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### Pierce County Library's Board of Trustees reviews audit updates and other issues

**PIERCE COUNTY, Washington** – The Pierce County Library System Board of Trustees will review recent audit updates and conduct other business at its <u>Board meeting</u> on **Wednesday, March 9, 3:30 p.m.** 

Join the meeting by phone or online:

- Phone: 253-215-8782, webinar identification: 853 3159 8218, passcode: 305939
- Zoom with a Zoom account from a web browser or an app: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85331598218?pwd=TVRWcEVYTFY3N0tod0FSa1ZBV2xqQT09

The Washington State Retirement Systems routine audit of Pierce County Library employees, who are enrolled in the state's retirement system, found the Library System is complying with the retirement system's requirements. The review included July 2018 through June 2019, and focused on compliance with the rules and processes for enrolling employees into the system as well as reporting of payroll records.

The Washington State Auditor's Office is conducting its regular fiscal and accountability audit of the Library's 2020 activities. At the April Board meeting, Library administrators plan to provide the trustees with draft results or final results, if available.

## <u>More information</u>: <u>https://www.piercecountylibrary.org/about-us/board-trustees/board-agenda-packets/Default.htm</u>

#### About Pierce County Library System

The nationally acclaimed <u>Pierce County Library System</u> serves 634,000 people throughout Pierce County with 20 libraries and online services. The system is the fourth largest in the state and is funded primarily through property taxes. People may choose from more than one million books, e-books, audiobooks, movies and other materials. Pierce County Library is committed to directing services in three primary areas: learning, enjoyment and community connection. Its services and programs spark success for Pierce County residents. More than 2 million people visit Pierce County Libraries each year. The Library provides services and programs directly to people in adult care facilities, people who are homebound, and to children in childcare centers and schools. <u>Pierce County Libraries are located</u> at Anderson Island, Bonney Lake, Buckley, DuPont, Eatonville, Fife, Gig Harbor, Graham, Key Center, Lakewood, Milton/Edgewood, Orting, Parkland/Spanaway, Pierce County Library Administrative Center, South Hill, Steilacoom, Summit, Sumner, Tillicum and University Place. Pierce County Library is an independent municipal corporation and operates as a junior taxing district.

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