

## Annual Library Service Plan – FY2018-19

### Adams Public Library

**Library Vision for the Future:** It is the Adams Public Library's vision to provide appropriate resources in support of the information and recreational needs of area residents, and thereby be a center for community enrichment and lifelong learning.

**Goal:** Early Childhood Program: Focused on early childhood literacy that gets children ready to learn

Needs addressing:

Priority(ies):

Year 1 activities-establish a monthly evening program for parents and children 0-6 years old to attend story and craft time in the library.

Year 2 activities-establish a program twice a month for parents and children 0-6 years old to attend story and craft time.

Year 3 and beyond activities-Having established a regular program to promote library use and regular reading, we will offer more activities focused on parental teaching of the benefits of early literacy.

**Goal:** Adult Programs: Focused on continuing education programs, enhancement of economic viability, and lifelong learning. Includes outreach to seniors and the homebound.

Needs addressing:

Priority(ies):

Year 1 activities-We will have 4 programs per year that focus on adult education. Example:arts, employment search and returning to college as an adult.

Year 2 activities-We will build up our "Deliver Me a Book" program by promoting the service at the local senior center, church and community events.

Year 3 and beyond activities-We will establish a reading group for adults to encourage reading and lifelong library use.

**Goal:** Effective Library Board: Focused on committed and effective Board, actively engaged in the governance and planning of the library.

Needs addressing:

Priority(ies):

Year 1 activities-Each library board member will attend 1 City council meeting per year to report on activities and engage in the governance of the city library.

Year 2 activities-Library board members will receive 2 trainings from an outside resource over the course of the year.

Year 3 and beyond activities-Board members will attend one outside training about governance or planning during the course of the year.