

2024 VALUE STATEMENT

Municipal District of Bonn...

Population: 12,760 Library Cards: 2,239

This value statement highlights the benefits of belonging to Northern Lights Library System. It is a snapshot of the health of your library and the value of your investment.

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APPENDIX A

Total Library Savings

\$5,720,806

Name Of Library(s):

Bonnyville Municipal Library

Glendon Public Library

Cold Lake Public Library

OPERATIONS

Levy Cost
\$139,594
Book Allotment
\$27,434

Rural Services Grant
70,741
Return on Investment
\$51.38

ELECTRONIC AND NON-TRADITIONAL MATERIALS

eBooks in Circulation **23,814**
Total eBook Circulation Value
\$1,791,704

CIRCULATION

Net Borrower **151,543**
Total Print Circulation Value
\$3,788,575

SERVICE DELIVERY

MLS + TSI Tickets **479**
Total Professional Value
\$40,622

Aquisition & Cataloguing:

3,445 items purchased with NLLS

\$22,826 saved via aquisition

\$13,780 cataloguing & processing value

LIBRARY
\$5.47
PER CITIZEN

+

MUNICIPAL LEVY
\$5.47
PER CITIZEN

+

PROVINCIAL GRANTS
\$4.75
PER CITIZEN

=

\$15.69
PER CITIZEN

-

\$2.15
LOCAL LIBRARY BOOK
ALLOTMENT
\$27,434.00



Operating Budget

SYSTEM WIDE VALUE

TRAC = 200 Alberta libraries, public catalog,
mobile app, access to 3.5 million library items.



E-Resources



Service Catalogue



Top 3 Milestones of 2024

1. New Websites for Libraries
2. GoLibrary self-registration website
3. Welcome to Kehewin Cree Nation & Art Smith Aviation Academy

Top 3 Initiatives of 2025

1. Wireless printing
2. TRACPac+ major updates to the library catalogue
3. Shelf-ready pilot program for enhanced processing efficiency

Success Stories From the Past Year

Local Success Story

New Leadership at Bonnyville Library!
Bonnyville Municipal Library welcomed Jill Tercier as its new Library Manager in late 2024. Northern Lights Library System was pleased to assist in the hiring process and wishes Nicole Labrie all the best as she furthers her career at Portage College. With strong leadership, the future looks bright for Bonnyville Library!

System Success Story

Stronger Together for Shared Learning
The 2024 Stronger Together Conference brought 300+ library staff and board members together, fostering connections across Alberta. With expert panels and workshops, participants were left with fresh ideas to enhance library services. Feedback confirmed: 'An invaluable experience for professional growth!' The 2025 conference will be Oct 8 & 9 at the DoubleTree in West Edmonton.