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The Extension Library District of Huron County with branches in Willard, Greenwich, North Fairfield and Wakeman has changed its name to the Huron County Community Library.

According to Library Director Laura Lee Wilson, the name change signifies a new chapter for the library system. The library desires to be recognized as one library serving a variety of communities in Huron County. "Our official service areas are reflected in the boundaries of the Willard City, South Central and Western Reserve School Districts within Huron County. Of course, we provide library services to anyone who visits our buildings." The library has embraced emergent technology and is refining their print collections to meet the needs of the communities they serve. Our libraries are not typically used for academic research projects, Wilson pointed out, we see people who want to read titles from the New York Times Best Sellers list, and are curious about new trends and local information.

The public will not see any interruption to service. All holds placed on library materials through the SEO Consortium will remain in place and be delivered as normal. Patrons can continue to use their library cards, download e-books and magazines, as they have in the past. Wilson said, "This should be a seamless transition from our patron's perspective."

The name change will transition during the month of February and should be completed by the end of March.

The Huron County Community Library is a public library system with locations in Willard, Greenwich, North Fairfield, and Wakeman dedicated to providing materials, services, and information to promote lifelong learning.

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