# VIBRANT LIBRARY SERVICES FOR OREGONIANS

How Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) federal funds have enhanced library services in Oregon's Congressional District 2.

# IMPROVING ACCESS TO INFORMATION

The State Library subsidized the Sage Courier, which transports materials between 77 libraries in Eastern Oregon.



Jackson County Library Services installed an outdoor book locker in Shady Cove expanding access to library materials for rural residents.



OUTDOOR BOOK LOCKER IN SHADY COVE

## BRIDGING THE DIGITAL DIVIDE

Lake County Library District upgraded its network and installed new computers, charging stations, and furniture at the Christmas Valley branch, enhancing internet access for users.

#### Wasco County Library Service District

created a private space for patrons to engage in confidential online appointments and meetings, improving access to critical services like legal consultations and virtual job interviews.



THE NEW COMPUTER WORKSTATIONS AT CHRISTMAS VALLEY.

#### SUPPORTING STUDENTS, YOUTH, AND LIFELONG LEARNERS

#### Hannon Library at Southern Oregon

**University** helped address textbook affordability by promoting open educational resources and expanding the library's course materials collection, ensuring greater access to learning materials for students and faculty.

> 2,100+ USES OF COURSE MATERIAL

Libraries in Adams, Echo, Crook County, Harney County, Pine Eagle, and The Dalles hired teen interns who developed valuable work skills while contributing to library projects, such as creating new teen programs and engaging in outreach efforts.

> "[Our intern] took the time to connect with our patrons, interacting with our community and learning how to better serve them."

### BUILDING STRONGER COMMUNITIES THROUGH COLLABORATION

Oregonians in various communities—including **42 libraries in District 2**—can access digital books through Library2Go. 62,617 eBooks

40,311 audiobooks

## EMPOWERING LIBRARIES WITH TOOLS AND TRAINING

Intermountain and Southern Oregon Education Service Districts hosted symposiums for school library staff to enhance their skills in areas like library technology and collection management.

"It was so wonderful and encouraging to meet with other librarians to share and collaborate. There were lots of great ideas that will make an impact on my library."

