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### WINTHROP PUBLIC LIBRARY TO TEMPORARILY CLOSE IN ADVANCE OF MOVE

NCW Libraries announced today that the current Winthrop Public Library will be closed for services beginning on Saturday, May 21, 2022 while preparations are made to move to the new location. Library services are anticipated to resume in the new location beginning Saturday, June 11, 2022. The opening date is dependent on the construction schedule and updates will be provided as needed.

NCW Libraries is working closely with Friends of the Winthrop Library (FOWL) to coordinate the reopening of library services in the new location. The books, materials, and technology are ready and waiting to be installed as soon as construction on the new building wraps up. FOWL are organizing a Grand Opening celebration featuring fun activities for all ages.

During the closure, Winthrop Library users can access holds at the Twisp Library. Any materials on hold that have not been picked up from Winthrop by the closure date will be transferred to the Twisp Library. After the closure, Winthrop Library users can place new holds to either the Twisp Library or the Mail Order Library. During this time, the Winthrop Library book drop will also be closed. Library materials can be returned to the Twisp Library at any time.

Friends of the Winthrop Library are leading the effort to fund and build the new library in partnership with the State of Washington taxpayers, the Town of Winthrop, and NCW Libraries. Over 1,000 supporters have made gifts to the new library.

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