



2019 Return on Investment for Flagstaff County

Flagstaff County membership levy to Parkland Regional Library = \$30,838.50

(Based on official 2019 City population of 3,738 x \$8.25 requisition amount)

Direct financial return to Flagstaff County Libraries

2019 materials allotment	\$4,223.94
2019 Rural Services Grant	\$19,930.05
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	\$24,153.99

Technology Savings to Flagstaff County Libraries

Computers for library use	\$6,352.50
Software & licensing	\$13,453.06
SuperNet connection	\$48,336.00
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	\$68,141.56

County residents can register at any PRL library without paying the minimum \$60 non-resident fee

Potential non-resident savings for households in Flagstaff County

1,380 Households ¹	<hr/>
	\$82,800.00

Total financial benefits to libraries and patrons= \$175,095.55

Flagstaff County Return on Investment \$1 = \$5.68

County libraries averaged a 37% discount on books purchased through PRL

¹ Number of county families eligible to save the \$60 non-resident fee

Strong Libraries, Strong Communities



With PRL membership, Flagstaff County residents gain:

- Access to 50 PRL libraries without non-resident fees (minimum \$60)
- Access to 650,000 items in the collective PRL collection
- Free access to 7,000+ eBooks, 9,500 eAudiobooks, 72 eMagazine subscriptions, eComics and shared eBooks from 4 other regional libraries
- Free access to subscription online resources: Ancestry (genealogy), Solaro (Alberta curriculum support), Consumer Reports, and Grant Connect; Press Reader international newspaper and magazine collection, Pronunciator language learning software, and Alberta eBooks collection
- Free broadband internet connection (SuperNet) and free wi-fi.
- Access to library collections across Alberta and Canada

With PRL membership, Flagstaff County has access to:

- Shared regional specialty collections including
 - large print books
 - audio books
- Access to national library collections for the blind and print-disabled.