

September 28, 2023

Dear Neighbor,

We hope that this message finds you well. The Library continues to be committed to keeping you informed about news related to our renovation and expansion project as the timeline progresses.

We are excited to share that we are very close to beginning the next stage. The design for our renovation and expansion is almost complete. The Township expects bid documents within the next several days and will open bids in mid to late October. If everything goes as planned, the Board of Commissioners will be awarding a contract at a special meeting at the end of October.

We are now estimating that we will close in early November. We do anticipate that there will be a transition period of approximately 3-4 weeks to complete this process. Our plans are to reopen at the Manoa location after the Thanksgiving holiday with the exact date to be determined. We anticipate that initial construction work on the Library will begin after the Thanksgiving holiday as well.

We will continue to post updates about the renovation/expansion project on our website, on social media, and in our newsletter *The HTFL Connection*. We appreciate your support as we move forward with the Library renovation/expansion and are excited that we are getting closer to making this 21st Century library a reality!

Please email me with any questions you might have (director@haverfordlibrary.org).

Sincerely,

Sukrit Goswami, Library Director
Haverford Township Free Library