SUMMARY OF MADISON LIBRARY COMMUNITY SURVEY RESULTS
(n=162)

Library visits

- Most respondents (54%) reported using the library weekly or monthly

Reasons for visiting

- To borrow library materials (78%)
- To attend a meeting or presentation (42%)
- To use the computers and/or internet connection (34%)
- To bring children to use the library or attend a children's event (27%)
- To get a recommendation or ask a question (25%)

Importance of library services and collection[1]

- Book and materials to borrow (89%)
- Local history archive (78%)
- Online references (69%)
- Access e-books (63%)
- Download audio books (61%)
- Streaming movies (42%)

Importance of library programs

- Children's programs (85%)
- Presentations (84%)
- Technology training (80%)
- Teen programs (79%)
- Discussion groups (76%)
- Arts and crafts/maker workshops (62%)

Importance of library technology

- Wireless connection (89%)
- Public computers (86%)
- Printer, copier, fax, scanner (82%)

Importance of library facilities

- Quiet study space (85%)
- Comfortable seating areas (84%)
- Small group meeting/study space (78%)
- AV/projector in meeting room (75%)

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[1] All percentages below combine "very important" and "important" responses.