



Dane County Library Service	December Director's Report
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<u>DCLS/MPL Readmobile Extension Project.</u> The vehicle is in the build process; Amy Winkelman and I will visit LDV on December 20 to see the vehicle. Delivery is expected mid-January.

Rodney Lambright has completed the artwork and it has been submitted to LDV. They will send color swatches for us and Rodney to check to make sure the color palette is correct.

Postings are open for two LTE Clerk-General positions and an LTE Library Assistant for the new service. We will hold the postings open until the positions are filled.

Middleton did not receive funding for service in their area for 2019, so we are looking at service to Sun Prairie and Fitchburg in 2019.

Bookmobile outreach. We are planning for service to Eagle Heights in 2019, as well as UW Health at 20 S. Park St. Each entity will reimburse the Library Service for the outreach.

Beyond the Page Ripple Project. I've met with Tom Linfield at Madison Community Center to discuss opportunities for grant funding for the Ripple Project. He shared some great ideas and a definite interest in seeing an application for the project.

I spoke with August Ball of Cream City Conservation, a Milwaukee-based consulting group that does diversity training, about our project. August led a supervisor/manager training session for Dane County that was consistent with the kind of training we are looking at for library staff.

<u>Friends.</u> Friends can become members online through SCLS. We have an account set up with the SCLS Foundation and Friends Board members have tested it successfully. We are testing the reporting process from SCLS when a membership is submitted. We will meet again in January.

<u>Bookmobile route changes</u>. The new Friday stops seems to be taking hold; we continue to monitor all our stops for maximum usage. Several communities were willing to include flyers about our stops in their tax bills; others have flyers in their village or town halls to take away.