

Pillsbury Free Library P.O. Box 299 Warner NH 03278

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Dear Warner Resident or Business Owner

The Pillsbury Free Library has often been called "The Heart of Warner", and its iconic 1891 historic building with its 1993 addition is a landmark that makes the center of Warner an attractive, vibrant place valued by both residents and non-residents.

If you appreciate the Library and the services it provides to our community, please consider a gift to the Library's first Annual Appeal. Your donation will enable the Library to continue to provide and improve its excellent services and collections for the benefit of everyone in the Town of Warner.

In recent years, donations to the Library have helped to accomplish far more than the annual property tax appropriation could support, providing resources and benefits such as museum and art gallery passes, special programs for both children and adults, online language lessons, genealogy databases, and downloadable books and magazines, improvements to public Wi-Fi access, and matching funds for an LCHIP grant to repair masonry and install copper gutters.

With support from you and other residents, the Board is hoping to raise \$10,000 in 2019, to accomplish some or all of the following goals:

- ✤ Add more book shelves in the Children's Room
- Purchase more books, videos and magazines
- Refinish the wood floor in the upper level of the original building
- ✤ Replace exterior lighting with LED lighting

This year the ALA's National Library Week slogan is "Libraries = Strong Communities", and with your help, the Community can also help keep its Library strong.

Thank you for your interest and support.

Sincerely,

The Trustees of the Pillsbury Free Library

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