

## National Library Week: April 6-12, 2025

**WHEREAS**, National Library Week is an annual celebration highlighting the valuable role libraries, librarians, and library staff play in transforming lives and strengthening our communities; and

**WHEREAS**, Jefferson County Public Library (JCPL) helps to build an educated and vibrant community by providing equal access to information and opportunities while creating libraries for the future throughout the county; and

**WHEREAS**, JCPL seeks to reach and serve more people through strategic partnerships, alternative services, positive customer experiences, inclusion efforts, and robust community engagement and outreach; and

WHEREAS, JCPL focuses on building literacies through patron-interest-focused materials selection, creative technologies, digital literacy services, school and workforce readiness programming that helps our young people develop skills for early adulthood, small business support, and financial literacy initiatives; and

**WHEREAS**, JCPL facilitates civil civic conversation, develops collaborative community discovery spaces, and serves as the place to be for out-of-school time and not-to-miss virtual and in-person events.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED**, by the Jefferson County Board of Commissioners, of the State of Colorado, that April 6-12, 2025 be declared as National Library Week in this county.

Andy Kerr, Commissioner



