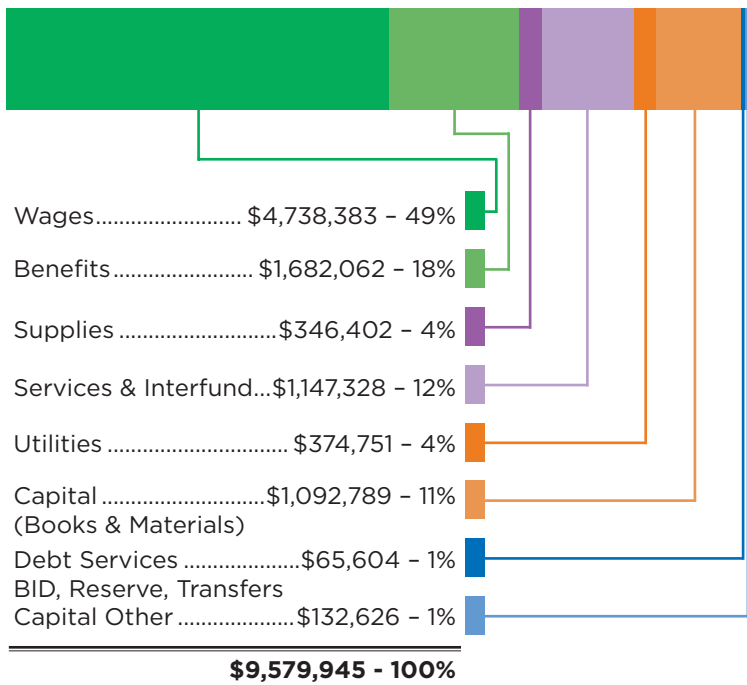


# 2018 Expenses



## 2018 Spokane Public Library Board of Trustees

Jim Kershner, Chair  
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**Library Executive Director:** Andrew Chanse

The Spokane Public Library Board of Trustees meets on the 3rd Tuesday of every month.  
[www.spokanelibrary.org/about/administration/#meeting](http://www.spokanelibrary.org/about/administration/#meeting)

### Friends of the Spokane Public Library

An all-volunteer group dedicated to funding special projects for the library. The Friends provide the library with more than \$40,000 in annual support.  
[www.spokanelibrary.org/friends](http://www.spokanelibrary.org/friends)

### Spokane Public Library Foundation

A nonprofit organization governed by a Board of Directors, the Foundation enhances programming, services and resources offered by the library through advocacy, partnerships and private dollars.  
[www.spokanelibraryfoundation.org](http://www.spokanelibraryfoundation.org)



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**2018** was a year of looking toward the future. We focused on planning our Vision 2025 and developing plans to renovate and build the Library of the Future, culminating in the passing of City of Spokane Bond Proposition 1.

**1,926,716** TOTAL ITEMS (DIGITAL + PHYSICAL) CHECKED OUT IN 2018



**108,826**  
Card holders  
(62% active in  
past 6 months)

**644,423**  
WEBSITE HITS



**2.4M**  
FACEBOOK  
IMPRESSIONS

**4** CULTURAL  
HERITAGE  
MONTHS



**918,392**  
visitors to branches

TOP CIRCULATED TITLES



Fiction



Children



Young Adult



Non-Fiction DVD

# of DIGITAL  
COLLECTIONS

612,937 Hoopla titles  
7,396 OverDrive books  
30,000 Kanopy films  
15 million Freegal songs

**18%**  
of collection  
checked out  
daily



**40,418**  
PHYSICAL  
MATERIALS  
ADDED

**+58,652**  
NEW CARDS

**87,493**

PEOPLE ATTENDED PROGRAMS

**8,639**  
Volunteer Hours



**540**  
Programs  
Offered

## New Services

Kanopy (thanks to Friends of the Library)  
Laptop loans for high school students  
24/7 Library Kiosk in West Central  
Library cards for Spokane Public Schools  
Sunday hours at South Hill library

## New Programs

Power 2 The Poetry  
HS21+  
Crafternoon  
Music Education Classes  
Trivia Night

## Visiting Authors

Marie Lu • Amy Stewart • Ransom Riggs •  
Kate DiCamillo

## Awards

Jason Johnson, Downtown Manager,  
*Library Journal*, Mover & Shaker, 2018  
Lilac City Live!, Urban Libraries Council,  
Top Innovator, 2018