



February 2020 Director's Report

We had a slow start to our Bluff View service due to winter storms. Ricardo will accompany the Saturday drivers all through February.



Dream Bus.

February 4th begins Tuesday and Thursday visits to Capital High. I've been reaching out to contacts at all stops to establish the summer schedule.

The Dream Bus driver mirror was clipped on 1/30 and needs to be remounted. Conveniently, we are located next door to a body repair shop!

I met with Eagle Heights and Madison Public Library staff to discuss service to Eagle Heights. I'll be sending a proposal to them in February for service that would begin in summer.

I continue to work with the Zoo on possible plans for the Dream Bus/Bookmobile to have a presence at their special events and possible Saturdays in summer.

Friends report.

Friends meet on February 3. We will discuss upcoming mobile sales, budget for summer programming and a summer Friends event.

Beyond the Page Ripple Project.

Ripple committee continues its planning with an expanded group that includes representatives from Sun Prairie's and Dane County's Offices for Equity and Inclusion, and Madison Public Library's Community Engagement Coordinator. The website is <https://www.beyondthepage.info/ripple-project-2021>, where presenters/performers are encouraged to submit proposals for programs that focus on both racial equity and the humanities.

In addition, planning for staff training continues to take shape. We are working on the formation of equity teams and best practices for establishing commitment to the project.

DCLS Facility.

Emergency Management will be vacating their space in the garage within the next year due to their move to the west-side Fitchburg Fire Department. I am in conversation with the County about taking another bay, if possible, and having some input about our future neighbors.