

**AURORA FREE LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

**Tax Cap Override Resolution:**

**Whereas**, the adoption of the 2026 budget for the Aurora Free Library may require a tax levy increase that exceeds the tax cap imposed by State law as outlined in General Municipal Law Section 3-c adopted in 2011; and

**Whereas**, General Municipal Law Section 3-c expressly permits the Library Board to override the tax levy limit by a resolution approved by a vote of sixty percent of qualified board members; now therefore be it

**Resolved**, that on October 16, 2025 the Board of Trustees of the Aurora Free Library voted and approved to exceed the tax levy limit for 2026 by at least the sixty percent of the Board of Trustees, as required by New York State law.

**Motion by:** David Eckhardt

**Second by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dated:** October 16, 2025

\_\_\_\_\_ (signed)

Lori Knopp, Secretary, Aurora Free Library Board of Trustees

**Vote:**   \_\_6\_\_ In Favor  
          \_\_0\_\_ Opposed  
          \_\_0\_\_ Abstentions  
          \_\_0\_\_ Excused  
          \_\_1\_\_ Absent

**Motion Carried**

**Note:** There are currently seven (7) members on the Library Board, and six (6) attended the October 16, 2025 meeting, who unanimously approved this resolution.

The six (6) In-Favor votes constitute 85.7 % of Board Membership.