

The Racine Public Library Foundation is holding its annual appeal, asking you to support the library's current and future well-being with your donation. The public library is a unique place where anyone with a library card has free and unfettered access to almost limitless knowledge. The Foundation is committed—through people like you—to helping keep the library vital and resilient for all Racine residents.

Libraries continue to be the best source of reliable information, a place for research, a window to the world's greatest ideas, and a treasure house of entertainment and enlightenment. In addition, the modern public library provides free Internet access to all, including those who otherwise could not afford it. Technology is expensive and evolving, but your donation will help keep the library up to date in a fast-moving world.

Your contribution also will ensure that our library can maintain and expand its services, programs, and collections. With your help, the Foundation is building an endowment to meet our library's needs now and into the future. In addition, part of every annual appeal supports the programs, events, and outreach of our wonderful Friends of the Library, greatly enriching our community.

Donate today by sending a check to the Racine Public Library Foundation, 75 7th Street, Racine, WI 53404. Please include how you would like your name to appear on our list of donors. You also may donate online at [www.RPLFD.org](http://www.RPLFD.org) by using PayPal or a credit card. If donating online, please let us know how you would like to be acknowledged on our donors' list at [Jessica.macphail@racinelibrary.info](mailto:Jessica.macphail@racinelibrary.info). If you have questions or would like to find out how to include the library in your estate plan, please call 262-636-9170.

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Sincerely,

Jessica MacPhail, Secretary