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Yakima Valley Library to award contract for construction of new library

Yakima Valley Libraries has selected a contractor for the construction of a new library facility at 223 South 72nd Avenue. The new facility will bear the name of former Director, Richard E. Ostrander, and will be referred to as the West Valley Library.

“This is an important move for our library system,” says Kim Hixson, Director of Yakima Valley Libraries. “We are inviting everyone to join us on Tuesday, October 4, at 10:00am at the site of the new library for the awarding of the contract for this project.”

Plans for the new library facility were developed by Sheri Brockway and the staff of Brockway, Opfer, and Raab Architecture of Yakima. This new facility will house the current services and staff located at the Summitview Library, 5709 Summitview Avenue.

“We look forward to providing the community with a wide variety of library materials and services at this new location,” says Hixson. “The additional space will allow us to expand our services and to better meet the informational, educational, and recreational needs of the West Valley area.”

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