Resolution No. 2020-03

A RESOLUTION AFFIRMING BROOKFIELD LIBRARY'S UNITED STANCE AGAINST RACISM

The Trustees of the Brookfield Public Library affirm the Library's commitment to inclusion and equity in response to the recent brutal injustices as well as to those that have preceded it.

We concur with the American Library Association's directive: "The Board therefore urges ALA members and member organizations, members of the wider LIS community, and library institutions everywhere to eradicate racism anywhere and everywhere it exists."

We also concur with Village President Kit Ketchmark's statement: "It is our belief that as a community, we must speak up and denounce racism. We must come together and take meaningful actions to make changes in our community, our state and our country towards the goal of racial justice and equality."

The Library stands in solidarity with its minority community members in these unprecedented times. We condemn the violence and inequality in our country and at the same time choose to channel that energy into the diversity and inclusion work we all are responsible for.

ADOPTED and agreed upon on this 24th day of June 2020, pursuant to a roll call as
follows:
President Duner, Trustees Rissane, Perry, Durghgraet
President Duner, Trustees Kissane, Perry, Burghgraef AYES: Mihelic, Kampschroeder and MeTeague
NAYS: None
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ABSENT: None
Approved by me this 24th day of June, 2020
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Dianne Duner, President
ATTEST: