

# Loon Lake Library

Built in 1974, the current Loon Lake Library is an essential community resource. In 2019, the library was visited over 4,000 times, circulated almost 25,000 items, and provided over 62 programs for people of all ages, including early literacy activities, local author talks, science and technology learning opportunities and more.

Although well-used by the community, the Loon Lake Library facility has many issues, including limited spatial capacity, aging facility in need of substantial repairs, and lack of ADA accessibility. A 2019 assessment by a local architect determined that building a larger new library in a new location would be the best way to meet the needs of the greater Loon Lake community.

To fund the new Loon Lake library, the library district sought and received a grant from the state, but the grant must be matched by local fundraising.



**"The Friends of Loon Lake Library are excited to play an integral role in the fundraising campaign for the new library! This will be the first library built in our county with modern library needs in mind."**

**- Holly Shamberger,  
Friends of Loon Lake Library**



The Friends of the Loon Lake Library have made a major commitment to help meet this fundraising goal, and they invite other community members to add their support for this vital community resource.

## What are the Estimated Costs?

• Site Acquisition	\$120,000
• Architecture, Engineering, Permits & Insurance	\$60,000
• Environmental & Cultural Consultation	\$10,000
• Public Engagement	\$1,000
• Construction	\$785,350
• Construction Management	\$40,000
• Contingency	\$60,000
• Sales Tax	\$67,000
• Lobby Access, Furniture, Outdoor Lighting, Shelving	\$63,133

**Subtotal \$1,206,483**

## HOW CAN I GET INVOLVED?

Your support will create an enduring legacy for our community and enrich the lives of our community for generations to come.

- Make a tax-deductible gift to the library - [www.loscfoundation.org](http://www.loscfoundation.org)
- Include the library in your estate plans
- Leave a legacy and make a memorial gift in honor of a loved one
- Ask your family, friends and employer to support this fundraising effort
- Get involved in your library



Scan to give a gift directly to the LOSC Foundation website!

**CONTACT US TO MAKE A DONATION OR FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

# The Fundraising Campaign to Improve Library Facilities

It is an exciting time for our libraries! Based on demonstrated need, four of our libraries received grants totaling \$1,021,333 through the State of Washington's Library Capital Improvement Program. These grants, which must be matched by local fundraising, will benefit Chewelah, Colville, Loon Lake, and Northport. We are building upon this opportunity to expand services and make improvements to all libraries in Stevens County.

Our total budget for these improvements (including the \$1.02 million in grants already received) is \$2,262,971. Funding will come from library savings, in-kind donations (e.g. labor), and your generous donations.

Volunteers from each library, local Friends groups, the Colville Public Library Improvement Club, and the Library of Stevens County Foundation are taking the lead on raising the funds to support these improvements.



**Please donate to keep our library strong. Your investment in the Libraries of Stevens County at this critical time will benefit our community for decades!**

	Project Budget	Grants	Fundraising Goals	Raised as of 05/22
Loon Lake Library	\$1,206,483	\$648,875	\$557,608	\$95,000
Colville Public Library	\$574,618	\$264,000	\$310,618	\$180,000
Chewelah Public Library	\$195,000	\$87,000	\$108,000	\$2,000
Northport Library	\$107,775	\$46,500	\$61,275	\$0
Lakeside Library	\$32,010		\$32,010	\$0
Hunters Public Library	\$32,010		\$32,010	\$0
Kettle Falls Public Library	\$20,075		\$20,075	\$0
Rural Locations (Novel Branches)	\$95,000		\$95,000	\$0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,262,971</b>	<b>\$1,021,333</b>	<b>\$1,241,638</b>	<b>\$277,000</b>

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