

# 2010 ANNUAL REPORT WAUKESHA PUBLIC LIBRARY

## Return on Investment

**\$6.59** in services is returned to the community for every \$1.00 in taxes received by the Library.

\*Value of services community received

**\$22,048,891**

City & County  
tax dollars received  
by Library

**\$3,343,274**

### Materials checked out or services offered

### Value of services\*

Adult books checked out: 534,958	\$11,224,630
Children's & teen books checked out: 423,728	\$6,495,735
DVDs & videos checked out: 388,620	\$1,554,480
Magazines checked out: 24,246	\$72,738
Music CDs checked out: 82,167	\$1,232,505
Program attendance, children & adults: 29,129	\$203,973
Public Internet hours used: 182,432	\$912,160
Reference questions answered: 70,534	\$352,670

\*Value of Services: the cost to the community to buy, rent or use items or services at a local retail outlet.

## @Your Library

- Use a computer to write a resume or look for a job
- Attend programs for all ages
- Access Wi-Fi
- Download audio books, music, videos and e-books 24/7
- Learn a language online
- Use a quiet study room
- Get homework or test prep resources
- Take a computer class
- Join a book discussion group
- Research your family history



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## New in 2010

- Microsoft Office on all public access computers
- Increased e-book content
- Updated website
- Catalog content enhanced with Novelist Select
- Updated computer for the visually impaired
- Document text magnifier
- Community art collection expanded
- Rotating art display established
- Teen Facebook page
- Local history digital collection
- Books for Babies program
- Awards for new Children's Area



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**Total Collection Circulation**  
1,409,738 items

**Total Items in Collection**  
326,459

(DVDs, books, audio books,  
music CDs, magazines and  
newspapers)

**Total Annual Library Visits**  
470,011

**Total Library Card Holders**  
63,402

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