



The mission of Eva K. Bowlby Public Library is to provide through the use of traditional & emerging technologies, materials and services for community residents of all ages in Literacy, Information, Fun & Enrichment.

One **EXCITING** project that we are currently working on includes a proposed two story addition to the library. The lower level will be a multi-media community room with a designated Maker Space for STREAM [Science, Technology, Robotics, Engineering, Art, Math] and be used for programming, addressing the **NEED** for ample space to hold story classes, programs, and offer community meeting space. The upper level will increase the adult services area and include archival space and a commons area with powered lounge seating and collaborative table space.

In order to make this addition a reality, we are applying for a “Keystone Grant for Public Library Facilities” and seeking donations to fulfill the matching fund requirement. The goal is to raise \$175,000 over the next year. The library staff and Board of Trustees want you to know Bowlby Library needs your financial support. Whatever your gift, it will strengthen the mission: *together* we can meet the goal.

We also need to demonstrate the support of our valued patrons in pursuing this endeavor. Please fill out the bottom of the page and write a sentence or two sharing why you support the library and/or why an addition would be beneficial to continuing our mission. This petition will accompany the grant request.

THANK YOU for your support and your gift: it will certainly make an impact on our fundraising efforts to make the new addition a reality.

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	I SUPPORT THE LIBRARY ADDITION BECAUSE