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Stevenson Community Library Closing Building Starting July 10 for Remodel

50-year-old library building getting numerous improvements; library services will be available at three area locations during the closure

VANCOUVER, Wash. – The Stevenson Community Library building is turning 50 this fall, but residents will be the ones benefitting from the golden anniversary with more internet computers, a refreshed collection of materials, new seating areas, a new deck and other upgrades to the venerable library. As a result, the library will be closed for a few months for the remodel, beginning July 10. Library services will continue, however, at three nearby locations during the closure:

- **The Courthouse Annex, 170 NW Vancouver Ave, Stevenson (entrance at the south side of the building, off the alley):** Patrons can pick up holds, return materials, check out Lucky Day books, read newspapers and magazines, and use Wi-Fi at the Courthouse, immediately next door to the library building. The Courthouse Annex library connection will be open Monday-Saturday, from 9 am to 5 pm, starting July 12.
- **The Skamania/Klickitat Bookmobile, in the library's west parking lot:** When it's not out on one of its normal summer runs, the FVRL bookmobile will sit in the library's west parking lot (adjacent to the Courthouse Annex) with a small collection of books to check out.
- **North Bonneville Community Library, 214 CBD Mall inside City Hall, North Bonneville:** The North Bonneville Community Library will extend its hours during the Stevenson library remodel to add Friday service in addition to its usual Tuesday-Thursday hours for patrons to browse the collection, pick up holds, and return materials. The North Bonneville Community Library will be open 1-5 pm Tuesday-Thursday and 9 am to noon Fridays.

In addition to the three locations for book pickups, library programs are being held this summer at alternate locations in Stevenson and at North Bonneville Community Library. Patrons can see a full list of summer programs and

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their locations as well as updates on the remodel process at <http://www.fvrl.org/stevenson-remodel>.

The Stevenson Community Library remodel was designed by FFA Architecture + Interiors; the general contractor for the project will be A.C. Schommer & Sons. The project is being funded by FVRL.

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About Fort Vancouver Regional Library District

Established in 1950, Fort Vancouver Regional Library District (FVRL) provides a vast range of information and cultural services to more than 464,000 Southwest and South Central Washington citizens in Clark, Skamania and Klickitat Counties, and the city of Woodland and Yale Valley Library District in Cowlitz County. FVRL provides a collection of more than 750,000 items, online library services at www.fvrl.org, two bookmobiles, telephone information services, 24/7 online help, outreach programs, and 15 public library locations: Community Libraries in Battle Ground, Cascade Park, Goldendale, La Center, North Bonneville, Ridgefield, Stevenson, Three Creeks, Vancouver, Washougal, White Salmon Valley and Woodland; The Mall Library Connection at Vancouver Mall; and Library Express facilities at Yacolt and Yale.

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