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Public Library Board of Trustees Elects New Officers for 2004

The Board of Trustees of the Public Library of Cincinnati & Hamilton County elected its new officers for 2004 at its January board meeting: Tara L. Khoury, President; Charles W. Anness, Vice President; and William J. Moran, Secretary.

Tara L. Khoury, who was appointed to the Board in 1999 by the Hamilton County Commissioners, is Senior Vice President for Sara Lee Foods. Prior to joining Sara Lee, she was the Vice President of The Benchmark Group, a broad-based marketing communications firm specializing in branding, advertising, and strategic design, and served as a management consultant and worked with John Pepper as a Special Advisor to the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center. This followed a 21-year career with Procter and Gamble that culminated in serving as General Manager, Worldwide Strategic Planning, for the \$2.5 billion global Beauty Care business.

Charles W. Anness was first appointed to the Board in 1967 by the Judges of the Hamilton County Court of Common Pleas. He is “of counsel” with the law firm of Thompson-Hine and is a member of the American Bar Association, Ohio State Bar Association, Cincinnati Bar Association, Advisory Council of the Juvenile Court of Hamilton County, and National Panel of Arbitrators. He has served 30 years on the Facilities Committee from 1972 to the present except for 1993 and 1999 when he was President of the Board.

William J. Moran, who has served on the Board since 1996, is a Senior Vice President at Fifth Third Bank. He supervises the Corporate Facilities and Security Departments of the Fifth Third Bancorp, including supervising architecture, design, construction management, facilities management, site selection, purchase and lease negotiation, as well as safety and security for all Bancorp properties throughout Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Tennessee, West Virginia, and Florida.

✓ **Information about events at the Main Library and 41 branch libraries is available on the Internet site: www.CincinnatiLibrary.org.**