



LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
September 21, 2023
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Rice Public Library
AGENDA

1. Library Directors Report
2. Review Mission Statement and Finalize
3. Review Service Priorities
4. Next Steps
 - a. Action Items
 - b. Next Meeting

Materials:

***Both items are on one attached document**

- Mission Statement Draft
- Service Priorities Draft

Rice Public Library

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Mission~ Vision Statement

Rice Public Library provides a welcoming environment that serves as a bridge for equitable access to ideas, experiences, and resources that inspire learning and promote a connected community of imaginative lifelong learners.

Service Priorities

1. Lifelong Learning

Provide materials in multiple formats, and opportunities to engage—individually or in groups—in activities that promote learning and curiosity, including outreach to those who are not interested in a traditional library experience.

2. Foster Community Engagement

Provide program opportunities and services that celebrate diverse community interests and needs, feature voices from within the community, and create meaningful experiences in an environment where everyone can feel welcome.

3. Promote Early Literacy

Provide programs and services to all children before they enter kindergarten, which are designed to ensure that they will enter school ready to learn to read, write, and listen.

4. Technology

Provide access to education and resources to help people adapt to an ever-changing technological landscape.