

Timeline of Rockrimmon Library Vote for Closure

June 2024: Initial Possibilities

- [Preliminary Facilities Master Plan was released](#). Rockrimmon closure was included as one of several alternatives to help PPLD finances.
- Community members were made aware of the preliminary findings.
- Library staff told patrons repeatedly that closing the Rockrimmon branch was a worst-case scenario. Residents should not be concerned. If a closure became a possibility, the community would have time to make their voices heard.

August 2024

- 8/3 Council Member Donelson met with PPLD CEO and 2 PPLD Board of Trustees members. He was told to not worry - a closure would not happen.
- Library staff told residents in August and September not to be concerned.

October 2024

- 10/03 [Final Facilities Master Plan posted on PPLD website](#).
- 10/15 PPLD Board of Trustees met and heard public comment about the Rockrimmon library vote. The PPLD Board of Trustees voted not to renew the lease on the Rockrimmon Library, it passed 6-2.

Board of Trustees Members	Vote on Library Closure (YES to Close / NO to Keep Open)
Dora Gonzales, President	YES (first term ends 12/31/2024)
Erin Bents, Secretary/Treasurer	YES (first term ends 12/31/2026)
Aaron Salt	YES (first term ends 12/31/2026)
Julie Smyth	YES (first term ends 12/31/2027)
Angela Dougan	YES (first term ends 12/31/2028)
Scott Taylor, Vice President	NO
Debbie English	NO

- 10/16: News articles covering the board meeting were released. This was the first time many in our community heard about the closure.
- 10/21: Campaign to contact elected officials began.
- 10/26: Large community meeting held to Save Rockrimmon Library, where many independent efforts were aligned.

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