



# Community Conversations

## What We Heard North Main Say...

### **You value:**

- The diverse community
- Education
- Safety
- The staff at North Main
- The current location
- Children's books
- Computers
- Health and Wellness
- Utilizing community resources and people (artists, retired teachers, partner agencies)
- The library as a "community center"

### **You need:**

- More space for programming and special events (Black History Program)
- Workshops geared toward teens
- Programs for middle school children
- More children's programming (especially in evenings)
- Art work throughout the building
- Tutoring spaces
- Math manipulatives
- Current technology/Strong, fast internet signals
- Digital displays
- Homework center/job center
- Venue/Café for live performances
- Lots of natural light
- Adult programs with child care (cooking classes, computer skills...)
- Longer hours
- Secure outdoor space
- Community Garden
- Enhanced exterior to attract passersby
- Better outdoor lighting
- Bilingual programs

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