Mission Statement

To inform, enrich and inspire a strong, engaged community

Library Values

Access: Provide free and equitable access to all.
Confidentiality And Privacy: Respect our patrons’ privacy and strive to protect personal information obtained through use of library resources.
Democracy: Provide spaces for public dialogue, resources to develop information literacy skills, and access to government information so that the public is informed and engaged in the democratic process.
Intellectual Freedom: Support the rights of all people to read, seek information, and speak freely as guaranteed by the First Amendment.
Diversity And Inclusion: Reflect diversity in our collections, programs, services, and staff and actively work to bring multiple perspectives and differing voices into the library.
Education And Learning: Promote a culture of learning and literacy to foster intellectual growth and personal development.
Collaboration: Work to serve our community through thoughtful collaboration with others.
Social Responsibility: Make a difference in solving the problems of society through access to information, resources and services.
Service And Professionalism: Committed to providing transformative library experiences by investing in the excellence of the organization and the people who work here.

Dream Bigger

Build a New Branch

By 2021, the Loveland Public Library will have a second location funded, located, designed and planned with an anticipated opening date before 2023.

To accomplish this goal, the Library will work in partnership with other City agencies to engage the community in an evaluation of potential projects, funding possibilities and community support for a future ballot measure.

Your City, Your Future:
Community Improvement Program

Library Feasibility Study

Outreach/Community Engagement Plan
**Expand Programming**
By 2021, the Loveland Public Library will offer an expanded range of programs that will empower community members to meet their life goals.

- Increase programming in the iLearn space in partnership with other Library Departments and outside organizations to meet customer needs for workforce training and technology skills.
- Adults connect with the resources they need to support their life goals through online resources, up-to-date print collections and professional assistance.
- Teen and children’s programs will build on and support developmental milestones to provide a strong foundation for future success. (Literacy, volunteering, parent support, summer reading.)

**Activate Library Spaces**
By 2021, the Library will be a destination for visitors to come and feed their curiosity and explore their world in new ways.

- Library visitors experience fun, self-guided activities outside of formal programming. (Passive programs, pop-up programs, interactive art exhibits.)
- Collections and interior spaces are designed to enhance the customer experience. (Shelving, merchandising, theme bins, cataloging, signage, service desks, balance active and quiet spaces.)
- Robust opportunities for maker activities are available for all ages throughout the library. (Low and high-tech, hands-on experiences: crafting, robotics, 3D printing, cooking.)

**Expand Library Users**
By 2021, more Loveland residents will be aware of library programs and services and connect with each other through shared experiences.

- Use community feedback and data to inform services.
- Target communications to populations currently not using the library.
- Create a collection development plan that aligns with current and anticipated community use.
- Target outreach efforts to underrepresented user groups.