

## STRATEGIC OPERATIONS REPORT – SEPTEMBER, 2015

	Igniting Community Dialogue, Discovery and Debate	Leading a Learning Community	Readying our Capabilities
Collaborative Relationships	<ul> <li>September IdeaMarket on cycling attracted 30+ participants; lively discussion resulted in formation of advocacy group among attendees</li> <li>IdeaMarket program videotaped for future sharing on website</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Library began new session at Inn From The Cold employment program; invited to continue in 2016</li> <li>First session of LEARN business series in partnership with Chamber of Commerce held</li> </ul>	
Spaces	<ul> <li>Wall plaque created to feature past IdeaMarket posters in Multi-Purpose Room; more plaques to follow to create gallery</li> </ul>	Equipment being tested and set up for "maker hub" (vinyl cutter) and "digital media station" (iMac & peripherals)	5 bedtime storytime programs hosted at Story Pod
Positioning	•	Article on 3D printing at the library submitted to Town employee newsletter	Email newsletter generated     1,538 opens (45%), and a total     of 335 click-throughs
Resources	•	Attendee at MS Word class reported using it to pass a test on it at work	<ul> <li>Fundraising page set up on canadahelps.org with links from library website; social media campaign to follow</li> <li>Chrome browser added to public workstations</li> </ul>
Organization & Operations	Hired new Volunteer Services     Coordinator	•	Staff attended Access library technology conference in Toronto, including "hackfest" activity of building an online room booking system