

SUBJECT LINE

Building a New Library Facility Information Request

BULLETIN TEXT

Attention Library Board Chairs/BCLTA Liaisons:

Gibsons Public Library is currently participating in a town planning process and needs to establish the value of its current library building. The GPL is a 7,000 sq ft concrete building, with a parking garage underneath, built specifically as a library in 1995/96. The building has sprinklers and meets all current codes.

If your library or library system has recently built or looked into building a new facility, GPL Board Member Donna McMahon would love to hear from you – rough dollar per sq ft estimates and/or any idea of what construction costs for a similar building might be would be much appreciated.

Please contact Donna at dmcMahon@dccnet.com ; and please also CC your responses to BCLTA's Executive Director, Errin Morrison, at execdirector@bclta.org so that a file can be set up on this topic for the future reference of BCLTA members.