# **Trends at Hall**

## **Circulation and Borrowing**

### • Circulation Increase:

- The circulation of materials has been increasing month over month.
- Representing growth in community engagement and library resource utilization in the RHH service area.

### • Unique Borrowers:

- o We have seen over **3000 unique borrowers**, an increase of **400 borrowers**.
- o This demonstrates our reach and growing membership base.

#### • New Borrowers:

- We are adding over **200 new borrowers** each month steadily.
- This consistent growth indicates a strong and sustained interest in our library services.

### • Hours Change

Since January we have seen continued growth in activity between the 9am and 10am hours. The 8am hour still has limited growth, but constant study room use.

# **Juvenile Area Updates**

#### Shelf Modifications:

- Completed the shortening of all shelves in the Juvenile area for improved accessibility.
- o There are no current plans to shorten additional shelves.

# **Renovation News**

# **Funding and Design Development**

### City Council Approval:

 The City Council has approved funding to advance to the full design phase of our renovation project.

### • Collaboration with 720 Designs:

We are collaborating with "720 Designs" to transform initial conceptual designs into fully developed plans.

### **Coordination with Downtown Development**

### • "720 Designs" & the Mixed-Use Development:

o The contract with "720 Designs" includes a requirement to meet with developers of the new mixed-use development in downtown McKinney.

• This development will proceed once existing city buildings are vacated, integrating library improvements with broader city planning efforts.

# **Ongoing Planning**

# • Service Continuity:

- o Given the lengthy nature of the renovation process, staff are actively developing initial plans to maintain and grow library services during this period.
- o Our goal is to limit service interruptions to east McKinney.
- o Find improvement in library offerings throughout the renovation.