

Strategic Plan

FY23-FY25



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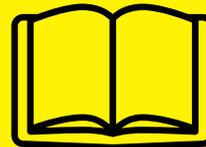
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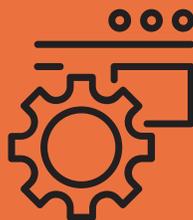
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RESULTS

Success means increased circulation and library usage, a better and more diverse set of patrons, and greater public awareness of library services.



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Success means the library reaches new audiences and collaborates more to serve the community.



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Success means patrons report satisfaction with the library and engage more with facilities and staff.



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Success means patrons grow professionally and personally from access to essential and emerging technology.

GROWING TOGETHER

Next Steps

After the plan is adopted by the Library Board of Trustees, an activity plan is completed and implemented by staff. Implementation is a continual process. The timing of certain activities will be determined by priority and influenced by various factors, such as funding and staffing. Review and adjustment of the activity plan will happen on a regular basis.

Evaluation of the plan is ongoing once the plan implementation is underway. Measurements for each goal vary, and some activities will be best evaluated by things like circulation and cardholder statistics, while others may be evaluated by collecting data through patron surveys at regular intervals. Continued reporting of successes and challenges will ensure that BPLD is transparent about progress and open to patron feedback.

BPLD commits to a comprehensive review and update of its plan at its completion. This plan will move BPLD significantly forward by guiding next steps on plans for enhancing communication, strengthening partnerships, creating a welcoming space, promoting lifelong learning, and utilizing technology. This plan is an investment in the future of BPLD as an essential resource to its community.