

## Our goals for the project include:

- A building that reflects the rich architectural heritage of Lynnfield
- An educational center that provides space and resources for collaborative learning and cultural events
- A safe and accessible public facility that supports information, connections, and community
- Services that support literacy for all ages through a diverse collection and innovative programming
- A dynamic and flexible space that adapts to evolving technologies
- The inclusion of dynamic spaces for connecting with friends, neighbors, and/or classmates

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### Board of Library Trustees

*Five trustees are each elected for a three-year term.*

Robert D. Calamari, Jr., Chair ~ 2017  
Faith Honer-Coakley, Vice-Chair ~ 2019  
Russell Boekenkroeger ~ 2018  
Richard Mazzola ~ 2019  
Janine Saldanha ~ 2017

Library Director, Holly Mercer

## Current conditions



**Basement Flooding** - In 2014 the basement was closed due to flooding and subsequent mold testing. The fiction/mystery collections were shuttered for over a month and the Friends lost many items for their booksale.



**Roof Leaks** - The Library regularly experiences leaking inside caused by ice dams, melting snow, and rain. Other areas effected include the Children's Room, staff areas, the stairs under the mezzanine and circulation desk areas.



**Dangerous Crossing** - With limited parking behind the Library and on the street, patrons must park at Town Hall and cross a dangerous intersection.

## Our Library, Our Future!



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## Lynnfield Library Building Project



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## INFORMATION, CONNECTIONS, COMMUNITY

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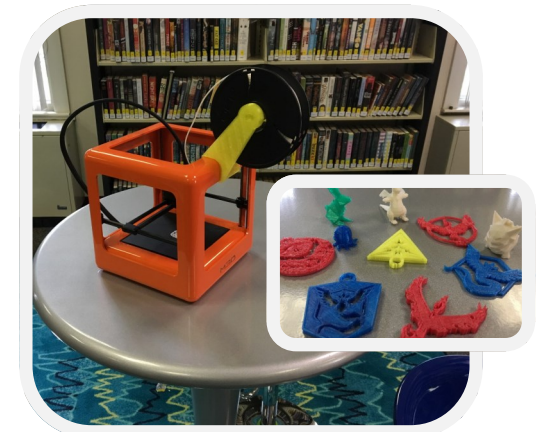
## Towards a 21st Century Library



**Digital Displays - Reading Room & Children's Room** : Two displays have been added to showcase current events happenings in and around the Library



**New Collections** : Borrow one of our many video games to play on your home gaming system or a Chromebook to use anywhere in the Library.



**New Equipment & Programs** : Teens who attend our new TeenTech programs can have their creations brought to life on our mini 3D printer.



View at proposed library location

## Building Project Timeline

### 2016

April : TM; Article 20 approved; permits BOT to apply for MBLC Public Library Construction Grant (40-60% of eligible costs)

Oct 17: Town Meeting - Article 5; vote on transfer of a portion of the land at Reedy Meadow for the library building.

**We are Here**



### 2017

Jan : BOT submits application for MBLC Construction Grant

July : Provisional grant approvals / waiting list established by MBLC - THIS IS EARLIEST APPROVAL POSSIBLE

### 2018

Jan : LOCAL FUNDING APPROVALS DEADLINE - based on earliest possible approval

### 2018 onward

Design development, construction document, and construction phases

**BOT** - Board of Library Trustees

**MBLC** - Ma. Board of Library Commissioners

**TM** - Town Meeting

**Design Technique, Inc. - OPM**

(Owners Project Manager)

**William Rawn Associates - Architect**

## Town Meeting : October 17, 2016

### Warrant, Article #5

“To see if the Town will vote, pursuant to G.L. c. 40, § 15A and all other applicable legal authority, to transfer from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Library Trustees the care, custody, management and control of the land on Summer Street shown on that certain plan of land entitled “Plan of Land 175 Summer Street Lynnfield, MA” and dated July 8, 2016, consisting of 149,146 square feet, more or less, according to such plan, the Board of Selectmen having determined that such land is no longer needed for golf course purposes, provided that the Board of Library Trustees shall hold and use such land for the purpose of constructing and operating a new library building, or to take any other action in connection therewith.”

**Documents and Information about the Building Project are available at:**

[www.lynnfieldlibrary.org/library-building-project](http://www.lynnfieldlibrary.org/library-building-project)

