



# Library Update

## January 6, 2026



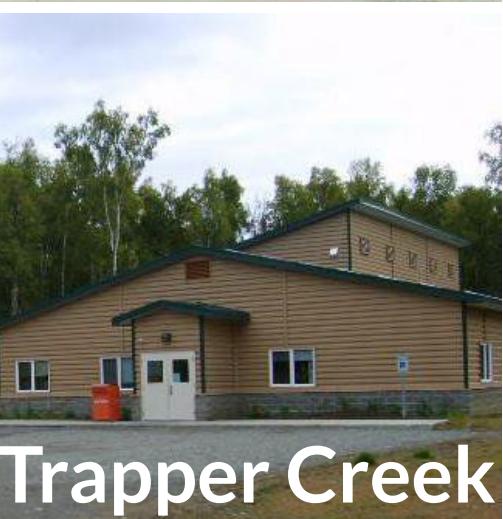
Sutton



Willow



Big Lake



Big Lake  
Public Library

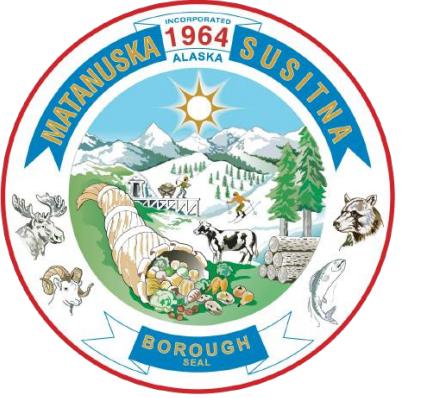


Talkeetna



# Five Libraries

- Big Lake
- Sutton
- Talkeetna
- Trapper Creek
- Willow



# Community Hubs Services, Programs & Boards



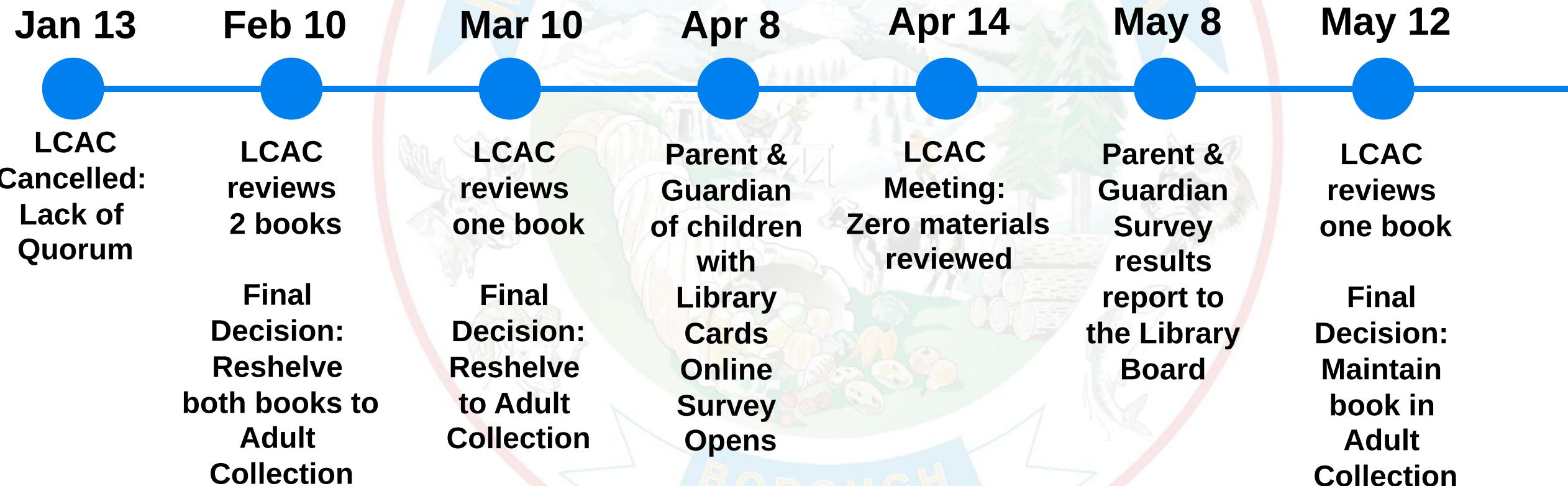
# 2024 Library Milestones

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Jun 9

July 21

Aug 11

Aug 12

Sept 9

Oct 13

Nov 10

LCAC  
Cancelled:  
Lack of  
Quorum

LCAC  
Cancelled:  
Scheduling  
Conflicts

LCAC  
Members  
unanimously  
agree to no  
longer  
review adult  
collection  
materials

Library  
Board  
practices  
reviewing  
Library  
Collection  
Development  
lists

Library  
Board begins  
process of  
reviewing  
Library  
Collection  
Development  
lists

Parent &  
Guardian  
opt-in option  
to receive  
email  
notification  
of child's  
checked out  
library  
material

5 materials  
flagged: Later  
amended to 4

Final  
Decision:  
Purchase  
1 of 4

Reviews  
2026-2030  
Strategic  
Plan

Zero materials  
flagged by  
Library Board  
Members

2 families  
have opted in

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Nov 10



LCAC  
Cancelled:  
Lack of  
Quorum

Nov 18



Library  
Board  
Meeting  
  
One item  
flagged

Dec 8



LCAC  
unanimously  
passes  
resolution to  
recommend  
early sunset of  
LCAC to the  
Assembly &  
recommends  
Library Board to  
review Material  
for  
Reconsideration



## 2024-2025 Highlights

- Over 100k Visits to all Borough Libraries
- 8 Titles Reviewed by LCAC & Final Decisions issued
- ~2k Titles Reviewed by Library Board before purchasing and only 5 flagged by members
- Materials for Reconsideration queue has only material in the Adult Collection
- Notification of minor's checked out materials available



# 2026 Strategic Goals

- Continue Library Collection Development procedures
- Library shelving layout review
- Marketing campaign to promote programs & services
- Comprehensive library webpages refresh





# Questions?