

How well do these statements correlate with your ideas of what our library ought to be and do in Cape Elizabeth? Please rank them from 1-5, with 1 being the statement that best describes, and 5 being the statement that least describes, what you think our library ought to be and do.

_____ Our library will provide excellent customer service through commitment to staff training and an emphasis on internal communication. It will be a focal point for community dialog and the sharing of ideas.

_____ Our library will be a welcoming community center for human interaction, intellectual stimulation and cultural enrichment for all ages. It will be a place where the experience of the past can meet the needs of the present and future, providing access to materials onsite and in other locations.

_____ Our library will provide people of all ages with a facility and services consistent with available community resources. This will include a stimulating and welcoming atmosphere, access to knowledge through diverse formats, assistance with access to information, support for formal and independent education, and opportunities for lifelong learning and enjoyment.

_____ Our library will serve as a community-gathering place, a cultural destination and a gateway to ideas for residents of all ages and interests through books, media, technology, and innovative programs. It will provide free and convenient access to information within and beyond our walls.

_____ Our library will inspire lifelong learning, advance knowledge, and strengthen our community through our staff, our collections, and our physical and virtual spaces.

Please tell us, what was it in particular about your #1 choice that spoke powerfully to you?