To the Southington Community,

Per directive of the Town Manager and Heath Director, the Southington Public Library will be closing at end of day (9pm) on Monday, March 17th. At this time, we anticipate re-opening to the public on Monday, March 30th. During the period of Tuesday, March 17 through Friday, March 27, Library Staff will continue to report to work, Monday – Friday from 9am – 5pm.

The health and well-being of our community is our top priority, but our goal to enrich the community with educational, cultural, and recreational resources does not stop even when we are closed. During the hours of 9am-5pm Monday through Friday, staff will continue to answer the phone (860-628-0974), respond to reference inquiries and assist the community. We will be placing a link on our website for Southington residents to register for temporary e-cards providing access to our digital resources. We will be instituting a curbside material pickup so that the community may still take advantage of our resources. To learn more about this program, keep checking our website (southintonlibrary.org) or call us for more details.

We will also be waiving all fines accrued from March 16 until at least March 30th. All programs scheduled until March 30th are cancelled. The Friends of the Library Used Book Store has been closed. Deliveries are no longer being accepted. Be sure to sign up for our digital newsletter, or follow us on Facebook for additional virtual services. Find us online at www.SouthingtonLibrary.org

We thank you for your patience and understanding during this time. While we are committed to practicing social distancing, the Southington Public Library will remain a resource for our community.

Sincerely,

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