

Library Advocacy Alert:

State Funding is critical to get the Mount Vernon Library Commons to completion. State funding is accessible and flexible. This year we are asking for \$2 million to fill the funding gap. Please join us in writing a short letter to help complete the Mount Vernon Library Commons!

Letter:

Dear (representatives name)

We appreciate your continued support for Mount Vernon Library Commons. Construction is going well! Federal infrastructure dollars are slow to deploy... Our ambitious schedule leads us to ask for one final \$2 million allocation from the State to get to the finish line.

The funding could come from a direct allocation from the already allocated \$69 million in community charging grants currently sitting with the WA State Department of Commerce.

Meeting this final funding in FY 2023 will help ensure that the Mount Vernon Library Commons can be completed in its entirety in 2023.

Thank you for your attention to this request and your continued support in sustaining and strengthening our state's rural communities!

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- [Rep. Paul, Dave](#)
Democrat

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