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\$1 million
fundraising goal

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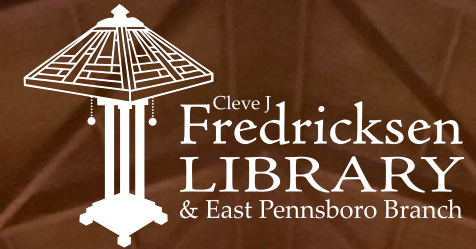
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Turning
the Page to a
Brighter Tomorrow

Investing in a Strong, Sustainable Library for Our Community

Our 25-year-old library is a vital community hub. Like any well-loved space, it needs care to remain safe, comfortable, and welcoming. Your support ensures we can complete these critical projects and protect our library for decades to come.

Critical Building Infrastructure

These upgrades ensure our facility stays sound and fully functional, supporting the services our community depends on. We were awarded a \$305,000 grant that requires matching funds. Your support is essential to fully secure those funds. The projects will include:

- Boiler replacement to keep the library warm and efficient
- New roof to keep our building and patrons dry and protected
- Updated thermostats to keep a steady, comfortable environment

Enhancements for a Welcome and Accessible Space

To continue offering an inviting, modern library experience, we will refresh and improve well-worn, original features of our 25-year-old building and will include:

- Replacement of original flooring
- Interior painting for brighter, fresher spaces
- Updated furniture to replace pieces purchased when the building opened
- A portable, soundproof study room for quiet meetings and small-group work
- A reimagined children's play and learning area
- Modernized circulation and reference desks to better support patrons and staff

Safety Improvements

These projects protect the well-being of all of our library users:

- Replacement of failing emergency light ballasts
- Sidewalk repairs to ensure safe access year-round

Preparing for Tomorrow's Technology

To meet the evolving needs of our community, we are investing in tools and services that expand access to continue to serve our patrons in 2025 and beyond:

- 24-hour hold pickup, allowing patrons to retrieve materials even when the library is closed
- New and emerging library technologies to enhance learning, research, and connection with the community, enabling all of our community members access to the materials and information when and where they need it

Goals

Together, we're turning the page to a brighter future for our library and our community. Thank you for making the next chapter possible.

Growing with Our Community

Over the past 25 years, Fredricksen Library has seen children grow up here. We've helped job seekers find new paths. We've offered a warm, safe space when someone had nowhere else to go. The stories are countless, and they all start within the library walls. Now is the time to invest in the infrastructure that keep it running, time to create spaces that feel welcoming and accessible to everyone, and time to ensure our library is safe, modern and prepared for the technology of the future.

