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NDL Invites Community Feedback Through Short Survey on Library Facility Needs

Northville, MI: The Northville District Library (NDL) is inviting City and Township residents of Northville to share their input by completing a brief, ten-question community survey on space planning, focused on the future of the library's facility.

The survey follows two Community Forums on Space Planning presentations hosted by NDL in October and November of last year, where NDL's Board of Trustees, Library Director Laura Mancini, and attendees discussed key challenges with the current building, along with the common complaints from the public. Among the most frequently cited concerns were inadequate parking, insufficient space for programming and collections, and overall constraints of the existing facility. The Board of Trustees presented some optional solutions to the attendees. These forums also reviewed the due diligence conducted by the Board, including information from professional studies such as the **Space Needs Assessment** and **Space Feasibility Study**, intended to educate the public and inform future discussion. For anyone unable to attend either of the Forums, the Community Forum presentation and additional supporting documents are available on NDL's website here:

<https://nvillelib.org/NDLSpacePlanning>

Now, the Library's Board of Trustees is seeking broader community feedback. The survey is open from **now through April 15** and is designed to take approximately **five minutes** to complete. All City of Northville and Northville Township residents of all ages are encouraged to participate and help the Library better understand community priorities regarding space, services, access and more.

"This survey is an important next step in our listening process," said Library Director Laura Mancini. "No decisions have been made. We are counting on hearing from residents across Northville to help guide thoughtful, community-informed planning."

As a thank you, participants will have the option to enter a drawing for a chance to win one of ten \$50 Barnes & Noble gift cards after completing the survey.

The input gathered will help the Library's Board of Trustees evaluate community preferences and priorities as part of ongoing planning discussions to address current limitations and ensure the library continues to meet the evolving needs of Northville residents.

Residents can access the survey by visiting the Northville District Library website:

<https://nvillelib.org/SpringSurvey2026>, visiting NDL in person to complete it on a paper copy at the Checkout Desk, or by scanning the QR code included below.



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For more information about the Community Forums, related studies, or questions about the survey, please contact Laura, the Director of the Northville District Library and any of the Trustees on the Library Board.

About Northville District Library

The Northville District Library proudly serves the residents of the City of Northville and Northville Township, providing access to resources, programs, and spaces that support lifelong learning and community connection.

Please visit Northville District Library’s website at: www.northvillelibrary.org, email us at: nortref@northvillelibrary.org, or call us at: 248-349-3020. We are also available on social media: Facebook, Instagram, Threads, Bluesky, and YouTube.



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