



Planning for the Future – Library Services for the Next Five Years

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1. Please tell us why you do not use the Buffalo & Erie County Public Libraries. (Select all that apply.) *

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I don't feel the need to use libraries. | <input type="checkbox"/> I use a neighboring community space. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am too busy. | <input type="checkbox"/> I buy my own books/magazines/eBooks. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The library is too far from my home. | <input type="checkbox"/> I don't know what the library has to offer me. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I don't have transportation. | <input type="checkbox"/> I owe money to the library. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I don't know where the library is located. | <input type="checkbox"/> I lost my library books. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I don't have a library card. | <input type="checkbox"/> I don't read much. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I use the library at my school/college. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain): _____ | |
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2. Libraries offer programs for children, families & adults. We are always looking for community input as to how we can serve the community better.

From the list below, select all areas of interest. *

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Job search with library resources | <input type="checkbox"/> Health-related programming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community meetings with elected officials | <input type="checkbox"/> Resources for starting a business |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neighborhood Block Club presentations | <input type="checkbox"/> Money management programs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Creative, MakerSpace programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Author visits |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Databases – how to use them | <input type="checkbox"/> Parenting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tutoring spaces | <input type="checkbox"/> Teen reading programs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Study rooms | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer/technology training |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Plant exchange | <input type="checkbox"/> WiFi Hotspots for patrons to borrow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Book clubs | <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign language materials |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Writing clubs | <input type="checkbox"/> eLibraryCard (online services) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax tips | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain): _____ | |
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3. What services would you like to see the Library provide in the next five years? _____

What town/village or city do you live in? *

What is your age range? *

- Under 18
- 18 - 24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65-74
- 75 or older

Would you like more information about receiving a free Buffalo & Erie County Public Library card or an eLibraryCard?

- Yes, if yes, please provide a mailing address below.
- No

My email address is _____

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR INPUT! PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED SURVEY BY MARCH 31, 2016

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