

In Session with the “Oriole” Superintendent

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Community Library Millage Election – August 2nd, 2016

The vote on the Charlotte Community Library millage is scheduled for Tuesday, August 2nd, 2016. I encourage residents to get out and exercise their right to vote.

The Charlotte Community Library is for everyone. This is clearly evident by the word community in their name.

The Charlotte Community Library is a central part of our community and has been for well over 100 years. It is a valuable resource for children, students, adults and seniors. The administration, library board of trustees and staff have put forth a reasonable proposal for the community to consider in order to keep the library open and operational and is the 1st increase they have requested in the past 20 years. Please review the information they have provided to be an informed and prepared voter.

As the Superintendent at Charlotte Public Schools, I know our students take advantage of the library and the opportunities within it. Many of our students use the community library during the summer months to continue to read and learn when school is not in session. The library provides the resources to continue to learn in an environment focused upon advancing knowledge, that many students do not have available to them over summer recess. During the school year many students go to the community library to access the internet or to complete homework assignments. The library is critically important to the educational success of many of our students and is a valuable asset to our community.

Please take the time to understand the library proposal and exercise your right to vote on August 2nd.

- Go Orioles! Oriole Pride!