

## **Main Level Space Study—Redesign and Additions (9,730 sq. ft.)**

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- Two additions measuring 800 sq. ft. for Makerspace activities and meeting room requests
- Replacement of elevator installed in 1972 with new model with updated safety features
- Addition of [exterior pavilion](#) measuring approximately 24' x 48' for outdoor events
- Improved space efficiencies
- Barrier-free restrooms
- Built in quiet study room
- Better sightlines for security and safety



In the 2016-2019 library strategic plan it was noted that the library has limited useful square footage and poor layout. The main level redesign addresses these issues:

- Two corner additions are proposed for the main floor, one for Makerspace activities, providing a larger activity space and well-organized storage and shelf space.
- The second corner addition can be used as a multi-purpose room for small group meetings as well as for the library and Teen Advisory Board to host regular meetings, freeing the upstairs Community Room/Library Gallery for more community activities and workshops.
- A built-in quiet study room will be added, something that has been requested by the public for years.
- An additional stall will be added in the men's room.
- The main services desk will be pushed back to provide better sightlines for safety and security.

Above all, the main floor space needs to be redesigned in order to keep up with the technology and space needs for the modern library.