



# **Eugene Public Library of the Future**

City Council Work Session

November 24, 2014





**Eugene Public Library**

of the Future

- **The Vision**
- **The Current Status**
- **The Challenges**





# RISING TO THE CHALLENGE

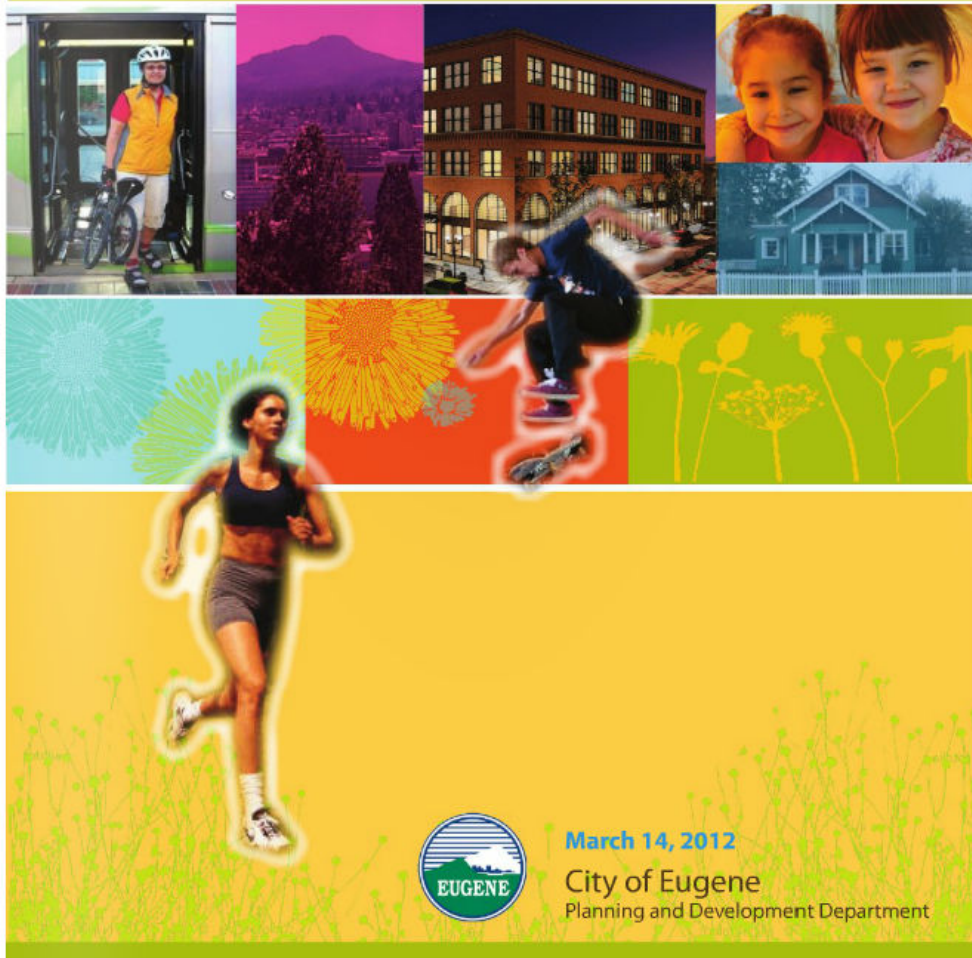
*Re-Envisioning Public Libraries*



  
THE ASPEN INSTITUTE  
*Communications and Society Program*

# Envision Eugene

A Community Vision for 2032



March 14, 2012  
City of Eugene  
Planning and Development Department

**The Library  
of the Future  
aligns with our  
Desires for  
Eugene's Future**





**100% of  
Eugene's  
Children  
Ready to Learn  
As they enter  
Kindergarten**

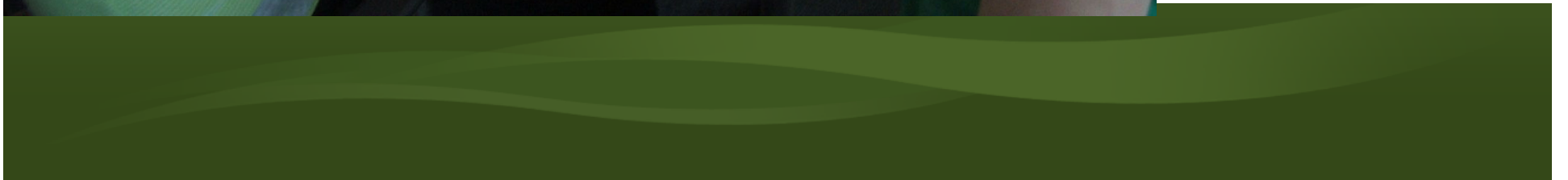
**All Eugene kids  
Reading on  
Grade level  
By Third Grade**







**Enrichment  
Activities  
For all  
Eugene Teens**







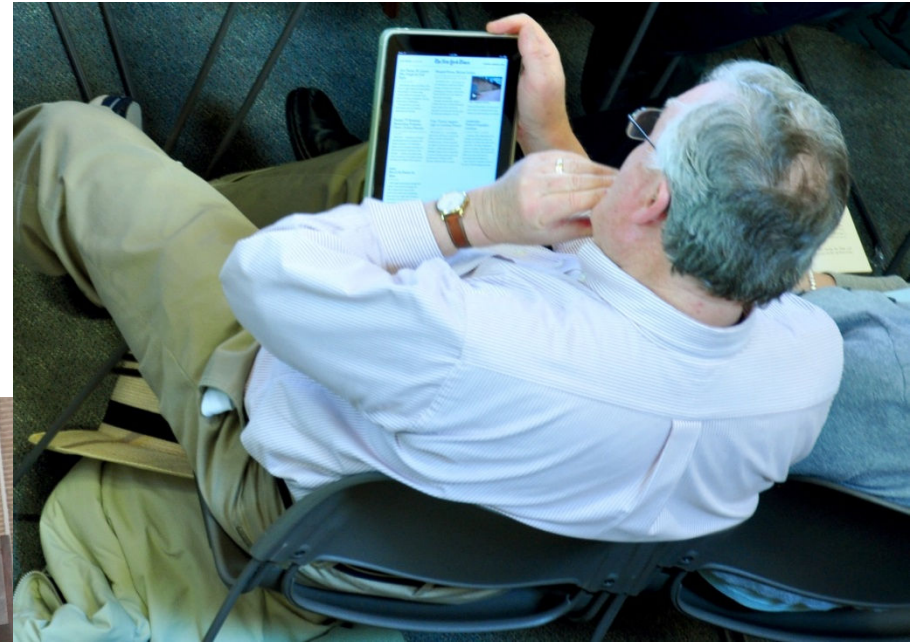
**Opportunity  
For Life Long  
learning**

# Support for Small Business, Job Seekers, E-government





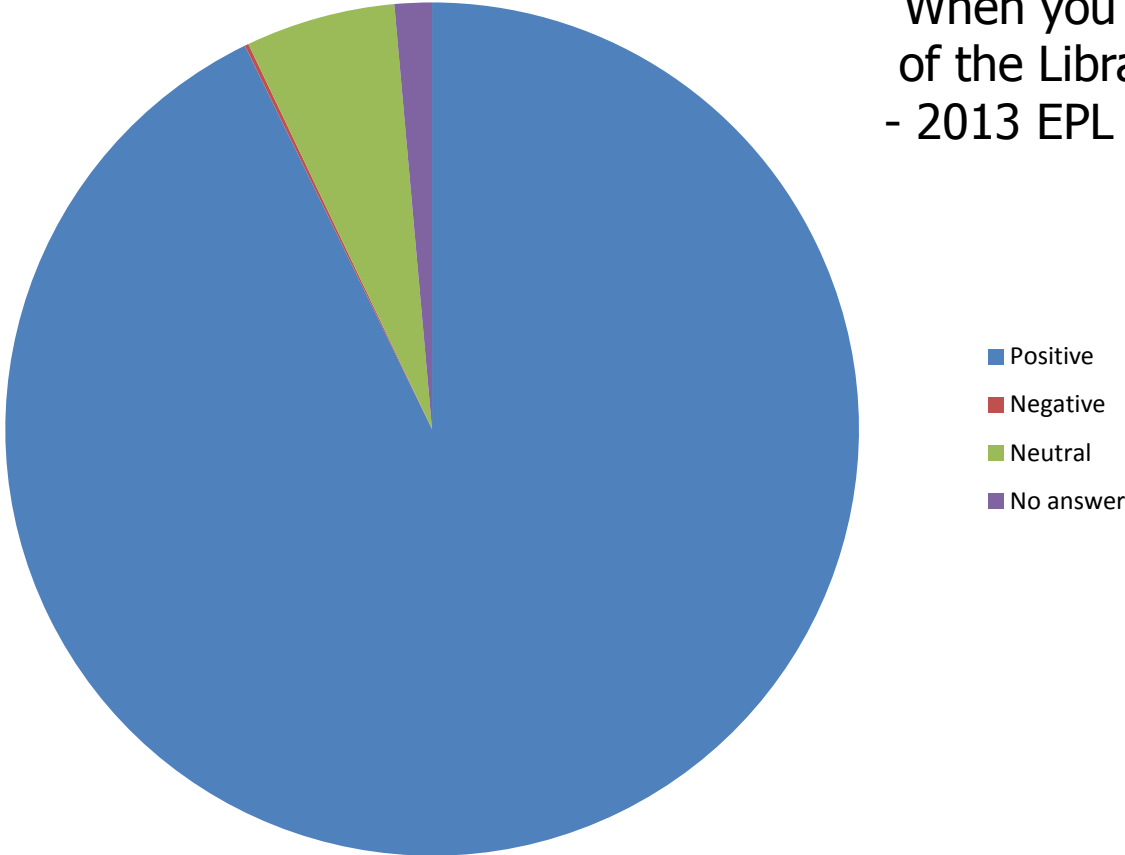
# Digital Inclusion And Access to Library Resources From Anywhere





# Eugeneans Love Their Library

“When you think  
of the Library...?”  
- 2013 EPL survey







**Eugene Public  
Library  
Recognized  
For Excellence**





# Library Visits (over 3,500 visitors per day )



**Circulation**  
**(nearly 3 million**  
**check-outs**  
**per year)**



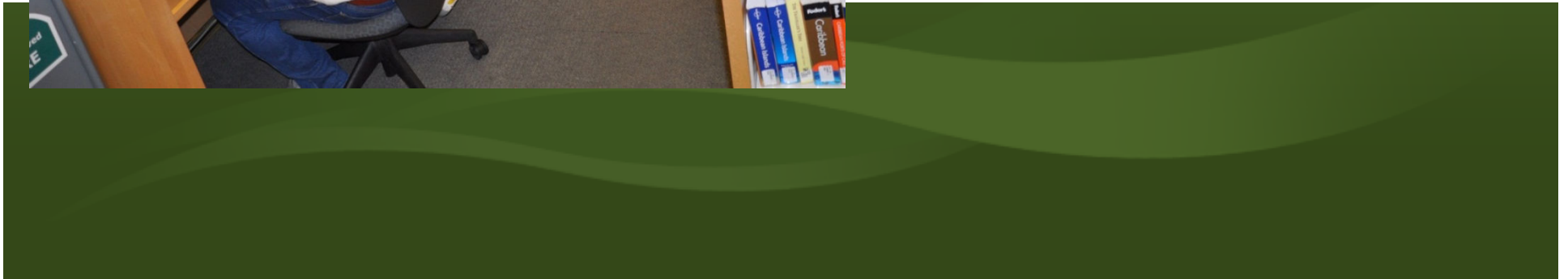


# Program attendance (49,000 people of all ages)

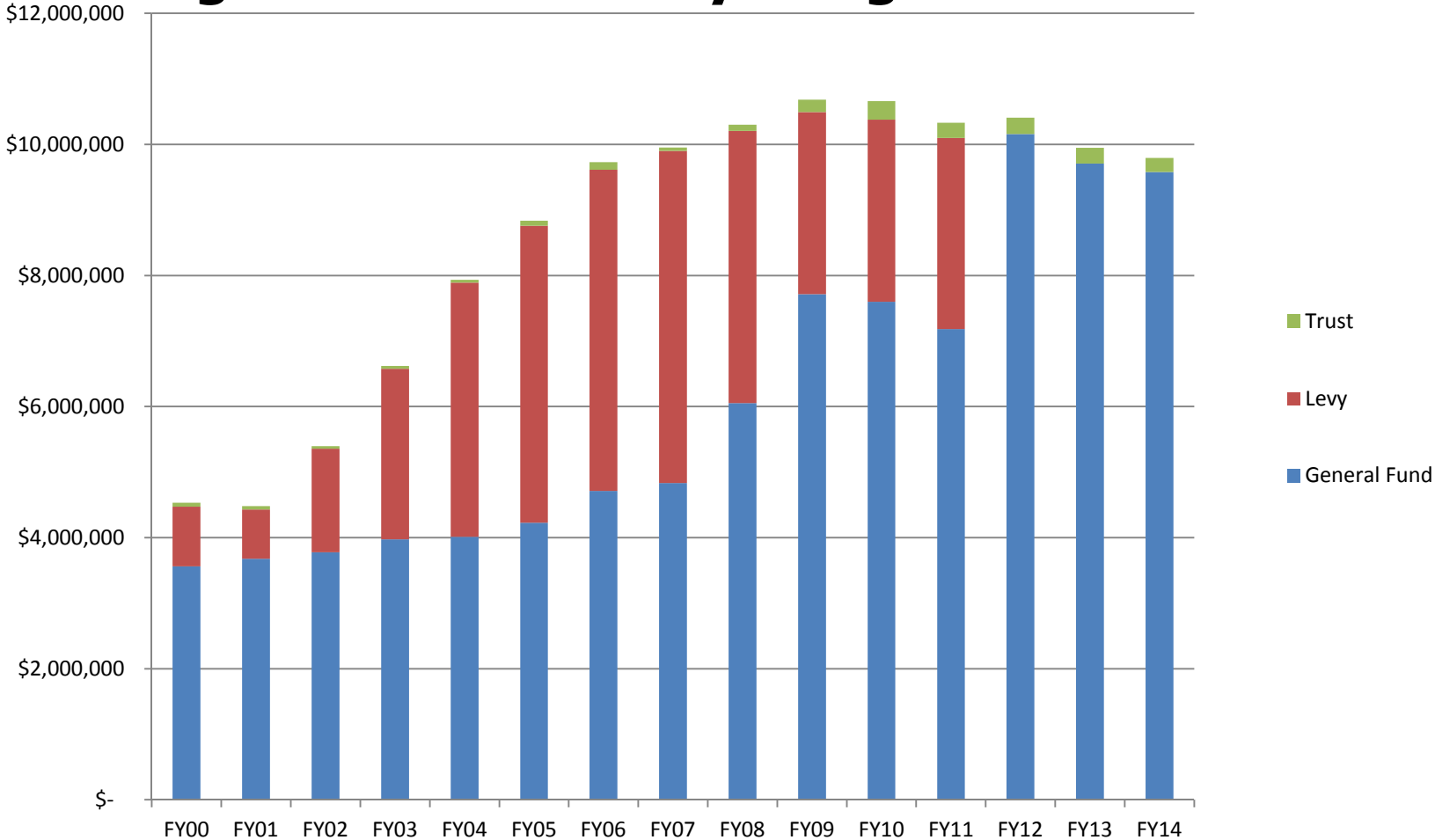




# Internet and computer use (21,000 user sessions each month)



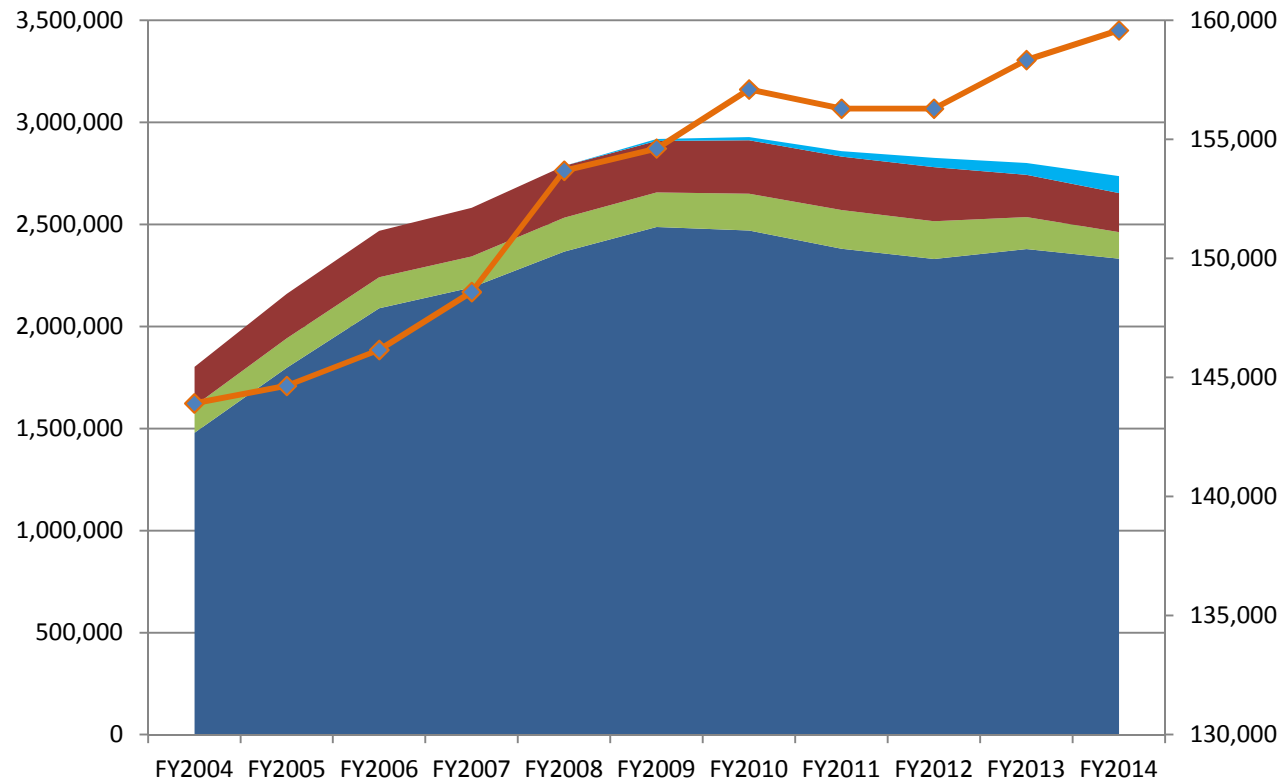
# Losing Ground: Eugene Public Library Budget FY00-FY14





# Circulation & Population :

## An Increasing Service Gap



■ Downtown   
 ■ Bethel   
 ■ Sheldon   
 ■ Virtual branch   
 ◆ Population

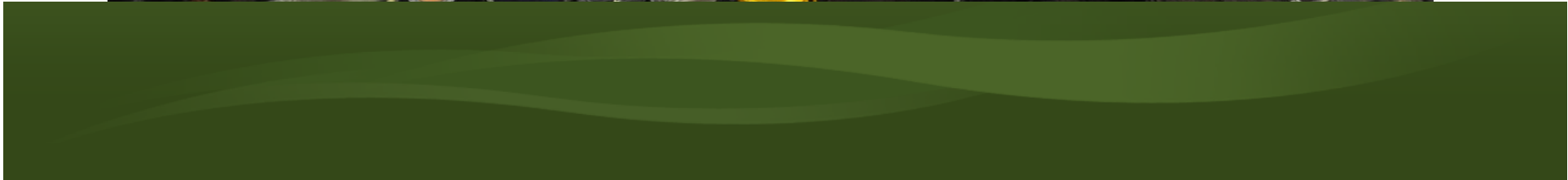


# Challenges: Every Child Ready to Learn





# Challenges: Space for Programs

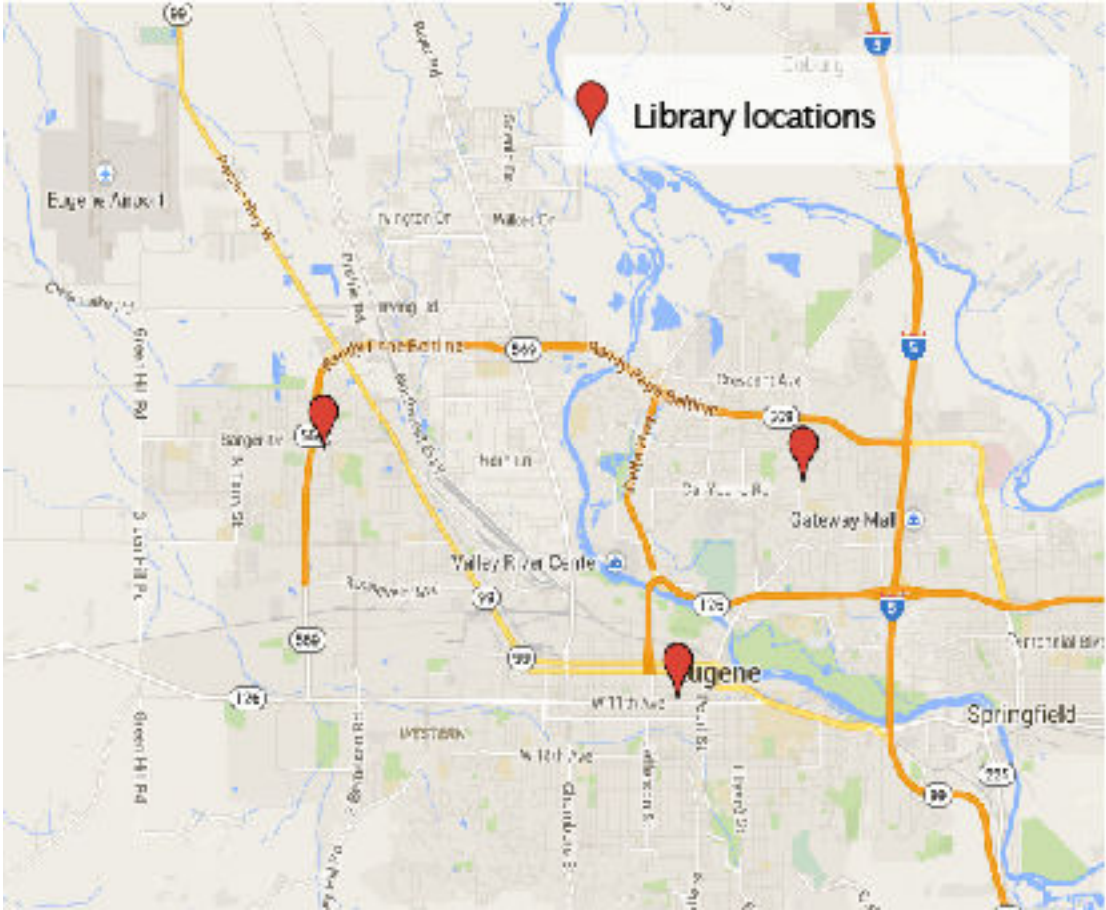


# Challenges: Space for Teens





# Challenges: Neighborhood Access



# Challenges: Hours of Access





# Challenges: Meeting Technology Needs



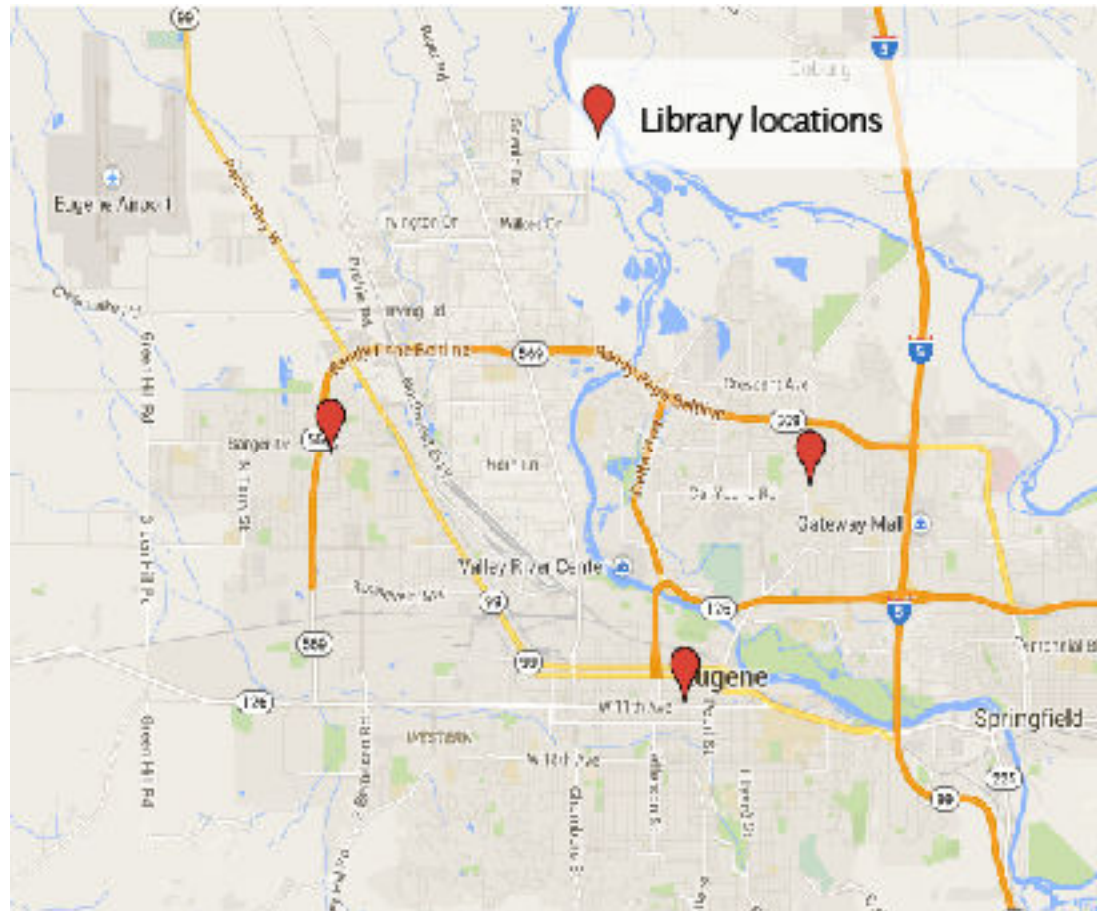




# Partnership Opportunities

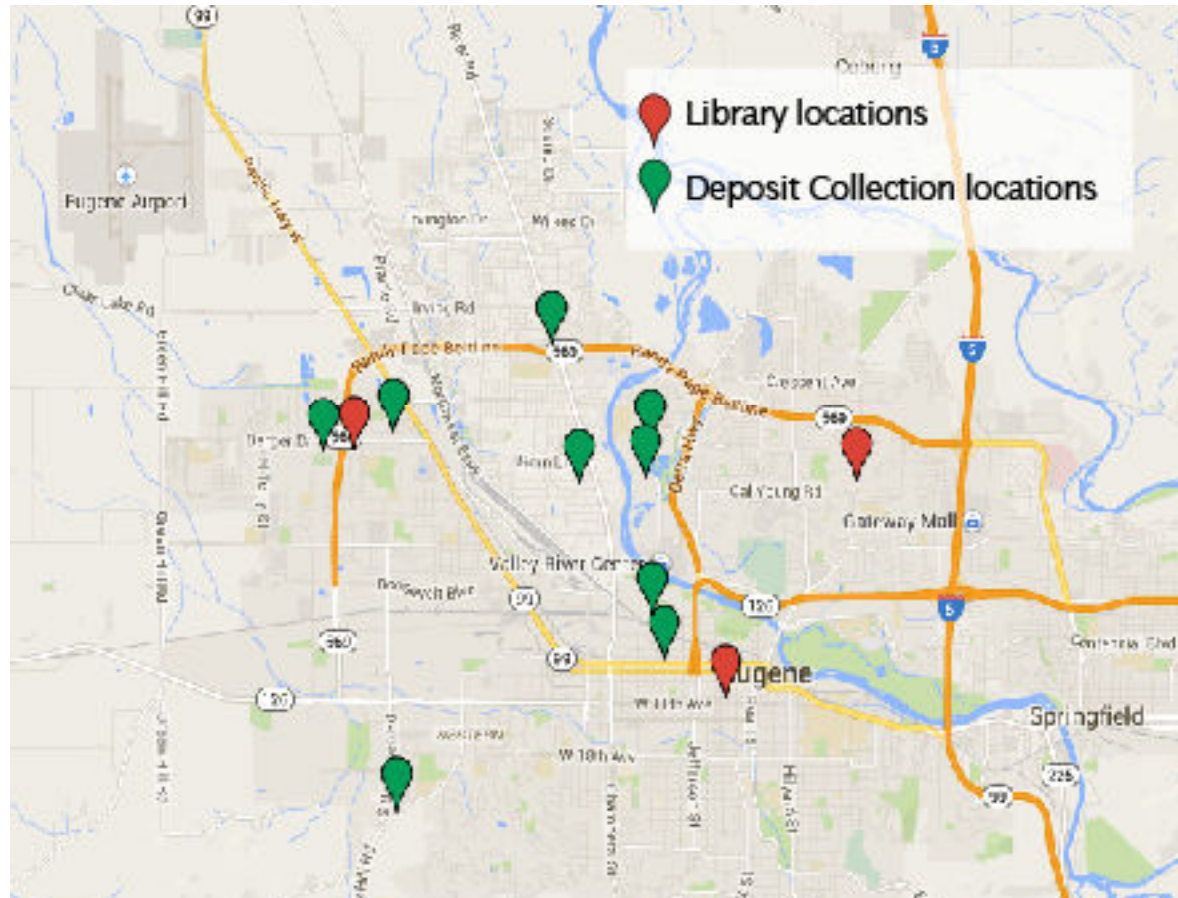


# Eugene Public Library Locations

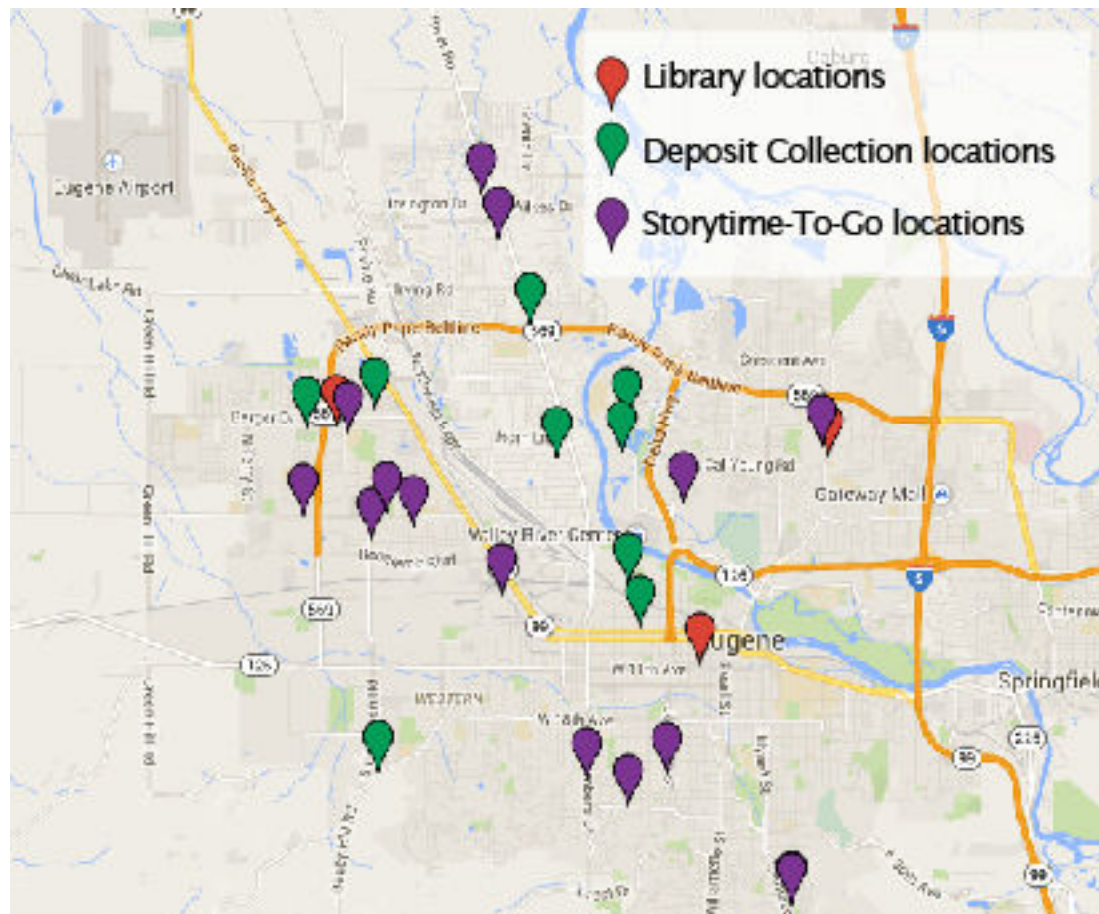




# Partnering with Other Institutions



# Extending Library Services Through Partnerships





# Our newest partnership: Dolly Parton's Imagination Library



# A Future Partnership: Eugene Public Library Makerspace

