Director, Lapeer District Library, Michigan

Overview:

The Lapeer District Library (LDL) board has engaged a search firm to lead a search for the successor to their retiring Library Director. Bring your creative, innovative, and forward-thinking approach to this charming community located in the Thumb of Michigan, serving 60,006 residents in twelve townships and one city.

Details:

The library’s eight buildings are located in the City of Lapeer and in outlying villages. [https://library.lapeer.org/about-us/locations-hours](https://library.lapeer.org/about-us/locations-hours) The library operates with a $2.1M budget from a voted millage, penal fines, and state aid, and has a staff of 46 that includes 13 full-time positions (5 MLS librarians). The board is governing, and appointed for four year terms.

For more information about Lapeer County, visit the following: [http://lapeercountyweb.org/](http://lapeercountyweb.org/), [https://www.ci.lapeer.mi.us/](https://www.ci.lapeer.mi.us/), or [https://www.downtownlapeer.com/](https://www.downtownlapeer.com/)

Qualifications:

The successful candidate will be able to work collaboratively with staff and community, will understand financial and human resource management, is committed to professional development for self and staff, and will work with staff on forging new partnerships in the communities served. The library is currently beginning a new strategic plan, and has just contracted with Library Market for a new web site. Fines were eliminated at the beginning of 2019.

The position requires a Master’s degree in Library Science or Information Science (MLS or MLIS) from an American Library Association (ALA) accredited school, and five years of progressively-responsible experience in library administration.

Full position description: [https://library.lapeer.org/about-us/employment/employment/](https://library.lapeer.org/about-us/employment/employment/)

Compensation:

Preferable range of salary is from $70,000-$85,000.00 based on qualifications and experience with a generous benefit package.

Electronic submission is required. Applications should be received by July 5th. Please include a cover letter, resume, and three professional references and respond to this posting.