Trustees
Subject: Board of Library Trustees Reappointment: Beverly Greene

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution Approving the Reappointment of Beverly Greene to the Board of Library Trustees ("BOLT") for a second term of four years commencing December 3, 2025.

SUMMARY

Trustee Greene's first term ended on August 30, 2025 and she is eligible for a second term that would end on December 3, 2029. Trustee Greene is currently a member in good standing.

BACKGROUND

The Board of Library Trustees consists of five members appointed by the City Council upon recommendation of the Board of Library Trustees. Board members are appointed for terms of four years, serve without compensation, and must be Berkeley residents. Trustee Greene is currently serving as a result of her appointment to the board by City Council resolution 69,987-N.S. on July 27, 2017 to complete her first term of office which ended on August 30, 2025. The practice of the board has been to support trustees expressing an interest in serving a second term of office by putting forward a recommendation to the City Council in advance of the term's expiration to ensure continuity and a full complement of board members in order to conduct business. At its November 5, 2025 regular meeting, the board adopted Resolution No.: 25-048 to appoint Beverly Greene to a second term: M/S/C (Roth/O'Keefe); Ayes – Trustees Ami, O'Keefe and Roth. Noes: None; Abstentions: None; Absent: Trustee Villanueva.

FISCAL IMPACTS

None.

CONTACT

Henry Bankhead, Acting Director, Library Services, 981-6195

ATTACHMENTS

1. Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

RE-APPOINTMENT OF BEVERLY GREENE AS A MEMBER OF
THE LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

WHEREAS, membership of the Board of Library Trustees is composed of five appointments by the City Council, including one appointment of a current council member;

WHEREAS, Beverly Greene was appointed to a first term as a "Trustee" on August 31, 2021, which ended on August 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, at its November 5, 2025 meeting, the Board of Library Trustees recommended that Beverly Greene be reappointed to a second term on the Library Board by Resolution # 25-048; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that Beverly Greene be reappointed to the Board of Library trustees for a second term beginning December 3, 2025 and ending December 5, 2029.