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Pierce County Library Board to get an update on the Sumner Library and conduct other business

PIERCE COUNTY, Washington – At the Pierce County Library System’s [Board of Trustees’ Wednesday, April 9, 3:30 p.m.](#), regular meeting, the Board will hear an update on the new Sumner Pierce County Library, learn about progress on the strategic plan, consider updates to policies, and address additional business.

The meeting will be held in person at the Pierce County Library Administrative Center at 3005 112th St. E., Tacoma. Optional virtual attendance is available via mypcls.org/about-us/board-of-trustees/.

Library administrators will update the board on progress to build a new library in Sumner. Administrators have been working with architects and hearing from community members on designs for the new building as well as the layout for the overall site for the new library.

Also, at the meeting, administrators will give the Board an update on implementing the Library’s new strategic plan. Administrators will share highlights of putting the plan into action during the first quarter of 2025.

The Board will discuss updates to policies, including the Privacy and Confidentiality and Selection of Library Materials policies.

About Pierce County Library System

The nationally acclaimed [Pierce County Library System](#) serves 680,000 people throughout Pierce County with 19 libraries and online services. The system is the fourth largest in the state and property taxes are the main funding source. People may choose from more than one million books, e-books, audiobooks, movies and other materials. Pierce County Library is committed to directing services in three primary areas: learning, enjoyment and community connection. Its services and programs spark success for Pierce County residents. People make approximately one million visits to Pierce County Libraries each year. The Library provides services and programs directly to people in adult care facilities, people who are homebound, and to children in childcare centers and schools. [Pierce County Libraries are located](#) at Anderson Island, Bonney Lake, Buckley, DuPont, Eatonville, Fife, Gig Harbor, Graham, Key Center, Lakewood, Milton/Edgewood, Orting, Parkland/Spanaway, South Hill, Steilacoom, Summit, Sumner, Tillicum and University Place. Pierce County Library is an independent municipal corporation and operates as a junior taxing district.

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