



NAMING RIGHTS OPPORTUNITIES



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**Building an Endowment for the White Oak Library District
Creating a Legacy for Your Family, Organization, or Business**

Why choose Naming Rights?

The donations generated by this initiative will provide the Library with a dependable and crucial revenue stream called an endowment. It can be a significant source of funding not dependent on property tax revenue. For donors, the benefits are equally impressive. A named space offers a permanent and highly visible recognition to an individual, family, organization, or business. It can be a memorial to a loved one or a tribute to an entire family. Few other types of donations can create such an impressive legacy.

Why choose the Library?

Our libraries are important community hubs that offer significant educational, recreational, and social opportunities for EVERYONE. Libraries make communities better places in which to live. Insuring that they have the funding to fulfill their mission has far-reaching results — not just for one person or one family in need, but for all those who seek the assistance and resources of the library — every day of every year.

Why build an endowment?

Endowments preserve the donation, thus creating a forever gift. Donations invested safely with the intent of using the income generated by the principal can last “forever”.

What is an example of a named space?

The Crest Hill Lions Computer Instruction Lab and the Jeanne Juricic Crest Hill History Room are two examples. The Library worked closely with these donors to name the spaces appropriately.

Is the donation tax deductible?

Yes, the donation is a charitable tax deduction as allowed by law, because it is being made to the Library Foundation, which is a 501(c)3 entity.

Can the donation be made with a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD)?

Yes, if you are 70.5 years old, a direct transfer from your IRA will not be treated as taxable income. However, the tax deduction will not also apply.



**Small Study Rooms —Donation: \$5,000
Two Available in Romeoville;
Crest Hill and Lockport no longer available**



Large Study Rooms — Donation: \$7,500
Available at Lockport (top), Crest Hill (middle), and Romeoville (bottom)



Computer Labs Donation: \$15,000
Romeoville (top), Lockport (middle), and Crest Hill (bottom)



Crest Hill Meeting Room C - Donation: \$15,000



Romeoville Meeting Room B - Donation: \$15,000



Crest Hill Children's Programming Room - Donation: \$25,000



Romeoville Children's Programming Room (Top) — Donation: \$25,000
Lockport Children's Programming Room (Bottom) — Donation: \$25,000



Romeoville Teen Room - Donation: \$25,000



Lockport Teen Room (top) — Donation \$25,000
Crest Hill Teen Room (bottom) — Donation: \$25,000



Crest Hill Meeting Room A/B — Donation: \$25,000



Lockport Meeting Room A/B — Donation \$25,000



Romeoville Meeting Room A - Donation \$25,000
Our Largest Meeting Room in the District with a capacity of 275.



Crest Hill Quiet Reading Room — Donation: \$25,000



Lockport Quiet Reading Room - Donation: \$25,000



Romeoville Quiet Reading Room - Donation: \$25,000



Lockport Children's Reading Room - Donation: \$50,000



Crest Hill Children's Reading Room - Donation \$50,000



Romeoville Children's Reading Room - Donation: \$50,000

Crest Hill Adult Reading Room - Donation: \$50,000



Lockport Adult Reading Room - Donation: \$50,000



Romeoville Adult Reading Room - Donation \$50,000

Named spaces are a lasting and beautiful tribute, a memorial to a loved one, or your way to express your appreciation for the Library.

Important details can be found in the Naming Rights Agreement. A one-time donation or annual, semi-annual, or quarterly payment plans are options.

If you are interested in learning more, please contact Library Director Scott Pointon at 815-552-4226.

Your donation to our 501(c)3 will come with certain tax benefits depending on how you choose to fund it, and we urge you to discuss those options with your tax advisor.



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