



Opening doors. Books. Minds.

Our Public Libraries Creating New Destinations

Square Foot Program

Take Ownership!

The Des Moines public libraries belong to us all. They give us a wonderful world of books, reference materials, programs and services...not just for ourselves, but also for our children and grandchildren, and for generations to come. Now, you can take symbolic ownership in Des Moines Public Libraries - opening doors to all of the greater Des Moines area. Join your friends and neighbors in building a better Des Moines with a contribution of \$20 for each Square Foot. You'll make an important contribution to the future for yourself, your family, and your community by helping the library foundation expand and renovate current branch facilities, as well as build new ones!



Your Square Foot

Purchase a Square Foot (or Feet!) for yourself, a friend or family member, or in memory of a loved one. Consider one as a gift for birthdays, graduations, and other special occasions. Each Square Foot owner will receive a personalized Certificate of Ownership. Recognition of Square Foot contributors will be permanently displayed at the branch location of your choice. Each Square Foot will be celebrated on a special display inscribed with the holder's name. You will leave a legacy to be recognized for generations.

Libraries Build Communities

Libraries are more than shelves of books and rows of computers. They are an unequivocal statement of the trust we place in ourselves, an investment in human potential, because people can pass through their doors and go anywhere. When a community comes together to build a library, what we are saying is: take all that we have discovered, all that we have acquired, take it all, and run with it. Learn from our experiences and add to your own. In 1903, a deep commitment to quality education and a thriving community built the first Des Moines public library. Today, that same commitment is bringing about a second century of education and community.

Complete the attached donation form and return in the enclosed envelope, and your certificate(s) will be sent to you. If you have any questions, please contact the Des Moines Public Library Foundation at 515-248-6400.

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Square Foot Donation Form

(Please type or print)

I would like to claim _____ Square Feet at \$20 a Square Foot.

- 2 Square Feet - \$40

- 5 Square Feet - \$100

- 10 Square Feet - \$200

Total donation: \$ _____.

_____ My check is enclosed. (Please make check payable to the Des Moines Public Library Foundation.)

_____ Please charge my _____ Visa _____ Master Card (Please do not mail cash)

Account # _____ Exp. date _____

Name on Account _____

Donor Name _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____

(We will contact you by phone to clarify or confirm any information if necessary.)

Signature _____ Date _____

All gifts to the Square Foot campaign are unrestricted and the funds will be used for all of the Capital Campaign building projects.

Square Feet Purchased	Select One 1. In honor of 2. In memory of 3. Neither	Name (One Per Square Foot)	Mail Certificate to this Address: Street/City/State/Zip	Library Location or Recognition *
Total Number of Square Feet (This total should match the number listed in the form below.)				

- Indicate above where you would like each Square Foot to be recognized:

Franklin Avenue • South Side • Forest Avenue • North Side • South East (not yet built)

***PLEASE NOTE: THE LAST DATE FOR SQUARE FOOT RECOGNITION AT THE CENTRAL LIBRARY AND EAST SIDE LIBRARY WAS DECEMBER 31, 2006.**

SQUARE FOOT RECOGNITIONS MAY STILL BE DESIGNATED FOR THE NORTH, SOUTH, FOREST, FRANKLIN AVENUE AND FUTURE SOUTH EAST SIDE LIBRARY LOCATIONS.

CONTACT THE FOUNDATION AT 515-248-6400 WITH QUESTIONS.