

**Angola Public Library
Long Range Plan
2020-2025**

Mission Statement

We will continue to strive to provide free and equal access to library resources to our local community.

Goal I

Director and staff will work to find the history of the Angola Public Library and plan a commemorative celebration at the correct time.

Action Steps:

- A. Contact local historical society and ascertain what information they have that may pertain to the library,
- B. Work with trustees and local governments to pinpoint an exact date on when the library was started,
- C. Plan an anniversary celebration for the library.

Goal II

Staff and trustees will ensure that the maintenance of the library's facility, collection, and programs meet the needs of the community

Action Steps:

- A. Regularly assess the library grounds, building, furnishings, and configurations,
- B. The library collection and equipment will be continuously assessed to maintain its relevance and condition,
- C. Regularly assess library programming and pursue new and/or up-to-date programs,
- D. Provide staff with technology training, appropriate to their position.

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Goal III

Staff and trustees will make an effort to make the community aware of the library's services and needs.

Action Steps:

- A. Explore new forms of media and methods of promotion to inform the public, i.e. different newspapers, online calendars, social media, mailing flyers
- B. Find new ways of promoting programs, different newspapers or online calendars
- C. Maintain and establish new community partners in an effort to better serve the library's and community's needs

Goal IV

Staff and trustees will work to pursue private and public funding necessary to fulfill the Library's Mission.

Action Steps:

- A. Continue current fundraising events and pursue new methods of fundraising for the benefit of the Library,
- B. Encourage donations of memorials, and other gifts to the library,
- C. Continue to seek grants and other outside funding to aid in the maintenance of the building and in the presentation of programming,
- D. Establish a book, media, and/or item sponsor program.