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Riviera Beach Public Library Announces Temporary Relocation for Major Renovations

RIVIERA BEACH, FL (December 11, 2025) – The Riviera Beach Public Library will temporarily relocate its services to allow for critical renovations to its main facility. The move ensures that residents continue to have access to essential resources while the library undergoes significant upgrades. The Youth Empowerment Program will also operate from a new temporary location during this period.

The last day of service at the current library location will be Tuesday, December 23, 2025. Library operations will resume on Monday, December 29, 2025, at its interim site, The Richard and Annie Brooks Community Center (Brooks Center), located at 594 W 4th Street, Riviera Beach, FL 33404. Services will be available at the Brooks Center Monday through Friday from 10 AM to 6 PM, and Saturdays from 9 AM to 5 PM.

Patrons can expect continued access to many key services at the temporary location, including computer and printing access, library card administration, voter registration assistance, interlibrary loan services, expanded outreach, and newspaper access. The temporary operations at the Brooks Center will conclude on January 30, 2026. The newly renovated Riviera Beach Public Library is scheduled to reopen to the public on Monday, February 2, 2026.

Concurrently, the Youth Empowerment Program will be temporarily housed at the Wells Recreation Center and the Portable Center, located at 2499 Avenue H. West, Riviera Beach, FL 33404. The program will operate Monday through Friday from 9 AM to 7 PM, providing a consistent and safe environment for the city's youth.

These renovations estimated cost is \$700,000 and they will represent a significant investment in the community, promising an enhanced and modernized library experience for all residents upon completion. The city is committed to minimizing disruption and

maintaining a high level of service throughout the renovation process.

About the Riviera Beach Public Library

The Riviera Beach Public Library is dedicated to providing free and open access to information, resources, and services that empower, educate, and enrich the lives of community members. Through its diverse programs and collections, the library serves as a cornerstone for lifelong learning and community engagement.

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