

Appendix Q

Los Angeles Public Libraries Letter

The District Noho Project
Request for Information
Los Angeles Public Library Response
August 6, 2020

This Project would be served by the following branches:

North Hollywood- Amelia M. Earhart Regional library
5211 Tujunga Ave
North Hollywood, 91601

Valley Plaza Branch Library
12311 Vanowen St
North Hollywood 91605

Detailed information regarding each branch is attached.

There are no current plans to build new libraries that would serve this project area.

On February 8, 2007, The Board of Library Commissioners approved a new Branch Facilities Plan. This Plan includes criteria for new Libraries, which recommends new size standards for the provision of LAPL facilities — 12,500 Square feet for community with less than 45,000 population and 14,500 square feet for community with more than 45,000 population and up to 20,000 square feet for a Regional branch. It also recommends that when a community reaches a population of 90,000, an additional branch library should be considered for the area.

Location Name and Address

North Hollywood- Amelia M. Earhart Regional library
5211 Tujunga Ave
North Hollywood, 91601

Size of facility in Square feet

15,150

Collection size

58,099

Annual Circulation

130,996

Staffing level

16 FTE

Volunteers

42

Service Population

65,895

The City of Los Angeles makes no predictions on future population statistics

The branch has a community room that is used by the community for public programs. This library has materials in English and Spanish. They have a large Russian collection for adults and children. They also serve the Community as a Source location.

All libraries provide free access to computer workstations which are connected to the Library's information network. In addition to providing Internet access, these workstations enable the public to search LAPL's many electronic resources including the online catalog, subscription databases, word processing, language learning, literacy and a large historic document and photograph collection.

All libraries have:

Free Public Wi-Fi

Wireless & Mobile Printing

Reserve a Public Computer

Location Name and Address

Valley Plaza Branch Library
12311 Vanowen St
North Hollywood 91605

Size of facility in Square feet

10,500

Collection size

51,811

Annual Circulation

93,542

Staffing level

9.0 FTE

Volunteers

21

Service Population

83,072

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The branch has a community room that is used by the community for public programs. This library has materials in English and Spanish. They have materials in Armenian. They also have a dedicated Student Zone with a Cybernaut and a Student Zone Worker to assist with homework help.

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