

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES STAFF REPORT

ITEM NO. 4.3

DATE: June 26, 2025

TO: Chairperson and Members of the Library Board of Trustees

FROM: Anwan Baker, Library Director

SUBJECT: 2025 Outreach Services and Recent Events

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommends the Library Board of Trustees receive the report.

SUMMARY

As part of their standard operation, libraries engage in community outreach regularly for a variety of reasons. Outreach increases equitable delivery of library services to people in the community who may be underserved or marginalized and supports diverse audiences. Outreach efforts also directly tie into the Library's and City's strategic goals and objectives.

DISCUSSION

Starting in March this year, Library staff stepped up the number of outreach events that they were attending to reach different audiences. This included park events put on by the East Bay Regional Park District, the San Francisco Giants Library Night at Oracle Stadium, Quest Science's Innovation Fair at Alameda Fairgrounds, LVJUSD Schools, Farmer's Markets, Vineyard Village Family Day, and more.

ATTACHMENTS

1. 2025 Outreach Services Presentation

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