



Library Programming Committee

Department of Public Works

- Appointed by Interim City Manager, Cynthia Kurtz
- Comprised of representatives from:
 - > Non-profit organizations, library operations, historic preservation and media
 - > Pasadena Community Job Center, Pasadena Heritage, Pasadena Senior Center, Library Commission, and Union Station
- Committee responsibilities:
 - > Recommending the next steps and path forward for Pasadena Public Library to enhance its offerings at the Central Library as a result of the necessary retrofit and restoration work



Programming Committee Members

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- **Julieta Aragon** - Pasadena Community Job Center
- **Sharon Calkin** - Former Library Commissioner
- **John Dean** - Pasadena Heritage
- **Jennifer DeVoll** - Pasadena Community Foundation
- **Kimberly Douglas** - Former Universtiy Librarian - Caltech (retired)
- **Akila Gibbs** - Pasadena Senior Center
- **Robert Karatsu** - Library Foundation - Library Commissioner
- **Anne Miskey** - Union Station
- **Jan Sanders** - Library Director (retired)
- **Arnold Siegel** - Former Library Commissioner
- **Larry Wilson** - Pasadena Star News



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- Meetings initiated September 2022
- Committee will recommend how the Central Library space can be reimagined to engage more people in the library experience and serve as a primary community gathering space for artistic, cultural and other community events
- Final Programming Committee Report to be presented to City Manager early 2023

