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Terrace Heights Library Renovations & Grand Re-opening Celebration

Yakima, WA – After a month of interior renovations, Yakima Valley Libraries (YVL) will celebrate the grand re-opening of their Terrace Heights Library on Saturday, December 2, 2023. A ribbon cutting ceremony with Greater Yakima Chamber of Commerce will take place at 10:00am with an open house to follow between 10:30am – 3:00pm.

The Terrace Heights Library is located within a historic school building owned by the Terrace Heights Improvement Association. The new updates include carpet, paint, solar shades, Wi-Fi, and shelving, which were funded by Yakima Valley Libraries; the improvements also include a HVAC mini-split system provided by the Terrace Heights Improvement Association.

Community feedback from YVL's 2023 Community Needs Assessment survey informed the design. Members of our Valley revealed they want safe and welcoming spaces to connect with others. The new Terrace Heights Library space will make it easier for customers to find materials, connect with others, and foster a welcoming environment for all.

"We are excited to be able to act on the community feedback we received, and this is just the beginning. We will continue to use this feedback and work with our community stakeholders to improve other library locations in the coming years as part of our new Strategic Plan," said Candelaria Mendoza, Executive Director.

The community is invited to stop by Terrace Heights Library on Saturday, December 2 to see the updates, meet the Library's new supervisor, enjoy light refreshments, and interact in family-friendly activities.

To view our 2024-2028 Strategic Plan, [visit this link](#).

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