

Extension of Closure Resolution

On March 7, 2020, the Governor of the State of New York issued Executive Order 202 declaring a state of emergency related to the COVID-19 pandemic and the need for containment. As a result of the underlying state of emergency, on March 16, 2020 the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library System (Board) voted to close the Central and Buffalo Branch Libraries to the public effective March 17, 2020 through March 31, 2020. The contracting libraries including the Marilla Free Library followed suit.

Since March 17, 2020 the Governor has issued additional Executive Orders requiring non-essential staff to work remotely when possible and reducing the presence of non-essential staff in workplaces by 100%.

Furthermore, the Trustees of the Marilla Free Library, having reviewed information distributed by the Governor's Office, the Buffalo & Erie County Public Library Administration and daily briefings from local and federal agencies have decided to extend the closure of the Marilla Free Library to the public until it is deemed safe to reopen effective immediately.

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