

# LIBRARY IMPACT

2019 Election



## VOTE

► TUES., NOV. 5TH



More than ever, the public library is central to the lives of individuals, families, and the communities it serves.

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315,995

VISITORS TO  
THE LIBRARY



27,020

ACTIVE  
BORROWERS



292,301

TOTAL ITEMS  
LOANED



123,971

WEBSITE  
VISITS

29,349

PEOPLE  
ATTENDED A  
PROGRAM OR  
EVENT

207

ONE-ON-ONE &  
SPARK STUDIO  
TRAINING  
SESSIONS

83,834

PUBLIC &  
WIRELESS  
COMPUTER  
USE



EAGLE VALLEY  
LIBRARY DISTRICT

### Eagle Valley Library District

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# BALLOT QUESTION 6A



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### What is the Library District proposing?

The Eagle Valley Library District is proposing an exemption from the Gallagher Amendment to maintain existing services for Eagle Valley Libraries.

### Why is the Library District proposing to be exempt from future Gallagher property tax assessment rate declines?

Property tax assessment rate declines per the Gallagher Amendment will continue to erode District revenue for the foreseeable future. This erosion will have an adverse impact on the hours of operation, services, programs, materials and staffing at all three libraries (Avon, Eagle and Cypsum). The District is asking voters for "Gallagher Stabilization" - the ability to adjust the 2.75 mill levy rate as property valuations fluctuate under the Gallagher Amendment to secure stable funding.



### Questions?

Contact us:

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## How the vote affects your library:

### IF 6A PASSES:

The Library District can maintain current levels of service and hours of operation in the towns of Avon, Eagle and Cypsum. This includes collections such as in-demand books, ebooks, audiobooks, and movies along with programs for all ages including storytimes, literacy and afterschool programs, computer classes, book clubs and more.

### IF 6A FAILS:

The Library District operating revenues will decline and services will erode over time. The District will eventually have to cut library services, hours of operation, staff, collections, and programs for all ages.