ANNUAL REPORT







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FROM DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY LEADERSHIP

Dear Library Community,

This is an exciting time to be part of Denver Public Library. We believe that a strong library helps create a strong community and thanks to Denver voters and you, our supporters, we have a lot in the works to make our library even stronger.

We reached several major milestones in 2022, and the headline for the year was definitely the passing of measure 2i in November, providing DPL with an additional \$32 million a year. This was an effort that was years in the making and is a big win for the library system and our community. The additional funding will allow the library to more fully meet the evolving needs of the community. Stay tuned, we will share updates about how DPL is using this funding under the name Strong Library, Strong Denver, supported by the Denver Public Library Fund.

We opened our 27th location in February, the Bob Ragland Branch Library, located in the ArtPark Community Hub. We also reached major milestones for several bond projects that are happening across the system. We welcomed the community to our new, reimagined Children's Library at Central Library in April, and the renovation of the Blair-Caldwell African American Research Library kicked off in May.

The doors to our locations were fully back open in 2022, and we were thrilled to welcome our customers in to connect, to explore our spaces, and to utilize our incredible services and programs. Thank you for your continued support and be sure to come visit us soon.

Carlario Bolos

Sincerely,

Michelle Jeske

City Librarian

Cathy Lucas

President, Denver Public Library Commission

DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY

VISION

A strong community where everyone thrives.

MISSION

Together, we create welcoming spaces where all are free to explore and connect.

VALUES

WELCOMING: We make our resources, services, and expertise accessible for all, recognize the inherent dignity in each person, and provide safe places where everyone can be themselves.

CURIOSITY: We foster a culture of exploration, innovation, and forward thinking by creating environments that support learning and growth.

CONNECTION: We are neighbors. We foster relationships, listen, and act to build and strengthen our community. We bring people together to share information, ideas, and experiences.

EQUITY: We work to change inequitable practices, structures, policies, and attitudes that drive them, to provide opportunities for every person in our community to thrive. As we do so, we actively examine our roles in perpetuating oppressive systems.

STEWARDSHIP: We are accountable to our community, using our resources responsibly. We lead with honesty and integrity, protect privacy, and preserve and share the full history of our Denver community.

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Annual website visits: 5,085,792
Physical item circulation: 3,970,610
Electronic circulation: 2,773,272
Annual in person visits: 1,722,259

PROGRAM REPORT

	Virtual Programs	Virtual Attendance	In-Person Programs	In-Person Attendance
Adult Programs				
Book & Film Discussions/Author Talks Health & Wellness/Self-Improvement Arts/Crafts/Hobbies Writing/Storytelling Misc./More Stuff GA Totals:	45 3 9 64 50 171	704 56 374 805 851 2,790	87 12 48 8 56 211	775 215 2,291 84 1,400 4,765
Digital Inclusion				
ideaLAB Workshops Technology Programs (system wide) Tech Help Appointments (system wide) DI Totals:	0 5 18 23	0 11 18 29	53 154 2073 2,280	523 191 2095 2,809
Older Adult Services				
Authors/Books Denver Housing Authority/Innovage Creative Aging/Art Journaling/Concerts Health and Wellness/Medical Information Memory Cafe/Dementia Mindfulness Meditation/Qi Gong Misc./More Fun Stuff Spanish Language Technology/Finance OA Totals:			6 21 62 17 40 70 47 22 13 292	607 325 1,220 550 603 1,252 1,412 484 200 6,046
Cultural Inclusivity				
Spanish Services Spanish Services (Weekly Book club) Hispanic Heritage Month			14 44	139 168
(Spanish Services form diff budgets) Cultural Exchange CI Totals:	7 7	115 142	17 38 40	408 533 618

PROGRAM REPORT

	Virtual Programs	Virtual Attendance	In-Person Programs	In-Person Attendance
Plaza				
In-Person Plaza Programs Online English Conversation Groups Online Citizenship Study Groups and Legal Help Virtual/Phone Appointments Plaza Totals:	378 90 164 n/a 632	3,091 554 792 1,585 6,022	0	0
Virtual vs. In-Person Totals:	826	8,841	2,783	13,620
	Total Programs:	3,609	Total Attendance:	22,461
Winter of Reading				
Programs Completion - English Completion - Spanish Completion - Vietnamese Completion - Arabic Total Completion	5 programs 981 46 5 3 1,035	345 total atten	dance	
Summer of Adventure				
Total Registration Maker Challenge SOA The Prequel Craft Kits Summer Meals	10,835 280 entries 3,263 page views See youth programs 3,800 distributed			
Cultural Exchange Self-Directed Programs and Outreach	# Distributed			
Dia Del Nino Guiro Kits Backpacks to Newly Resettled Refugee Families Lunar New Year Treasure Hunt Community Heritage Quilt (AANHPI) Haiku Poetry Lantern Origami Pinwheels for peace Fingerprint Peace Dove Dia Del Nino Activity Books	135 120 430 100 235 220 220 450 6 525			

PROGRAM REPORT

	Virtual Programs	Virtual Attendance	In-Person Programs	In-Person Attendance
Early Learning				
Read Aloud Little University Storytime Early Learning Totals: School-Age (K-5) Services	~200	17,509	6,650 ~90 ~1,700	113,050 1,630 39,168 153,848
Afterschool Is Cool Book Clubs Arts and Crafts STEM School Age Totals:			185 39 114 49 387	2,175 274 2,972 869 6,290
Teen Services Teen Totals: Summer of Adventure				
Registrations Completions		2.262		10,835 3,147
The Journey - page views Maker Challenge entries		3,263 280		
Outdoor Movies Family Excursions Summer Meals		200	4 11 branches	560 285 3,800
Summer of Adventure Totals:		3,543		18,627

Total YouTube Views

83,171

A MOM'S JOURNEY FROM STUDENT TO TEACHER WITH CAREER ONLINE HIGH SCHOOL

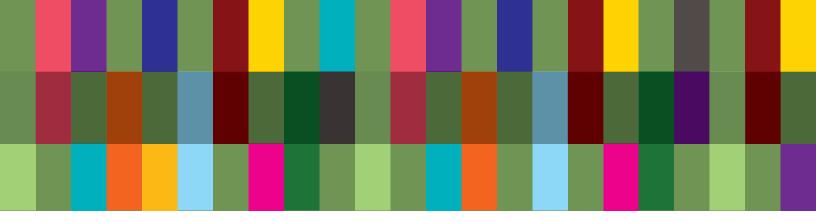


Viviana Casillas (left), Career Online High School Program Administrator and COHS Alumni Mayra Bustamante

Denver Public Library's Career Online High School (COHS) has been a transformative program for community members who want to thrive and create opportunities for themselves. COHS is an online high school diploma and career certification program. This program offers free enrollment to a limited number of qualified adult students and is made possible by the Denver Public Library, Denver Human Services, the Colorado State Library, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Denver Public Library offering a program like COHS is only one half of the equation, since it is really on students to embark on the journey to graduate. During the spring 2023 COHS graduation ceremony, the emcee for the occasion was COHS Alumni, Mayra Bustamante. Mayra graduated from COHS in 2017, which paved the way for her continued education and success. We chatted with Mayra to learn more about her journey in school and beyond.

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How did you find out about COHS and what motivated you to enroll?

I found out that my Colorado State High School diploma was not credentialed and that my graduation wasn't registered with the Department of Education. I was at Green Valley Ranch Branch Library and saw a poster for COHS and wanted to learn more. At first, I was very hesitant about it, but then I reached out and got in contact with Viviana Casillas (Manager of COHS). I shared with Viviana my whole experience, all the money I spent getting the diploma and it being invalid, and also my goals in continuing my education.

Being in school has always been a big time commitment and has its own demands along with all the things going on in life. How has this program worked for you along with having to care for a family and also work full time? I think the flexibility of it being online. You're able to work on it at your own pace, with a few exceptions, and finish a semester every two weeks. Being able to do it on my own time, was the best part of it all.

Upon receiving her COHS diploma and an associate degree with Community College of Denver, Mayra enrolled with Metropolitan State University (MSU) to receive her Bachelor's in Elementary Education. She graduated in December 2022.

What made you pursue elementary education and become a kindergarten teacher?

The fact that being Hispanic, we don't have a lot of Hispanic teachers and representation in schools, and looking at our communities we have a lot of Hispanic students we serve. Growing up myself I would have probably done a lot better in school if there was a teacher that looked

like me and knew my cultural background and experiences. I wanted to be a similar face to other students.

How was it being the emcee and sharing your story at this past COHS graduation?

It was definitely an amazing experience, very emotional especially being the emcee of the program that gave me the opportunity to get my diploma and to see that they're still helping people with stories similar to mine. It was also a great experience seeing this graduation was an all women graduating class, it was a little more empowering. At that moment, me being a single mom, and having kids, as a woman, we always want to better ourselves for our kids to show them that it's never too late to do something with your life and change your education.

Mayra does have plans to be at another COHS graduation, not as a student, or alumni emcee, and not just because of her unwavering support and gratefulness for the program, but as the supportive and caring mother she is.

My son is enrolled in COHS. I saw him struggling in a traditional school setting, which is not for everyone. Once he was of age I contacted Viviana again and had my 18 year old enroll. He's really enjoying it. Being an example, I want to show my kids that there's always an opportunity to grow and it's never too late to make strides and grow in life. What makes it much easier is when you have a mom that's helped blaze the trail and show her kids what is possible and what it takes to find success in life.

To learn more about Career Online High School, visit denverlibrary.org/cohs

NEW CHILDREN'S LIBRARY AT CENTRAL OPENS TO THE PUBLIC



The Central Library reached another milestone in its renovation process when the reimagined Children's Library opened to the public on April 24, 2022 for the first time since renovations began during the pandemic. The occasion was marked with a public ribbon cutting, remarks from Michelle Jeske, City Librarian, along with Councilman Chris Hinds whose district includes the Central Library. The opening coincided with Día Del Niño (Children's Day) and the day was filled with family friendly performances and activities.

The new Children's Library is a larger, relocated space on the first floor of the Central Library featuring over ten thousand square feet with a collection of over fifty thousand physical print and media materials. The reimagined Children's Library was designed to meet the developmental needs for children from birth through fifth grade while providing key resources and services.

"We are thrilled to welcome families to our new Children's Library," said Michelle. "The space is a vibrant, kid friendly, and kid focused destination in the heart of the city that the community can visit and enjoy for generations to come."

Highlights of the space include a dedicated baby play space, an expanded project room, lowered custom bookshelves for easier materials access with interactive elements, technology access including nine computers and four iPads, family friendly restrooms for children and their parents/ caregivers, and more.

We always welcome everyone who visits the library. Building and creating these new spaces helps develop an environment that not only welcomes people but invites everyone to connect, explore, and discover how the library creates a strong community where everyone thrives.



The Central Library renovation is part of the 2017 Elevate Denver Bond. To learn more about all Denver Public Library bond projects, visit denverlibrary.org/bondprojects

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DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY

2022 Volunteerism

308 total volunteers

I.e. general, Read Aloud, Friends Foundation

35,622 total service hours

DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY FINANCIALS

(as of 4/13/23)

51,884,625.62 TOTAL REVENUE

City General Funds \$49,331,135 Grants - State & Federal \$587,105 Donations, Transfers, & Misc. \$1,966,384 \$51,195,747.15 TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$39,980,211
Staff Salaries & Expenditures
\$6,517,740
Library Materials
\$1,122,218
Library Programs
\$1,398,694
Technology
\$2,176,881
Administration & Other

DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY FRIENDS FOUNDATION

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

\$11.276.440

TOTAL ASSETS

\$1,332,574

CASH

\$1,852,234

PLEDGES RECEIVABLE

\$8,091,632

ENDOWMENT

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

\$3,123,090

TOTAL REVENUE

\$2.388.294

CONTRIBUTIONS & SUPPORT

\$159.351

MEMBERSHIP

\$520.867

EVENTS & BOOK SALES

\$54.578

DONATED SERVICES & FACILITIES



BOOK GIVEAWAYS 12.000

\$11.276.440

TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

\$1.325.761

LIABILITIES

\$8,137,446

NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

\$1,813,233

NET ASSETS WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS

\$4,556,607

TOTAL EXPENSES

\$1,666,088

DISTRIBUTIONS TO THE LIBRARY FOR PROGRAMS

\$1.344.098

DISTRIBUTIONS FOR CENTRAL RENOVATIONS

\$764.066

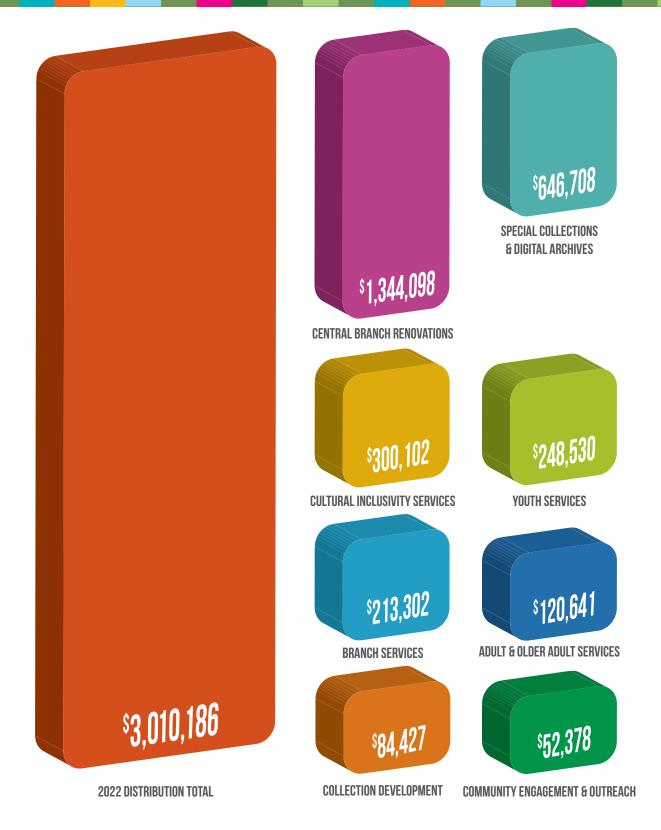
OTHER LIBRARY PROGRAM ASSISTANCE

\$782.355

SUPPORTING SERVICES

TOTAL REVENUE IS EXCLUSIVE OF A \$1,822,000 DECREASE IN INVESTMENT VALUE. ALL FOUNDATION FINANCIAL INFORMATION IS DERIVED FROM THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, WHICH ARE AVAILABLE, ALONG WITH THE 990, AT DPLFRIENDS.ORG.

2022 DISTRIBUTIONS TO DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY



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FROM THE DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY FRIENDS FOUNDATION

Dear Friends,

There is no other way to put it - 2022 was a tremendous year of support for Denver Public Library. The theme of this year's Annual Report is "Thrive," which resonates with the vision of DPL: A strong community where everyone thrives. We thank our members, donors, sponsors, and volunteers for their support. We also thank our advocates and the voters for the passage of the Strong Library, Strong Denver initiative. Together, we helped the community thrive in 2022!

Here are some highlights from the year:

- The Friends Foundation provided \$3.77 million of support to Denver Public Library including \$1.34 million to the Central Library renovation. This \$3.77 million includes \$3.010 in distributions and \$.76 million in supporting programs.
- In addition to funding directly raised for the library and Foundation, the Foundation co-led the Strong Library, Strong Denver initiative, which secured \$32 million in ongoing, dedicated funding for the library.
- The A Story Still to Tell capital campaign for the Central Library renovation was successfully completed. The Foundation directly raised \$5.6 million in philanthropic funding; secured an additional, unplanned commitment from the City for \$10 million; and generated another \$6 million through the Strong Library, Strong Denver initiative for the renewal of the Central Library. The campaign goal was \$12 million, and the total generated was just under \$22 million.
- Two hundred community members joined the Friends Foundation for two celebrations in one day: the dedication of the library's newest location, the Bob Ragland Branch Library; and the first-ever Picnic with Friends event!

FROM THE DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY FRIENDS FOUNDATION

- The Friends Foundation hosted the 25th Booklovers Ball at the Denver Art Museum with five hundred supporters. Over the last six years, the Booklovers Ball has raised approximately \$2 million to support Denver Public Library.
- As renovations continued at the Central Branch Library, the Friends Foundation hosted ten Used Book Pop Up Sales throughout Denver. Used Book Sales overall raised an impressive quarter of a million dollars in 2022.
- Almost three thousand Members of the Friends Foundation provided Denver Public Library with sustainable organizational and financial support.

In 2023, we anticipate many more openings and celebrations - from opening the new Park View Space to implementing the funds from Strong Library, Strong Denver to celebrating the 26th Booklovers Ball. We look forward to spending 2023 with you. Thank you for all you have done in support of Denver Public Library in 2022.

Yours very truly,

Jeff Riley Executive

Amy Brimah Chair, Board of Director Trustees, 2022

Laurie Troge Vice Chair, Board of Trustees, 2022

DENVER PUBLIC LIBRARY FRIENDS FOUNDATION

The Denver Public Library Friends Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization whose mission is to enrich the community by building support and raising money to enhance the library's programs and services. The Friends Foundation seeks private charitable contributions to supplement the library's budget; and it advocates for public funding - to help the library accomplish its mission. The core activities of the Foundation are: fundraising; membership; book and merchandise sales; the Booklovers Ball and community events; promotion and elevation of the library; advocacy; and, managing the endowment.

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CELEBRATING COMMUNITY WITH OUR FRIENDS

The Friends Foundation was excited to welcome the community to a variety of events throughout the year. Here's where we saw you in 2022.





Booklovers Ball

As renovations continued at the Central Library, the Friends Foundation took the Booklovers Ball, one of Denver's most anticipated fundraising events, to the Denver Art Museum on October 8, 2022. With five hundred in attendance, the event raised nearly \$400,000. Over the last six years, the Booklovers Ball has raised approximately \$2 million to support Denver Public Library. Speakers included Denver City Librarian, Michelle Jeske, and Friends Foundation Executive Director, Jeff Riley. The Honorable Wellington E. Webb and the Honorable Wilma J. Webb served as honorary chairs, and Simone D. Ross was emcee. The Booklovers Ball also included two performances by Denver Art Museum Creative-in-Residence Kerrie Joy, a paddleraiser, and an after-party with a DJ, desserts, and cocktails.

Holiday Lighting Party

On December 1, 2022, community members joined us on the third floor of the McNichols Building to view the holiday lights at the Denver City and County Building. With snow globe and ski lift photo booths, as well as delicious food from Footers Catering, supporters and volunteers celebrated the passing of the 2i ballot initiative and Central Library's renovations, and cheered the work ahead. Thanks to Laurie Troge for "flipping the switch" to officially light the City and County Building that evening.



Used Book Pop Up Sales

As renovations continue at the Central Library, where large book sales are normally held, the Friends Foundation team took its bookselling business on the road, holding ten Used Book Pop Up Sales throughout the year.

USED BOOK PROGRAM VOLUNTEER FEATURE



The Used Book Sale Program at the Denver Public Library Friends Foundation is an extensive operation that supports the Foundation's fundraising efforts. Used books from the community are donated to the Friends Foundation, and then sold online via Amazon, in surprise boxes, through the Dream Books Consignment Store, and in person at Used Book Sales. In a typical year, the Used Book Business raises more than \$250,000 for Denver Public Library, and sorts 505,000 books. That's more than half a million books! Of course, the next question is what makes this program possible with only two staff members leading the Used Book program.

"Volunteers," Andrea Hamilton, Manager of Philanthropy, responded. "We have an incredible group of volunteers that help out in the Book Sorting Room; they feel like family!"

Volunteers in the Book Sorting Room, or Book Sorters, help sort donated books for the online Amazon sales, Surprise Boxes, and Used Book Sales. Other volunteers upload the sorted books to the Amazon online format. In 2022, Used Book Program volunteers worked 4,290 hours cumulatively.

What makes these volunteers so motivated to support the Used Book Business? Long-time volunteer, Scott Petersen states, "Libraries have long been a positive, enriching part of my life. I believe in the mission of Denver Public Library and value its commitment to welcoming all people. [When I volunteer] I feel connected to something that has a meaningful impact in our community and to the mission of DPL. I feel like I'm able to give back to an organization that has given a great deal to me. And I love books!"

The Denver Public Library Friends Foundation always needs volunteers to help with the Used Book Business. We asked Scott what he would tell someone thinking about volunteering for the Friends Foundation, and he responded: "Give it a try. It's a great experience, a nice way to be involved in the community, to discover new books, and to learn about the mission and contribute to the work of Denver Public Library." We couldn't agree more!

Thank you to all of our tremendous volunteers who support the Denver Public Library Friends Foundation each year; we are grateful for your continued support!

FRIENDS FEATURE: WES BROWN



Wes Brown, a long-time friend of the Denver Public Library and Friends Foundation, had a long and successful business career. He was a partner for several leading regional investment banking firms based in Denver and continues to serve on corporate boards. Throughout his adult life, he maintained a passion for maps and the history of exploration. His interest began when he used maps as a mountaineer in high school. By college, he began studying and collecting old maps and continues to this day. His active research has led to many publications, frequent public presentations, and serving on the boards of several national and international map organizations including as an advisor to the Map and Geography Division of the Library of Congress.

Wes has served on both the Library Commission and the Friends Foundation Board of Trustees and has donated to

the library since 1989. The relationship began through Wes' use of the map collection for research. The Denver Public Library has a very strong, nationally recognized, research quality map collection specializing in maps of Colorado and the West. This overlaps nicely with Wes' collection. He has given maps on occasion to the library for years, but at the end of his life, plans to give the remainder of his map collection to the library.

DPL's map collection is actively used by students of cartography (the study and practice of making and using maps) and researchers in history, exploration, and genealogy. In 2022, he finalized arrangements and began funding a special endowment through current giving to be topped off with an estate gift. Earnings from the endowment will provide permanent funding for staff, acquisition, and/or conservation of the map collection. This endowment will ensure that DPL's important map collection will continue to grow in significance in the future.

Donor Feature: The Friends Foundation gratefully acknowledges Wes Brown in this annual report because of his long term and high impact partnership with the Library and Foundation. His work is helping the library have a preeminent map collection.

Memorial Gifts

In Memory Of:

A Book Club Member

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