



LIBRARY NEWS



Update on New Construction

Hello, patrons!

It's been a bit since we announced that we are going to build a new facility in Rock Port, so I decided to create a newsletter to update the public on this exciting project! There are many pages in the book of construction, pun-intended, and I want to make sure the public understands our journey, cover to cover!

Please bookmark this page and check back for updates or sign up to receive these newsletters automatically via email. As always, I am happy to answer any questions and welcome feedback from our community.

Sincerely,
Jennifer Roup, Library Director

TIME LINE OF NEW PROJECT

- July, 2024: Atchison County Library purchased property to the south of the library with plans to use the land to build a new library.
- ACL partners with Creal, Clark & Siefert Architectural Firm from St. Joseph, Mo.
- Jan. 22- ACL receives the CBDG grant along with other Rock Port businesses with Restore Rock Port, allowing funds to be used for the demolition costs.
- February, 2025- The Atchison County Library Board Finalizes plans for a 6,000 sq. ft. library and community center.
- The Library receives a CBDG grant which will help fund a portion of the demolition project.
- The library announces a later completion date, most likely middle of 2026.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Book Sale: April 10-12, potentially more dates if supplies last
- Public Meeting: April 22, One meeting at 12:00 at Tarkio Branch, Second meeting at A.C. Memorial Building at 5:00
- June 23-26: Summer Reading at Tarkio Branch
- August 9: Books & Breezes Kite Festival



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