

About Us

The Marlborough Public Library Foundation was established in 2002 to support library services and programs and to raise funds for capital improvements and growth of the Marlborough Public Library.

The Marlborough Public Library Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization registered with the IRS and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. All gifts are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

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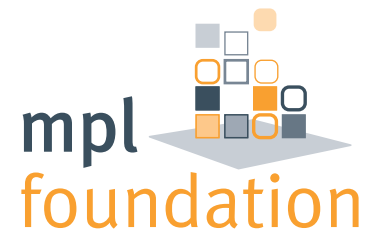
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Building the
Dream...
**A New
Marlborough
Public Library**



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Background

For over 100 years the Marlborough Public Library has been a destination for the citizens of Marlborough: a resource for students and the curious; an escape from daily life for people who love a good book; a personal assistant for people who need tech help; a hub of community activities in the arts and education.

This community treasure is no longer adequate to meet the demands of our growing community and today's rapidly expanding technologies.

The Marlborough Public Library conducted a survey soliciting the public's thoughts and desires for our library.

Over 1,000 individuals responded, affirming that the library needs to be expanded and updated so it can serve them in more and better ways.



Goals of the Dream

- ◆ Improved technology infrastructure and more public computers
- ◆ More space and added programming for children and teens
- ◆ Classrooms for learning technology, English language and other topics
- ◆ Small group rooms for meetings and tutoring sessions
- ◆ Meeting spaces for community interaction and library programs, including concerts and gallery space for local artists
- ◆ Quiet areas for private study and reading
- ◆ Expanded parking
- ◆ Additional restrooms; new elevator; improved climate control
- ◆ Full ADA compliance, handicapped and special needs accessibility throughout

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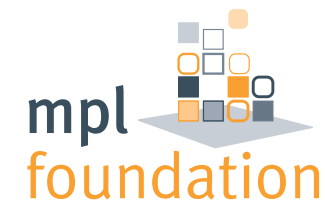
- ◆ The City of Marlborough has approved a \$23,780,902 bond for the project which will be offset by a \$10,186,626 grant from the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.
- ◆ The Marlborough Public Library Foundation has set a community goal of \$2,000,000 that will fund items such as furniture, equipment, and landscaping.

Community Support

Gifts in support of the campaign may be given in several ways:

- ◆ Cash or checks
- ◆ Credit cards — Individuals can give once or establish a monthly or quarterly gift
- ◆ Funds can be regularly withdrawn from a savings or checking account
- ◆ Stock donations
- ◆ Distributions from brokerage accounts for both qualified and non-qualified funds

Contact Dan Verrico, Campaign Co-Chair, at drverrico@gmail.com or 508-726-3415 with questions or to discuss these options.



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