

Let's Build a Library!

Rationale for a Harding County Historical Library

- To provide a central location in the Village of Roy to promote literacy through book lending and training
- To provide a wi-fi site for the community to facilitate Internet access and availability to adults and students; to provide computer access for individuals
- To provide a learning environment in which students, adults, and children may extend reading experiences including a well-equipped, technologically advanced media center
- To provide exposure to authors, story tellers, writers and other activities to nurture arts and cultural endeavors
- To provide access to current novels, series, and requested literature through cooperation with NM State Library and Books by Mail; To provide easy access to books needed for study, research, or pleasure
- To provide an additional site for student tutoring, homework help, a “quiet place” for children, and activities to promote reading and literacy during nonschool hours, weekends, and summer vacations
- To provide an environment to preserve the history of the Village of Roy, Mosquero, and surrounding areas. This may include private collections of books, journal, manuscripts, prints and photographs, moving images, sound recordings, architectural records, decorative and fine arts, textiles, archaeological artifacts, furniture and other historical objects
- To provide a community-based facility to promote learning across generations and gender
- To provide the community and visitors with public restroom facilities
- If possible, provide through cooperative agreement with Roy Municipal Schools, and/ or Mosquero Schools, a professionally certified library media specialist to oversee establishment of a viable library at both sites