

**Omaha Public Library  
Board of Trustees  
Omaha, NE**

**RESOLVED BY THE OMAHA PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES:**

**WHEREAS**, Omaha Public Library (OPL) has identified significant needs in the areas of technology and programming for its patrons; and,

**WHEREAS**, OPL identified in its 2017 Facility Study that its Main Branch should be relocated to the 72nd and Dodge to the 90th and Dodge area; and,

**WHEREAS**, OPL has asked the community to support the Library system in its needs in these areas; and,

**WHEREAS**, Heritage Services, a non-profit committed to developing impactful philanthropic projects for Omaha, has expressed a willingness to work with the City of Omaha and OPL to explore opportunities for helping with a new Main Library and to assist the Library in obtaining new technology and programming; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City of Omaha and OPL desire to work with Heritage Services to develop a plan that will enhance the library experience for all of the citizens of Omaha; and,

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interest of the citizens of Omaha to have enhanced public library spaces and experiences.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE OMAHA PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES:**

**THAT**, the Omaha Public Library Board of Trustees agrees to lend its support to working jointly with Heritage Services, the City of Omaha, and other community stakeholders to create a plan for enhancing existing and creating new public library spaces and programming for the benefit of all citizens of Omaha, is hereby approved.

By: Board of Trustees of the Omaha Public Library

Date: 11/18/2021

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-10**

**Approved by the Board of Trustees  
of the Omaha Public Library November 18, 2021**