



Find Your Future

This is a unique opportunity for a leader to have a significant impact on a quality library district and community by contributing to a level of professionalism, defining and achieving excellence, and guiding our six-branch library system to become an employer of choice within our community and in the field of public libraries.





Garfield County Libraries *Fast Stats*



60,000+
population
served



440,000+
in-person and
online visitors
annually



595,000+
circulation
annually



6
unique libraries



Why Choose Us

Garfield County consists of six municipalities, with each being home to one of our library branches. The county covers roughly 3,000 square miles, approximately 60% of which is federal public lands. The residents of the county are civic minded, engaged in the community, and active supporters of the library.

While located in and serving residents throughout the county, the Garfield County Public Library District is a distinct entity separate from Garfield County government. Voters supported a ballot measure in 2006 to build/remodel all six libraries, and in 2019 to provide additional money for critical library operations. The District's current \$9 million annual budget is backed by both property and sales taxes.

The District strives to be a leader in the community by promoting literacy, providing computers and classes for learning, as well as holding entertaining events throughout the year. Alongside serving the community, the District supports a competitively paid, robust staff at the heart of daily operations.



Education & Experience

Relevant master's degree and minimum of ten (10) years of progressive library experience, with at least four (4) years in a leadership capacity.

Master of Library Science (MLS) or Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS) preferred.

The Perfect Fit, You Are Someone Who

- is a high caliber individual that can lead with emotional intelligence (EQ). It's critical that you can empathize with others, invest in a team atmosphere, diffuse conflicts when they occur, and trust staff to carry out important tasks
- collaborates, takes initiative, and fosters a culture that encourages innovation
- communicates clearly and concisely, especially with preparation of presentations, reports, correspondence, policies, procedures, and other written materials using a variety of computer systems and software applications
- effectively manages workplace diversity, and understands, celebrates, and serves diverse communities
- develops and implements strategic goals and objectives
- conducts complex research projects, evaluate alternatives, and makes sound recommendations
- maintains a personal commitment to providing exceptional public service



Compensation, Benefits, Perks, & the Fun Stuff

Our commitment to your success is enhanced by our competitive compensation and benefits package.

The salary range for this position is \$115,910 - \$147,934 annually (placement dependent on experience and qualifications) with an excellent benefits package including medical, dental, and vision. The District contributes to your retirement account, invests in your professional development, and supplies paid time off to enjoy all that comes with living in beautiful Garfield County.

You'll be surrounded by professionals who are capable and motivated to bring outstanding services to the public and to achieve great things. Additionally, you'll find our libraries are the community hub for live music, art, engaging events, and community conversations.



Let's Get Started on the Future

To be considered for this exceptional career opportunity, visit our website and submit your resume to our team.

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