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Dear Friends,

A recent visitor to our beautiful library wrote, "From personnel and programming, to holdings and facilities: A+!" This high grade reflects the tireless efforts of the Library staff and the generosity of donors like YOU! Community support is what makes the Lenox Library a place for life-long learning, appreciating local history, and gathering to share interests.

We rely, in part, on income from our endowment, legacy gifts, and fundraising events to support Library collections and keep programs fresh. But mostly, we rely on you! We depend on our generous donors to help us reach our Annual Appeal goal of $80,000.

This past year, your donations directly impacted our library community. We were thrilled to see significant increases in the Library’s in-person and virtual visits, program attendance, and book borrowing. This year's Annual Book Sale was extremely successful thanks to enthusiastic attendees and many dedicated volunteers.

**Did you know that because of your support:**
- you can now enjoy quality entertainment from home with the Library’s new video streaming service *Kanopy*? It's easy to join through the Library website.
- you can now interact with award-winning and best-selling authors through the Library’s new live virtual author talk series?
- your youngsters can read, dance, sing, grow, and create at educational youth activities that include Outdoor Story Time, Baby Circle, Lego Club, crafting with recycled materials, and the Youth Gardening Club?

With your support, the Lenox Library Association will continue to fund the many popular activities and up-to-date titles that you have come to enjoy.

Your contribution to our Annual Appeal helps keep the Lenox Library current, accessible, and loved by all who venture in. We thank you for making the Library a priority. Your children and grandchildren will thank you, too!

Sincerely,

Edward S. Richter  
President, Board of Trustees

Maria Lynch  
Director of Development