



Town of Amherstburg  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Michael Prue, Mayor

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May 27, 2025

County of Essex  
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VIA EMAIL: [clerks@countyofessex.ca](mailto:clerks@countyofessex.ca)

Attn: Members of County Council and the Essex County Library Board

Re: Future Funding Consideration – Fit-Up Costs for New Amherstburg Library Branch

On behalf of the Town of Amherstburg, I am writing to respectfully request your consideration in setting aside future funding to support the fit-up costs associated with the development of a new Amherstburg Library Branch.

This request stems from Resolution 20250414-017, moved by Councillor Allaire and seconded by Deputy Mayor Gibb, during the regular Council meeting on April 14, 2025. As we continue to plan for a modern, accessible, and community-focused library space that meets the growing needs of our residents, we recognize the critical importance of collaborative funding efforts to ensure its success.

We believe that investing in library infrastructure is an investment in our community's education, literacy, and social well-being. By allocating funds in advance for fit-up costs, we can help ensure that the new facility is properly equipped to serve as a vibrant and inclusive resource for all residents of Amherstburg and the surrounding region.

We thank you for your ongoing support of public libraries and your consideration of this important request. Should you require any additional information or wish to discuss this matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me or our administrative team.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michael Prue, Mayor  
Town of Amherstburg

Cc: Warden and Deputy Warden  
County Council Members  
Essex County Library Board