# WHITE HOUSE LIBRARY 2024-2025 BUDGET PROPOSAL

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#### LIBRARY WISSION

- Be an essential community hub that provides resources, tools, and information.
- Budgeting to meet that mission



#### BUDGET FOCUS BY YEAR

#### 2023 Focus

- Building maintenance
- Staff education
- Improvement to employee areas
  - New storage shelving
  - New staff desk

#### 2024 Focus

- Staffing
- Subscriptions
- Supplies
- Patron areas



## WHAT LINES ARE OVER BUDGET

- Membership and dues (98%)
- Advertising and public relations (50%)
- Water (71%)
- •Sewer (94%)
- Repair & Maintenance of facilities (55%)
- Operating Supplies (44%)



## PROPOSED INCREASE AMOUNTS

- Salary Line\*\*\*
  - Circulation clerk \$30,000 to \$34,000 salary
  - Health insurance
- Advertising and public relations
  - Increase \$870 to \$1,200
- Membership and Subscriptions
  - Increase from \$18,219 to \$18,766
- Inventory Supplies
  - Increase from \$12,025 to \$12,626
- Total increase
  - \$35,358 this does not include employee raises and health care cost.



## REASON FOR INCREASE

- Salary
  - Busier, more checkouts, more programs being offered.
- Advertising and public relations
  - More committee meetings
- Memberships and subscriptions
  - They increase every year by 3 to 5%.
- Inventory Supplies
  - More programs



# CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

- 2024-2025 requests
  - New Furniture
    - Staff Chairs
    - Teen space
    - Children's space
  - Story time room improvement
    - Remove stage
    - Fix areas after removal

- Estimated cost
  - Furniture: \$15,000
  - Story time room improvements:\$10,000



## BUDGET REQUESTS OVERVIEW

2024-2025	\$60,358
2023-2024	\$46,241** (2 CIP projects)
2022-2023	\$41,465 (storage shelves and kiosk)
2021-2022	\$13,195* (friends did garden space)
2020-2021	\$45,155 (outdoor patio space)
2019-2020	\$22,079 (no CIP)
2018-2019	\$22,079 (no CIP)
2017-2018	\$15,095* (still had museum in my budget, CIP was for the museum.
2016-2017	\$23,398 (no CIP)



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